

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Mechanically cracked walnut kernels, which are well dried, clean, free from excessive defects and damages, and packed under sanitary conditions.

ORIGIN

Chile

SIZE GRADES	HALVES (3/4 or better)	QUARTERS	LARGE PIECES (> 9 mm.)	MEDIUM PIECES (6-9 mm.)	SMALL PIECES (3-6 mm.)	WALNUT FLOUR (< 3 mm.)	PACKAGING
Halves	≥ 80 %	20%	≤ 7% (Included in 10%)				1 X 10 kg multilayer polietilene bag, nitrogen flushed
Halves & Pieces	≥ 20% ≤ 80% (specify proportion in label)	—	—	≤ 18%	≤ 3% (included in 18%)	≤ 1% (included in 3%)	1 X 10 kg multilayer polietilene bag, nitrogen flushed
Quarters	—	—	≤ 25%	≤ 7% (included in 25%)	≤ 3% (included in 7%)	≤ 1% (Included in 3%)	1 X 11 kg multilayer polietilene bag, nitrogen flushed
Large pieces (> 9 mm.)	—	—	—	≤ 25%	≤ 5% (included in 25%)	≤ 1% (Included in 5%)	1 X 13 kg multilayer polietilene bag, nitrogen flushed
Medium pieces (6-9 mm.)	—	—	—	—	≤ 3%	≤ 1% (Included in 3%)	1 X 13 kg multilayer polietilene bag, nitrogen flushed
Small pieces (3-6 mm.)	—	—	≤ 10%	—	—	≤ 2%	1 X 13 kg multilayer polietilene bag, nitrogen flushed

Note: Percentages shall be calculated on the basis of weight.

DEFECTS TOLERANCES

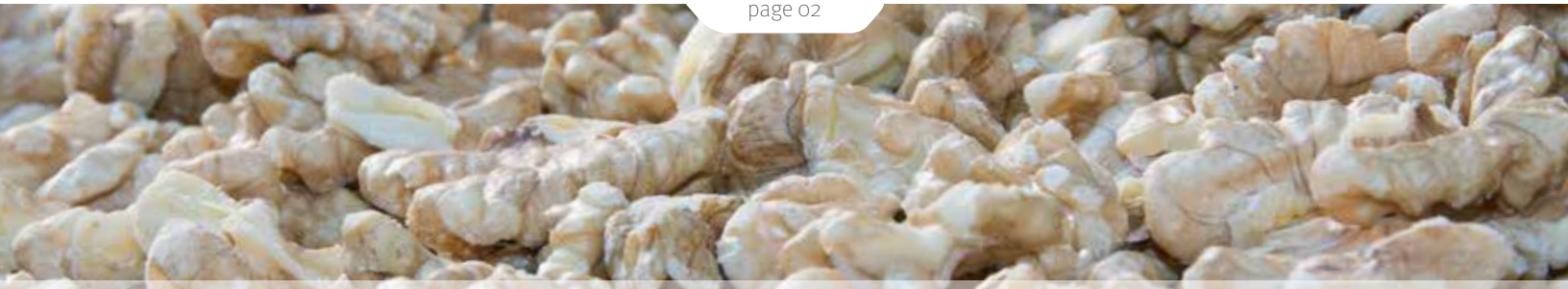
	QUALITY CLASSIFICATION		
	EXTRA	CAT I	CAT II
Light Stain Light Shriveling	4%	6%	9%
Dark stain Shriveling Dead Mold	2%	4%	6%
Insect injury Rancidity	1%	2%	3%
Decay	0,20%	0,50%	1%
Total Defects	4%	6%	9%

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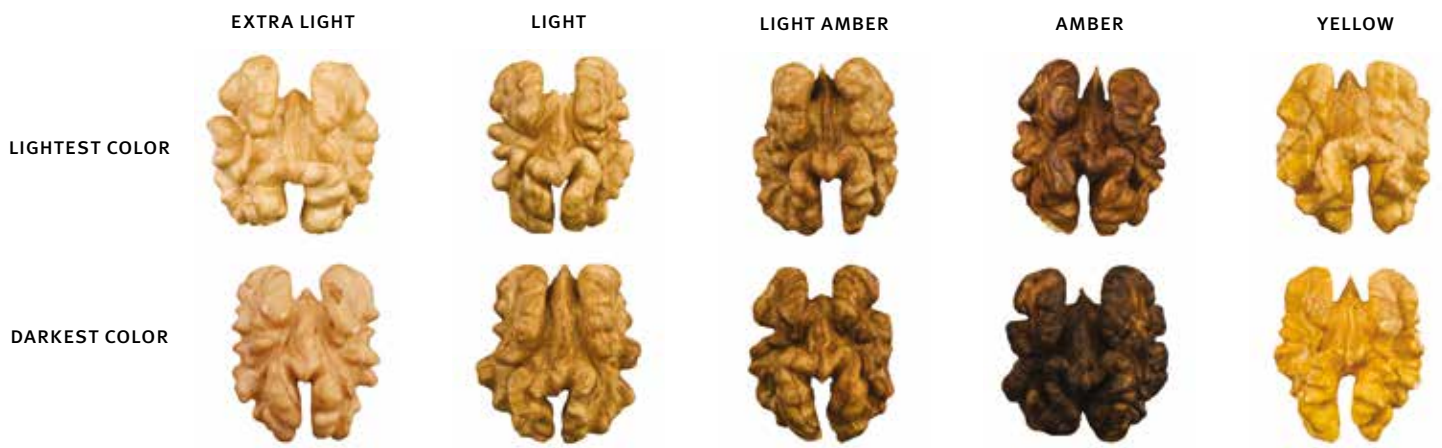
FOREIGN MATERIALS TOLERANCES

	SHELL (UNITS PER CASE)	SEPTUM (UNITS PER CASE)
	Halves	1 Unit / 10 Kg
Quarters	1 Unit / 10 Kg	5 Unit / 10 Kg
Pieces	2 grms / 10 Kg	2 grms / 10 Kg

*Septum is the woody partition from between the halves of the kernel.



COLOR CLASSIFICATION



Note: Extra Light, Extra Light - Light (Min 60% Extra light), Light, Light Amber grades may contain 15% of the next darker color, including not more than 2% of the second darkest color.

CHEMICAL ANALYSIS

MOISTURE

Max. 5 % (oven drying method)

MICROBIOLOGICAL

Mold & Yeast	< 10.000 CFU / gr.
E. Coli	< 500 CFU / gr.
Salmonella	Negative in 50 gr.
Total Aflatoxins	max. 4 ppb
Aflatoxin B1	max. 2 ppb

NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION

VALUE PER 100 GR. OF WALNUT

Energy	688 Kcal
Carbohydrate	4,1 g
Protein	17,9 g
Total fat	66,6 g
Fiber	7,2 g
Cholesterol	< 0,1 mg