

**Produce Specification: Organic Carrots**

<b><u>General Information:</u></b>			
This specification is for supply of Organic Carrots into FSSI Produce DC, any variation to this must be approved by the FSSI Merchandise Manager for Produce			
All suppliers/growers must be certified in one of the below.			
NZGAP with Social Practice Add On GlobalGAP GRASP Sedex Smeta			
<b><u>Shape:</u></b>			
Slender, cylindrical shape may have some kinks down stem			
<b><u>Overall Visual Appearance:</u></b>			
Mid to bright orange skin & flesh. Bright green tops			
<b><u>Temperature:</u></b>			
Optimum storage temperature is 4°C			
<b><u>Labelling</u></b>			
All crates / cartons must be labelled with:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Suppliers trading name.</li> <li>• Suppliers trading address.</li> <li>• Pack date</li> <li>• Product name and/or Article Description</li> <li>• Variety</li> <li>• Count</li> <li>• Grade</li> <li>• Shipper Barcode</li> <li>• GAP Number and GAP Name</li> </ul>			
<b><u>Crates and Bins:</u></b>			
If product is supplied in a Bin or Crate, bin and crate must be collapsible (unless otherwise stated) and be from an approved supplier.			
<b><u>General Sizing</u></b>			
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Pukekohe	Loose	1.5kg Prepacked	1kg Prepacked – <b>START OF THESEASON</b>
<b><u>Length</u></b>	170mm – 220mm	130mm – 190mm	100mm - 150mm
<b><u>Diameter</u></b>	30mm – 45mm	30mm – 45mm	20mm - 30mm <b>MAIN SEASON</b>
<b><u>South Island</u></b>	Loose	1.5kg Prepacked	1kg Prepacked
<b><u>Length</u></b>	190mm – 220mm	160mm – 190mm	150mm - 190mm
<b><u>Diameter</u></b>	25mm – 35mm	25mm – 35mm	25mm - 35mm
Pre-packs 1kg. 20 count. Nett Weight			

**Defects Lifts**

Unacceptable Chill damage, physical damage, rough scarring. Rot / waste.  
(0% tolerance) Dirt. Discolouration. Visible residues. Foreign smells / tastes. Pests.  
Pest residues or damage. NO CARROT FLY DAMAGE Cracked ends allow 10%

**Photos Of Defects**

		
<b>Rot/Disease</b>	<b>Miss Shaped</b>	<b>Green Tapered Top</b>

**Table of Articles**

Article	Description	Count	Packaging
4250020	SO SWEET CARROTS ORG 1KG NZ	12	Carton
4249611	WILLOWMERE CARROTS ORGANIC 1KG	12	Carton
4282034	WILLOWMERE ORGANIC BABY CARROT 500G	10	Carton
4339460	SO SWEET BABY CARROT 500G	28	Carton
4248854	SO SWEET JUICING CARROTS ORGANIC 2KG	6	Carton
4339632	SO SWEET COLOURED CARROT BUNCH	8	Carton