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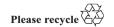
Explanatory material for dried persimmons

Submitted by the Central Asian Working Group to Promote Exports of Agricultural Produce

Summary

At the 2022 session of the Specialized Section, the representative of the Central Asian Working Group to Promote Exports of Agricultural Produce (CAWG) informed that CAWG had developed many promotional materials in local languages. In follow-up to this discussion, the CAWG submitted the explanatory materials it had developed for dried melons, dried persimmons, inshell peanuts and peanut kernels for the review of the Specialized Section.

The Specialized Section is invited to review the draft posters, along with the corresponding texts contained in document ECE/CTCS/WP.7/GE.2/2023/6, for correctness. It is also invited to consider the potential development of explanatory materials for those products by the Specialized Section.





DRIED PERSIMMONS

DEFINITION AND CLASSIFICATION





This poster applies to dried whole persimmons of varieties (cultivars) grown from *Diospyros kaki Thunb*, *Diospyros lotus* L. and their hybrids and interspecific hybrids intended for direct consumption or for food when intended to be mixed with other products for direct consumption without further processing. This material does not apply to dried persimmons that are processed by salting, sugaring, flavouring or roasting or for industrial processing.



The poster has been developed on the basis of UNECE Standard DDP-34* concerning the marketing and commercial quality control of dried persimmons

QUALITY DEFECTS

Product with damage



Product with signs of fermentation



Product damaged by rotting or deterioration



Product damaged by pests



Product with extraneous matter, seeds and fragments



Mould



Moisture content

The dried persimmons shall have a moisture content:

- not exceeding 25.0 per cent for untreated dried persimmons
- above 25.0 per cent and not exceeding 35.0 per cent for dried persimmons treated with preservatives or preserved by other means (e.g., pasteurization)

* UNECE STANDARD DDP-34, concerning the marketing and commercial quality control of dried persimmons.

An electronic version of the poster is available from: https://ca-wg.net/publications/