



FRESNO COOPERATIVE RAISIN GROWERS, INC.

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INGREDIENT SPECIFICATION

TRY-MOR BRAND

ORGANIC NATURAL THOMPSON SEEDLESS RAISINS

The Organic Thompson Seedless Raisins are produced from good quality California Organic Thompson Seedless Grapes by a process of natural (sun) drying, inspecting, de-stemming and cleaning, sizing, washing and grading at our CCOF certified organic processing facility. Organic Thompson Seedless Raisins are blast frozen before shipping to optimize quality and freshness.

The material will conform to all specifications of purity and identity prescribed by Federal and State Regulations and is organically grown and processed in accordance with the California Organic Foods Act of 1990. Our Organic Thompson Seedless Raisins are organically certified by California Certified Organic Growers (CCOF).

Packed In:

Organic Thompson Seedless Raisins are packed in polyethylene bags within corrugated fibre cases for optimum quality protection. Cartons sealed with clear box sealing tape.

Net weight: 30 lbs. or 25 lbs. or 12.5 kilos
 Gross weight: 31.20 lbs. or 26.20 lbs. or 13.04 kilos
 Cube: .57
 Carton dimension: 14 7/8" X 10 5/8" X 6 1/4"

Physical Characteristics:

Grades for Processed Organic Natural Thompson Seedless Raisins

	<u>USDA Grade B</u>	<u>USDA Grade A</u>	<u>Fresno Coop Grade</u>
Stems	2 per 6 lbs.	1 per 6 lbs.	1 per 15 lbs.
Capstems	25 per lb.	15 per lb.	7 per lb.
Damage (% by weight)	3%	2%	3%
Sugared (% by weight)	10%	5%	10%
Mold Damage (% by weight)	3%	2%	3%
Maturity (% by weight)	70%	80%	70%
Foreign Matter (inc stones)	None	None	None
Moisture:	16% to 18% as contracted (determined by USDA moisture meter test)		
Natural Sugars (Reducing):	Approximately 65% to 72%		

Grades Available:

Selects: 800 – 1200 berry count per pound
 Note: Berry count will range from year to year

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Microbiological Parameters:

Standard Plate Count	< 100,000/gm. maximum
Aflatoxin	< 20 ppb – none detected
Ochratoxin	< 10 ppb
E.Coli	< 3/g mpn – none detected
Coliform	< 3/g mpn – none detected
Staphylococcus	< 3/g mpn – none detected
Salmonella	< 3/g mpn – none detected
Yeast	<10 ⁴ cfu/g
Mold	<10 ⁴ cfu/g

Special Processing Available (if applicable):

Oil Coating: Product Name: Sunflower Oil, High Oleic, Organic
Source: Organically certified Sunflower seed
Manufacturing: Expeller Pressed, organically bleached, deodorized, winterized

High oleic organic sunflower was developed through traditional methods of plant breeding and hybridization. This oil is oxidatively very stable and is considered equal to olive oil for table use. It is also highly recommended for many culinary applications (including high heat) and cosmetic applications.

Typical Analytical Data for High Oleic Organic Sunflower Oil:

Appearance:	Clear
Color (Lovibond):	≤10 Y, 1.5 R
Organoleptic:	Typical, Bland Oil
Free Fatty Acids (% of oleic):	≤0.1%
Iodine Value:	80 to 85
Peroxide Value Initial:	≤2.0
Manufactured by:	Spectrum Organic Products

Recommended Storage Conditions on Receipt:

Raisins must be stored away from potential sources of infestation and under “Controlled Cool Storage” conditions. A storage temperature of 40° F is recommended with the relative humidity not exceeding 60%.

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