

Product Specification - Pecan Nut In Shell



Supplier	Stahmann Webster	
Site Address	193-199 McDougall Street, Toowoomba, Queensland, Australia, 4350	
Accreditations	SQF, Halal, Kosher, Sedex, Export Registered Establishment	
Product Range	Description	Size (Count per Pound)
	Pecan Nut in Shell Unsized	Any Size
	Oversize	55 or less
	Extra Large Pecan Nut in Shell	56-63
	Large Pecan Nut in Shell	64-77
	Medium Pecan Nut in Shell	78-95
	Small Pecan Nut in Shell	96-120
	Extra Large & Large Pecan Nut in Shell	60-80
Product Description	Whole pecan nuts in their shell, derived from trees of several varieties, which are dry, clean and free from mud, dirt and other foreign materials.	
Intended Use	Product is intended for further processing.	
Country of Origin	Product of Australia	
GMO Status	Not Genetically Modified	
Net Weight	20kg	
Labelling	Labelled with a batch number and size only unless specifically requested.	
Primary Packaging	Un-lined woven poly bags	
Packing Format	Bags are loaded directly into a shipping container or 24 bags/ pallet	
Distribution	Distribution can occur at ambient temperatures. Transport will be by way of general freight vehicles, GP or reefer containers.	
Shelf Life	Not Specified. Kernel, typically allocated 15 months shelf life from date of manufacture under recommended	
Storage	Store in a cool, dry place, which is out of direct sunlight and free from infestation. Refrigeration at a temperature of 0°C to 10°C, is strongly recommended.	
Organoleptic Specifications	Test	Criteria
	Appearance	Nut in shell will be shades of brown. Kernel can be a range of colours from light golden brown to brown and - reddish brown (edible portion only).
	Aroma	Fresh and nutty with no objectionable aromas
	Flavour	Fresh and nutty with no rancid flavours detectable (edible portion only)
	Texture	Crisp in texture(edible portion only)
Allergens	Contains: Tree Nuts (Pecans) Tree Nut only Facility. Pecans and Macadamia nut in shell share the same bulk storage receptacles.	

Ingredient Statement	Pecans (100%)	
Nutrient Information Panel	Nutrient	Average Quantity per 100g
	Energy	2973kJ
	Protein	9.8g
	Fat, Total	71.9g
	Saturated	4.5g
	Trans	<0.1g
	Polyunsaturated	24.95g
	Monounsaturated	39.3g
	Carbohydrates	4.9g
	Sugar	4.3g
	Dietary Fibre	8.4g
	Sodium	3mg
	Based on the edible portion only <i>Data Source:</i> Food Standards Australia and New Zealand and the Australian Food Composition Database	
Physical Specifications	Test	Parameter
	Moisture	≤4.5%
	Damage	≤2%
	Serious Damage	≤5%

Definitions	NIS: Nut in shell
	Count per Pound The number on whole nuts counted in a 453g (pound) sample.
	Damage The following defects shall be considered in total defects: Adhering hull material or dark stains affecting an aggregate of more than 5 percent of the surface of the individual shell Split or cracked shells when the shell is spread apart or will spread upon application of slight pressure Broken shells when any portion of the shell is missing
	Serious Damage The following defects shall be considered as major defects: Adhering hull material or dark stains affecting an aggregate of more than 20 percent of the individual shell Broken shells when the missing portion of shell is greater in area than a circle one-fourth inch (6 mm) in diameter Worm holes when penetrating the shell