## PRODUCT SPECIFICATION



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Product Description: Chandler Light Halves & Pieces 80% Halves - Natural shelled English walnuts. This product is comprised solely of clean, California grown walnuts which meet the USDA standards and inspected by the DFA of California. The nuts are processed and packaged in accordance with the Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP) under sanitary conditions and in compliance with USDA, FDA, and FSMA guidance. Poindexter Nut is certified by the CCOF.

Deviations in technical specification of size and color are available to customers on approval from Poindexter Nut Company. Technical assistance is available upon request.

PHYSICAL SPECIFICATIONS:	Chandler Light Halves & Pieces 80% Halves
COLOR:	LIGHT, NATURAL LIGHT WALNUT COLOR. A TOLERANCE OF 15% BY
	WEIGHT IS PROVIDED FOR KERNELS DARKER THAN LIGHT.
SIZE:	MIXTURE OF WALNUT HALVES AND PIECES, CONTAINING 80% HALVES
	BY WEIGHT
SHELL FRAGMENT:	NOT TO EXCEED 0.05% OF THE TOTAL WEIGHT
MEAL:	NOT TO EXCEED 5% OF THE TOTAL WEIGHT
METAL OR GLASS:	NONE ALLOWED
TOTAL DEFECT:	NOT TO EXCEED 8% OF THE TOTAL WEIGHT

PACKAGING AND LABELING REQUIREMENTS	
22 LB. FOOD GRADE CORRUGATED CASES WITH A POLY LINER TO PRESERVE FRESHNESS	LABELED WITH PRODUCT TYPE, COLOR AND SIZE, AS WELL AS THE NAME OF THE PRODUCER, POINDEXTER NUT COMPANY, THE DATE OF MANUFACTURE, AND THE NET WEIGHT.
LINER TO PRESERVE FRESHNESS	,

To ensure the highest quality product, staples are not used to seal the boxes. Special packaging such as vacuum packing or nitrogen flushing can be accommodated at the buyer's request.

### **REGULATORY**

Product(s) referenced in this specification comply with the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act as amended.

## **KOSHER STATUS**

CERTIFIED KOSHER PAREVE



#### **RECOMMENDED STORAGE & SHELF LIFE**

STORE PRODUCT IN COOL, DRY ODOR FREE AREA AWAY FROM DIRECT SUNLIGHT AT 35° - 40° F (1.7° - 7.2° C) STORED REFRIGERATED THIS PRODUCT WILL MAINTAIN ITS QUALITY FOR AT LEAST 12 MONTHS

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## **SENSORY**

CLEAN, FRESH WALNUT FLAVOR WITH NO STALE, RANCID, FOREIGN, OFF FLAVORS OR ODORS

MICROBIOLOGICAL STANDARDS			
Test	Method	Unpasteurized	Pasteurized
STANDARD PLATE COUNT	AOAC 2015.13	<50,000/g	<5,000/g
YEAST	AOAC 2014.05	<5,000/g	<500/g
MOLD	AOAC 2014.05/FDA BAM	<20,000/g	<2,000/g
	Chp. 18		
COLI FORM	AOAC 991.14	<1,000/g	≤10/g
E COLI	PCR(BAM Chp 4)	<3 CFU/g	<3 CFU/g
LISTERIA	PCR(BAM Chp 10)	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE
STAPHYLOCOCCI	PCR(BAM Chp 12)	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE
SALMONELLA	PCR(BAM Chp 5:2007)	NEGATIVE	NEGATIVE
AFLATOXIN	AOAC 2005.08	<20ppb	<20ppb
PEROXIDE VALUE	AOAC 965.33	2.5 meq/kg max	2.5 meq/kg max
FREE FATTY ACID	AOAC 940.28	1.25% max	1.25% max

NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION (Actual Values)			
NUTRIENT	PER 100 GRAMS OF KERNELS		
CALORIES	654		
TOTAL FAT	65.21 g		
Saturated Fat	6.126 g		
Polyunsaturated Fat	47.174 g		
Monounsaturated Fat	8.933 g		
CHOLESTEROL	0 mg		
Dietary Fiber	6.7 g		
Sugar	2.61 g		
Added Sugar	0 g		
SODIUM	2 mg		
POTASSIUM	441 mg		
TOTAL CARBOHYDRATE	13.71 g		
PROTEIN	15.23 g		
VITAMIN D	0 mcg		
CALCIUM	98 mg		
IRON	2.91 mg		

The ranges of value obtained through various private and government investigations are true and accurate to the best of our knowledge. Variations may occur due to crop differences, year to year. Analysis and range of values obtained by various private and government sources may vary from actual data obtained from current or future crop years.