

Produce Specification: Organic Plums

<u>General Information:</u>
<p>This specification is for supply of Organic Plums into FSSI Produce DC, any variation to this must be approved by the FSSI Merchandise Manager for Produce</p> <p>All suppliers/growers must be certified in one of the below.</p> <p>NZGAP with Social Practice Add On GlobalGAP GRASP Sedex Smeta</p>
<u>Shape:</u>
Round to slightly round flat or heart shaped.
<u>Overall Visual Appearance:</u>
Dark purple to black over dark red background colour. Amber or red flesh
<u>Temperature:</u>
<p>To be stored at 0 - 2°C (Wholesale) To be displayed at 10 - 20°C (Retail) Killing zone (storage at this temp will cause the fruit to go mealy) 3 - 7°C</p>
<u>Labelling</u>
<p>All crates / cartons must be labelled with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Suppliers trading name. • Suppliers trading address. • Pack date • Product name and/or Article Description • Variety • Count • Grade • Shipper Barcode • GAP Number and GAP Name
<u>Crates and Bins:</u>
If product is supplied in a Bin or Crate, bin and crate must be collapsible (unless otherwise stated) and be from an approved supplier.
<u>Defect List:</u>
<p><u>Unacceptable</u> Dirt. Dust. Pests and or residues. Stem pull. Rot, Discolouration. Foreign smells. Immature / green fruit. Softness and shrivel. Heavy bruising. Major pest damage. Major unhealed cuts, punctures, cracks and splits. Internal browning.</p> <p><u>Minor</u> Blemish (less than 1cm² or 1cm in length). Light bacterial marking 15%Tolerance (no more than 20% of the skins surface). Block russet (no bigger than 1cm²). Minor healed cuts and punctures.</p>

Photos Of Defects			
Brown Flesh.	Excessively soft	Heavy skin marks	
Internal Bruising	Irregular skin marking	Rotting fruit.	
<u>Table of Articles</u>			
Article	Description	Count	Packaging
3143613	PAMS PLUMS ORG 500G NZ	6	Crate