

SWEETCORN

Product Requirements			
Cleanliness	Free from dirt, dust, insect stains or other foreign substances.		
Shape	Typical of variety. Slight variation permitted.		
Maturity	Kernels to be tender, milky, full and tightly arranged.		
Grade Allowances	Tag 1	Tag 2	Tag 3
Husk colour	Bright green	Dull green accepted	Some browning accepted
Sizing (cob length)	<25% variation in any package	<50% variation in any package	Variation accepted
Seed formation	Fully formed, even colour to tip	Fully formed, even colour <25mm of tip	Fully formed to <40mm of tip
Tassles	Silky and yellow	Silky and yellow	May be dark, tassles deteriorating
Defect Allowances	Tag 1	Tag 2	Tag 3
Insect damage	Nil	<5% of cobs with slight internal damage accepted	<10% of cobs with some internal damage accepted
Overmaturity	Nil	<10%	<20%