

Formulation Statement for Documenting Grains in School Meals
Required Beginning SY 2013-2014
(Crediting Standards Based on Grams of Creditable Grains)

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. Grain products may be credited based on previous standards through SY 2012-2013. The new crediting standards for grains (as outlined in Policy Memorandum SP 30-2012) must be used beginning SY 2013-2014. SFAs have the option to choose the crediting method that best fits the specific needs of the menu planner.

Product Name: Food Service Whole Grain Enriched Code No.: 11147 WG Penne
11148 WG Spaghetti
11149 WG Rotini
11150 WG Elbow

Manufacturer: Barilla America, Inc. Case/Pack/Count/Portion/Size: 1 case/2 count /10 lbs. pack /56 g portion size

- I. Does the product meet the Whole Grain-Rich Criteria:** Yes No
(Refer to SP 30-2012 Grain Requirements for the National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast Program)
- II. Does the product contain non- creditable grains:** Yes No **How many grams:** ≤ 6.99 grams
(Products with more than 0.24 oz equivalent or 3.99 grams for Groups A-G or 6.99 grams for Group H of non-creditable grains may be credited using the amount of creditable grains only).


III. Use Policy Memorandum SP 30-2012 Grain Requirements for the National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast Program: Exhibit A to determine if the product fits into Groups A-G, Group H or Group I. *(Different methodologies are applied to calculate servings of grain component based on creditable grains. Groups A-G use the standard of 16grams creditable grain per oz eq; Group H uses the standard of 28 grams creditable grain per oz eq; and Group I is reported by volume or weight).*
Indicate which Exhibit A Group (A-I) the Product Belongs: H

Description of Creditable Grain Ingredient*	Portion Size**	Grams of Creditable Grain Ingredient per Portion ¹	Gram Standard of Creditable Grain per oz equivalent (16g or 28g)	Creditable Amount ²
Whole Grain Durum Wheat Flour		29.48 grams	28.00 grams	1.05
Enriched Semolina		26.59 grams	28.00 grams	0.95
	56.07 grams			
A. Total Creditable Amount³				2.0 oz. eq.

* Creditable grains are whole-grain meal/flour and enriched meal/flour.
 ** If known, use the raw dough weight for a more accurate creditable amount.
¹ (Portion size) X (% of creditable grain in formula).
² (Grams of creditable grains) ÷ (standard grams of creditable grains from corresponding Group of Exhibit A).
³ Total Creditable Amount must be rounded **down** to the nearest quarter (0.25) oz eq. Do **not** round up.

Total weight (per portion) of product as purchased 56.00 grams
 Total contribution of product (per portion) 2.0 oz. eq.

I certify that the above information is true and correct and that a 2 ounce portion of this product (ready for serving) provides 2 oz equivalent Grains. I further certify that non-creditable grains are not above 0.24 oz eq. per portion.


 Signature
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