

Common Name:

Hindi	English Name	Botanical name
साबूत धनिया	Coriander whole	Coriandrum sativum

1. Coriander(Whole) shall be –

- clean, wholesome, reasonably uniform in size, shape and colour characteristic to the variety
- free from obnoxious smell and fungus infestation.

2. Variety.....(to be filled by assayer)**3. Actual Picture of the lot.....(to be uploaded by assayer)****4. Criteria for Range designation**

S.No.	Tradable parameters	Range-1	Range-2	Range-3
A	Essential			
i	Visible Color	Green	Light Brown	Brown
ii	Moisture (% by weight) Max	8.0	9.0	11.0
iii	Foreign matter(% by weight) Max	1.0	2.0	3.0
iv	Damaged /Coriander Split seeds(% by weight) Max	8.0	12.0	15.0
B	Optional (Industrial/Processor)			
v	Total Ash % (m/m)	Not more than 7.0		
vi	Acid insoluble ash % (m/m)	Not more than 1.5		
vii	Volatile oil % (ml/100 gm)	Not less than 0.1		

5. Sampling:

- 5 % or minimum one container shall be randomly selected for sampling
- 250gm shall be drawn from each selected container and shall be mixed homogenously, called as primary sample.
- 250 gm shall be drawn from primary sample called as Laboratory sample

6. Definitions:

- Foreign matter includes husk, straws, weed seeds, other inedible grains, metallic pieces, sand, gravel, dirt, pebbles, stones, lumps of earth, clay, mud and animal filth etc.
- Damaged/Discoloured seeds are sprouted or internally damaged as a result of heat, microbe, moisture or weather and mechanical injury.
- Coriander Split is pieces of seeds that are one fourth or less than the full size of the whole seed.

Optional parameters are voluntary and may be analyzed as per buyer-seller agreement.