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Item: **Peas (Type IV)**

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

Approximate Caloric Value Per Serving: **85** Component Classification: **Secondary**

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

Item Characteristics

Appearance: Canned shelled green peas in brine with a reasonably clear liquor. Peas practically uniform in color. Reasonably free of significant blemishes.

Odor: Cooked peas.

Flavor: Cooked peas.

Texture: Tender to slightly firm.

Possible Deteriorative Changes

Appearance: May darken, may appear wrinkled, and brine may be cloudy.

Odor: Excessively metallic or other objectionable odors.

Flavor: May become excessively metallic, stale, bitter or other objectionable flavors.

Texture: May become softer or mushy.

Unique Examination/Test Procedures

NA

Special Notes

NA