

Item: **Green Beans, Seasoned (Type III)**

Document: **PCR-V-007, Vegetables, Packaged In A Polymeric Tray, Shelf Stable**

Approximate Caloric Value Per Serving: **90** Component Classification: **Secondary**

Estimated Shelf Life: **36 months at 80°F**

**Item Characteristics**

Appearance: Uniform canned green bean color. Not more than 10 percent by weight vary markedly from this typical color. Sauce opaque with bits of diced onions and red pepper uniformly distributed

Odor: Cooked green beans, seasoned in a mild sauce with a hint of onion and red pepper.

Flavor: Cooked green beans, seasoned in a mild sauce with a hint of onion and red pepper.

Texture: Tender to slightly firm. Sauce shall be smooth and moderately thick.

**Possible Deteriorative Changes**

Appearance: Overall darkened; washed out/excessively drab green color to the beans.

Odor: Sour, bitter.

Flavor: Sour, bitter; lack of onion and/or red pepper flavors.

Texture: Mushy beans; excessively thick or thin sauce.

**Unique Examination/Test Procedures**

NA

**Special Notes**

The Polytray item "Green Beans, Southern Style" has been changed as a result of the removal of the

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bacon bits.

The new nomenclature for this item is "Green Beans, seasoned."

The LSN for the Green beans, Seasoned shall remain the same.