Product Formulation Statement (PFS) for Documenting Vegetables and Fruits

School Food Authorities (SFAs) should include a copy of the label from the purchased product package in addition to the following information on letterhead signed by an official company representative. Specific vegetable subgroups must be offered weekly and fruit must be served daily for the National School Lunch Program. For more detailed information on meal pattern requirements see the Nutrition Standards for School Meals Website at http://www.fns.usda.gov/cnd/Governance/Legislation/nutritionstandards.htm.

Product Name: Strawberry-Flavored Fruit Puree Del Monte Squeezable Fruit Tubes Code: 52231

Manufacturer: Del Monte Serving Size: 2.2 oz (1/4 cup fruit)

I. Vegetable Component

Please fill out the chart below to determine the creditable amount of vegetables.

Description of Creditable Ingredient per Food Buying Guide (FBG)	Vegetable Subgroup	Ounces per Raw Portion of Creditable Ingredient	Multiply	FBG Yield/ Purchase Unit	Creditable Amount[1] (quarter cups)
			X		
			X		
			X		
Total Creditable Vegetable Amount:					

- [1]FBG calculations for vegetables are in quarter cups. See chart on following page for quarter cup to cup conversions.
- Vegetables and vegetable purees credit on volume served.
- At least ⅛ cup of recognizable vegetable is required to contribute towards the vegetable component or a specific vegetable subgroup.
- The other vegetable subgroup may be met with any additional amounts from the dark green, red/orange, and beans/peas (legumes) vegetable subgroups.
- School food authorities may offer any vegetable subgroup to meet the total weekly requirement for the additional vegetable subgroup.
- Please note that raw leafy green vegetables credit as half the volume served in school meals (For example: 1 cup raw spinach credits as ½ cup dark green vegetable. Legumes may credit towards the vegetable component or the meat alternate component, but not as both in the same meal. The school menu planner will decide how to incorporate legumes into the school meal. However, a manufacturer should provide documentation to show how legumes contribute towards the vegetable component and the meat alternate component. See chart on the following page for conversion factors
- The PFS for meat/meat alternate may be used to document how legumes contribute towards the meat alternate component.

Total Cups Beans/Peas (Legumes)	
Total Cups Dark Green	
Total Cups Red/Orange	
Total Cups Starchy	
Total Cups Other	

I certify the above information is true and correct and that _____ ounce serving of the above product contains _____ cup(s) of _____ vegetables.

(vegetable subgroup)

II. Fruit Component

Please fill out the chart below to determine the creditable amount of fruits.

Description of Creditable Ingredient per Food Buying Guide (FBG)	Ounces per Raw Portion of Creditable Ingredient	Multiply	FBG Yield/ Purchase Unit	Creditable Amount[1] (quarter cups)
Please see attached signed declaration		X		
		X	→	1.0 ¼c
		X		
Total Creditable Fruit Amount:				

- [1]FBG calculations for fruits are in quarter cups. See chart below for quarter cup to cup conversions.
- Fruits and fruit purees credit on volume served.
- At least ⅛ cup of recognizable fruit is required to contribute towards the fruit component.
- Please note that dried fruits credit as double the volume served in school meals (For example, ½ cup raisins credits as1 cup fruit).

I certify the above information is true and correct and that 2.2 ounce serving of the above product contains 1/4 cup(s) of fruit.

Quarter Cup to Cup Conversions*

0.5 Quarter Cups vegetable = ⅛ Cup vegetable or 0.5 ounces of equivalent meat alternate

1.0 Quarter Cups vegetable = ¼ Cup vegetable or 1.0 ounce of equivalent meat alternate

1.5 Quarter Cups vegetable = ⅜ Cup vegetable or 1.5 ounces of equivalent meat alternate

2.0 Quarter Cups vegetable = ½ Cup vegetable or 2.0 ounces of equivalent meat alternate

2.5 Quarter Cups vegetable = ⅝ Cup vegetable or 2.5 ounces of equivalent meat alternate

3.0 Quarter Cups vegetable = ¾ Cup vegetable or 3.0 ounces of equivalent meat alternate

3.5 Quarter Cups vegetable =⅞ Cup vegetable or 3.5 ounces of equivalent meat alternate

4.0 Quarter Cups vegetable = 1 Cup vegetable or 4.0 ounces of equivalent meat alternate

*The result of 0.9999 equals ⅛ cup but a result of 1.0 equals ¼ cup

Signature

Director, Mktg
Title

Alexander Shapiro
Printed Name

11/19/14
Date

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Del Monte® Squeezable Fruit™ Tubes

Strawberry-Flavored Fruit Puree

Ship ID# 52231

2.2 oz Tube

In a 2.2 oz (62g) tube:

Fruit puree concentrate - 1.3oz

Fruit Juice concentrate - 0.09oz

Water – 0.79oz

Other - 0.02oz

Ingredients:

Pear Puree (Pear Puree Concentrate, Water), Pear Juice (Pear Juice Concentrate, water), Strawberry Puree (Strawberry Puree Concentrate, Water), Natural Flavor, Carmine, Ascorbic Acid, Malic Acid.

Nutrition Facts

Serving Size 1 tube (62g)
Servings Per Container see above

Amount Per Serving	
Calories 60	Calories from Fat 0
	% Daily Value*
Total Fat 0g	0%
Saturated Fat 0g	0%
Trans Fat 0g	
Cholesterol 0mg	0%
Sodium 0mg	0%
Potassium 105mg	3%
Total Carbohydrate 14g	5%
Dietary Fiber 2g	8%
Sugars 9g	
Protein 0g	

Vitamin A 0% • Vitamin C 100%

Calcium 2% • Iron 2%

*Percent Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie diet. Your daily values may be higher or lower depending on your calorie needs:

	Calories:	2,000	2,500
Total Fat	Less than	65g	80g
Saturated Fat	Less than	20g	25g
Cholesterol	Less than	300mg	300mg
Sodium	Less than	2,400mg	2,400mg
Potassium		3,500 mg	3,500 mg
Total Carbohydrate		300g	375g
Dietary Fiber		25g	30g

Calories per gram:
Fat 9 • Carbohydrate 4 • Protein 4

The above nutritional information was derived from the Genesis R&D Nutritional Database.

For Retail Sale: One 2.2 oz tube provides the equivalent of a ½ cup of fruit and juice based on the Mypyramid equivalency database and meets the criteria of the PBH More Matters program.

For Child Nutrition Programs: This product meets 1/4 cup of fruit per the USDA Food Buying Guide.

I certify that the above information is accurate and correct:

Sarah Ludmer, RD/LD
Manager, Nutrition Services and Communications

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SMART SNACKS
PRODUCT CALCULATOR

ALLIANCE FOR A HEALTHIER GENERATION

Smart Snacks Product Calculator Results

Brand:
Del Monte

Product Name:
Strawberry Flavored Fruit Puree Squeezable Tube

Serving Size:
62.00 g

First Ingredient:
Pear Puree

• Your fruit product meets all nutrient standards.

Nutrition Facts

Serving Size 62.00 g

Amount Per Serving

Calories 50

Calories from Fat 0

Total Fat (g) 0

Saturated Fat (g) 0

Trans Fat (g) 0

Sodium (mg) 0

Carbohydrates

Sugars (g) 9

Vitamin D (%) NA	Potassium (%) NA
Calcium (%) NA	Dietary Fiber (%) NA