



Minimum Quality Specifications:

HONEYCOT® brand apricots

cv's: Suapriseven, Suaprieight, Suaprine, Suapriten

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| SCOPE | These specifications apply to fresh apricot varieties (Suapriseven, Suaprieight, Suaprine, Suapriten and any other apricot designated by Sun World International, LLC as a HONEYCOT® series apricot). These apricots are marketed by Sun World and its licensees as HONEYCOT brand apricots. The purpose of these specifications is to define <i>minimum</i> requirements and tolerances. Sun World may amend these specifications to meet governmental and/or market requirements. |
| GENERAL | |
| DESCRIPTION | HONEYCOT apricots are large and firm, with bright orange background color. Most varieties feature an attractive red blush. The deep orange flesh ripens from the inside-out and is flavorful and juicy. |
| LABEL | The label must clearly identify the variety with the cultivar name (i.e. Suaprine, Suapriseven, etc) and include the HONEYCOT® brand. See below for a sample label. |
| APPLICATION | These minimum specifications apply to packed apricots at shipping point. |
| CHARACTERISTICS | HONEYCOT apricots shall meet or exceed European Union ("EU") Class 1, United States Department of Agriculture ("USDA") No. 1 standards, or the highest standards established for fresh apricots in the market where the apricots are to be sold to consumers. EU Marketing Standards for apricots can be found at: EU Apricot Standards . USDA Marketing Standards for apricots can be found at: USDA Apricot Standards . However, since it is Sun World's intent for all HONEYCOT production to achieve a higher quality standard than governmental standards, these Sun World Quality Specifications shall apply: |
| MATURITY | HONEYCOT apricots must be mature and well formed, but not soft, overripe or shriveled. At maturity, fruit should have deep orange flesh and skin color. For domestic use in the United States, minimum brix shall be 13%. For export from South Africa, minimum brix shall be 15%, and optimal brix should be 17%. |
| SIZE | For domestic use in the United States, minimum diameter of HONEYCOT apricots, when measured from the center of the apricot, perpendicular to the suture, shall be at least 45 mm and should be at least 55 mm. For export use from South Africa, minimum diameter when measured from the center of the apricot, perpendicular to the suture, shall be at least 40 mm. |
| CARTONS | HONEYCOT apricots must be packed in standard industry cartons. Apricots must not be packed in cartons which are damaged or which have illegible, indistinct or incorrect graphics or inaccurate labeling. All cartons must be well sealed and correctly marked as to size. |

SAMPLE HONEYCOT LABEL FOR SUAPRISEVEN APRICOTS

**"HONEYCOT[®] (cv. Suapriseven) brand apricots,
grown, distributed, and sold under license from
Sun World International, LLC"**

**HONEYCOT[®] is a trademark of Sun World International, LLC and
unauthorized use is an infringement of the trademark rights.**

**HONEYCOT[®] brand apricots (cv. Suapriseven) plants are the exclusive
personal property and trade secrets of Sun World International, LLC, in all
countries. Plant Patent/Plant Variety Protection exists in certain countries.
Asexual reproduction of the protected plant without license is prohibited.**