## **Produce Specification: Citrus Grapefruit**



RECEIVAL ALL GRAPEFRUIT		
TEMPERATURE °C (AT ARRIVAL)	5 – 14	
	Unsaleable defects 0%  Major defects <5%	
TOLERANCE	Minor defects <10%	
	Combined total limit <10% <5% outside of size range	
PACKAGING & LABELLING	Packaging manufactured from new food grade materials or sanitised returnable crates.  Packaging to adhere to Foodstuffs North Island Produce Packaging Guidelines.  All labelling must meet the current legislative requirements.  Crate card must include the product description, SKU number (in large font), supplier name, grower/packer's name, product grade, count/weight, and delivery date.  Pre-packaged produce must display the grower's name, the packed on date, best before date or used by date (batch code optional).	
SHELF LIFE	Produce must have a shelf life of <b>at least 5 days</b> upon arrival at the Distribution Centre, or direct to the store from the supplier.	
TRANSPORT CONDITIONS	Stacked to Ti Hi specifications onto a stabilised pallet as per-ordered.  Refrigerated van with air bag suspension, unless otherwise approved.  Goods must be received in accordance with Foodstuffs North Island  Receiving and Carrier Guidelines (refer to reference materials for more information).  Of note are pallet size, stacking standards and crate cards.	
CHEMICAL CONTAMINATE RESIDUE	Relevant growers and/or producers, hold, will maintain, and will comply with all necessary certificates, licenses, permits, and other approvals required by Laws or the Policies and Compliance Requirements for the manufacture, packing, supply, and storage of the groceries. This includes NZGAP (including the Social Practice Standards add-on) and/or GLOBALG.A.P (including GRASP) certification.	
ORGANICS	BioGro certificate, or equivalent, is required to supply organic products into both Foodstuffs stores and Distribution Centres. The current certificate should be available on the Foodstuffs Exchange.	

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CATEGORY	Grapefruit	PRODUCT	Marshy Ruby, Rio Red, Star Ruby.
PACK TYPE	Loose	GRADE	Premium

GENERAL APPEARANCE					
COLOUR	Pink blush on yellow skin. Dark pink to red flesh.				
SHAPE	Round to squat pear shape.				
SENSORY	Firm with smooth skin, juicy flesh with mild flavour. Fruit segments				
SENSORY	should separate easily from skin and pith. No off odours or tastes.				
MATURITY	Light green colour affecting <10% of skin.				
BRIX °	>9				
CLEANLINESS	Free from dirt, insect stair	ns, residue or other foreign matter.			
	UNSALEABLE DE	FECTS			
FOREIGN MATTER	Evidence of live insects.				
FOREIGIN WATTER	Nil foreign matter (e.g. gla	iss, metal, hard plastics).			
PRODUCT COUNT	No overcount.				
	MAJOR DEFECTS				
DISEASES	Fungal or bacterial rots of skin or flesh (e.g. Penicillin mould, brown rot, soft rot).				
PHYSICAL INPURITIES	Cuts, holes, cracks or wou	nds that break the skin.			
	Dark irregular pitting on rind (chilling injury).				
TEMPERATURE DAMAGE	Water-soaked, soft areas (freezing damage).				
	Pale, hard areas on skin (severe sunburn).				
	MINOR DEFE	CTS			
DISEASES	Black/grey marks e.g. sooty blotch or sooty mould affecting >33% of fruit surface.				
PHYSICAL INPURITIES	Brown/black speckles (rust mite damage) affecting in aggregate >4 cm <sup>2</sup> .				
DIIVCIOLOCICAL DEFECTO	Stem end corrugations >2 mm wide covering half the fruit.				
PHYSIOLOGICAL DEFECTS	Stem end rind breakdown (SERB).				
	Oleocellosis (oil spotting) affecting >1 cm <sup>2</sup> of surface.				
SURFACE INCONSISTENCIES	Dark blemishes (e.g. stem end blemish) affecting in aggregate >2 cm <sup>2</sup> of				
SORTACE INCONSISTENCIES	surface around stem.				
	Light blemishes affecting in aggregate >4 cm <sup>2</sup> of surface.				
TEMPERATURE DAMAGE	Bleached yellow-orange areas (light sunburn) affecting >4 cm <sup>2</sup> .				
SIZE - DIAMETER					
SIZE CATEGORY	MEDIUM	80 – 90 mm			
	LARGE	90 – 10 mm			

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CATEGORY	Grapefruit	PRODUCT	NZ
PACK TYPE	Loose	GRADE	Premium and Choice

GENERAL APPEARANCE				
COLOUR	Yellow skin.			
SHAPE	Round to squat pear shape.			
SENSORY	Firm with smooth skin, juicy flesh with mild flavour. Fruit segments			
	should separate easily from skin and pith. No off odours or tastes.			
MATURITY	Light green colour affectir	ng <20% of skin.		
BRIX°	>9			
CLEANLINESS	Free from dirt, insect stair	ns, residue or other foreign matter.		
	UNSALEABLE DE	FECTS		
FOREIGN MATTER	Evidence of live insects.			
FOREIGN WATTER	Nil foreign matter (e.g. glass, metal, hard plastics).			
PRODUCT COUNT	No overcount.			
MAJOR DEFECTS				
DISEASES	Fungal or bacterial rots of skin or flesh (e.g. Penicillin mould, brown rot, soft rot).			
PHYSICAL INPURITIES	Cuts, holes, cracks or wou	nds that break the skin.		
	Dark irregular pitting on rind (chilling injury).			
TEMPERATURE DAMAGE	Water-soaked, soft areas (freezing damage).			
	Pale, hard areas on skin (severe sunburn).			
	MINOR DEFE	CTS		
DISEASES	Black/grey marks e.g. sooty blotch or sooty mould affecting >33% of fruit surface.			
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	Oleocellosis (oil spotting) affecting >1 cm <sup>2</sup> of surface.			
SURFACE INCONSISTENCIES	Dark blemishes (e.g. stem end blemish) affecting in aggregate >2 cm <sup>2</sup> of			
JONN ACE INCOMPRISITENCIES	surface around stem.			
	Light blemishes affecting in aggregate >4 cm <sup>2</sup> of surface.			
TEMPERATURE DAMAGE	Bleached yellow-orange areas (light sunburn) affecting >4 cm <sup>2</sup> .			
SIZE - DIAMETER				
SIZE CATEGORY	MEDIUM	80 – 90 mm		
	LARGE	90 – 10 mm		