

(See Rules 3 and 4)

Grade designations and definition of quality of Parboiled milled Common (Coarse) Rice

Special Characteristics

Grade -----

designation (Maximum limit of tolerance)

General characteristics

Foreign Brokens Admixture Damaged,
matter (% by wt.) of Red and
(% by wt.) Grain in discoloured
White (% by wt.)
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1	2	3	4	5	6
I	0.5	10.0	5.0	3.0	Parboiled milled common rice shall :-
II	1.0	20.0	10.0	5.0	(a) be the dried mature kernels of <i>Oryza sativa</i> L;
III	1.5	30.0	15.0	7.0	(b) have uniform size, shape and colour;
IV	3.0	40.0	20.0	10.0	

- (c) be sweet, hard, clean, wholesome and free from moulds weevils, obnoxious smell, discolouration admixture of deleterious substances and all other impurities except to the extent indicated in the Schedule;
 - (d) be in sound merchantable condition;
 - (e) not have moisture exceeding 15 percent; and
 - (f) be polished as per Rice milling industry (Regulation) Act. 1958.
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DEFINITIONS :

Foreign Matter :- It includes dust, stone, lumps of earth, chaff, stem or straw and any other impurity.

Broken :- Broken shall include pieces of kernels which are less than three-fourth of a whole kernel. The pieces smaller than one-fourth of the whole kernel are to be treated as fragments. The proportion of fragments shall not exceed 0.5, 1.0 and 1.5 percent for grade I, II, III respectively.

Damaged and Discoloured :- Grains that are internally damaged or discoloured, damage and discolouration materially affecting the quality. The proportion of damaged shall not exceed 5.0 percent for grade IV.

Admixture :- The presence of inferior varieties and red kernels shall be considered as admixture.