

COMMODITY SPECIFICATION FOR
CANNED BONED WHITE TURKEY MEAT
Dated February 2005

Amendment No. 1

This amendment changes the formulation and drained-weight requirements for the Commodity Specification for Canned Boned White Turkey Meat dated February 2005.

1. Section II.C.1.a is amended on page 4 to read as follows:

“1. Processing Requirements.

a. Boneless, skinless turkey breast meat (meat from “breasts” as defined in 7 C.F.R. § 70.210); turkey scapula, up to 10 percent of the total weight for meat; and up to 7.5 percent turkey wing meat (first and second wing portion only) with attached skin, or 5 percent wing meat without attached skin may be used.”

2. Section II.C.2.a. is amended on page 4 to read as follows:

“a. Poultry without giblets and poultry parts may be: (1) cooked with water without pressure, or (2) pressure cooked. During pressure cooking, the products do not need to be covered with water when there is a system for collecting broth. The method of cooking must produce a cooked product free of overcooked, burnt, scorched, bitter, metallic, cardboardy, rancid, or other flavors or odors foreign to properly cooked turkey.”

3. Section II.C.5 is amended on page 6 to read as follows:

“5. Formulation. The following proportions of meat, salt, and broth or water must be used in preparing the commodity:

Meat	<u>Percent by Weight</u>
(may include up to 10 percent scapula meat and up to 5 percent skinless wing meat (see II.C.1. and II.C.5.b.))	95.00 – 99.00
Broth or Water (maximum)	4.50
Salt	<u>0.50</u>
	100.00

a. The amount of scapula meat, wing meat, and broth or water may be reduced and replaced with additional boneless skinless breast meat.

b. As an alternative, the wing meat portion may include up to 7.5 percent wing meat with attached skin, or 5 percent wing meat without attached skin.”

4. Section II.F.1.a., b., and c. is amended on pages 9 and 10 to read as follows:

“1. Drained-Weight Requirements and Determination.

a. Samples. After thermal processing, the Grader will randomly draw sample cans (as defined in II.E.3.a.) to determine drained weight. The 29-ounce (822-g) filled cans from a lot or subplot must average not less than 20.0 ounces (567 g) of commodity on a drained-weight basis.

b. Discounts. Lots or sublots of commodity with a drained weight averaging: (1) greater than or equal to 18.7 ounces (530 g) and less than 20.0 ounces (567 g) will be accepted with the deviations subject to the price discount indicated in Table 5.

c. Rejections. A lot or subplot of filled cans with a drained weight averaging less than the weights indicated in Table 5 will be rejected.

Table 5. Drained Weights and Discounts

Drained Weight Basis Average for Lot or Sublot	Applicable Discount (Percent of Contract Price)	Rejected Lot or Sublot
29-ounce (822-g) cans		
Greater than 19.4 oz. (550 g) and less than 20.0 oz. (567 g)	2.25 percent	Average less than 18.7 oz. (530 g)
Greater than or equal to 18.7 oz. (530 g) and less than or equal to 19.4 oz. (550 g)	4.50 percent	

EFFECTIVE DATE: This amendment is effective with offers due Tuesday, February 22, 2005.

All other terms and conditions of the Commodity Specification for Canned Boned White Turkey Meat dated February 2005 remain unchanged.

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