



Food and Nutrition Service

**Product Formulation Statement for Documenting Meats/Meat Alternates (M/MA)
in Child Nutrition Programs**

Program operators 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.

Product Name: Sabra® Snackers Red Pepper Hummus & Pretzels

Code No.: 01196

Manufacturer: Sabra Dipping Company, LLC

Serving Size: 4.56 oz (129g)

I. Meats

Fill out the chart below to determine the creditable amount of Meats.

DESCRIPTION OF CREDITABLE MEAT INGREDIENT PER FOOD BUYING GUIDE (FBG)	OUNCES PER RAW PORTION OF CREDITABLE MEAT INGREDIENT A	MULTIPLY	FBG YIELD ¹ B	CREDITABLE AMOUNT A x B
		x		
		x		
		x		
C. Total Creditable Meats Amount ⁵				

¹ FBG yield = Additional Information column.

II. Meat Alternates

Fill out the chart below to determine the creditable amount of Meat Alternates.

DESCRIPTION OF CREDITABLE MEAT ALTERNATE INGREDIENT PER FOOD BUYING GUIDE (FBG)	OUNCES PER RAW PORTION OF CREDITABLE MEAT ALTERNATE INGREDIENT D	MULTIPLY	FBG YIELD ² E	DIVIDE	PURCHASE UNIT IN OUNCES F	CREDITABLE AMOUNT ² D x E ÷ F
Beans, Chickpeas, dry, whole	0.768	x	24.6	÷	16	1.1808
Sesame Seed Butter	0.3757	x	14.4	÷	16	0.33813
		x		÷		
G. Total Creditable Meat Alternates Amount ⁵						1.5

² FBG yield = Servings per Purchase Unit column.

III. Alternate Protein Products (APP)

Fill out the chart below to determine the creditable amount of APP. Documentation must be provided as described in Attachments A and B for each APP used.

DESCRIPTION OF APP, MANUFACTURER'S NAME, AND CODE NUMBER	OUNCES DRY PER APP PORTION H	MULTIPLY	% OF PROTEIN AS IS ³ I	DIVIDE ⁴	CREDITABLE AMOUNT APP H x I ÷ 18
		x		÷ 18	
		x		÷ 18	
		x		÷ 18	
J. Total Creditable APP Amount ⁵					
K. TOTAL CREDITABLE AMOUNT (C + G + J rounded down to nearest 0.25 oz) ⁵					

³ Attached documentation provides % of Protein As-Is.

⁴ 18 is the percent of protein when fully hydrated.

⁵ Total Creditable Amount must be rounded **down** to the nearest 0.25 oz (example: 1.49 rounds down to 1.25 oz equivalent meat/meat alternate). If crediting M/MA and APP, round down after adding the Total Creditable Amount for Meats, Meat Alternates, and APP in boxes C, G, and J.

Total weight (per portion) of product as purchased 129g

Total creditable amount of product (per portion). (Reminder: total creditable amount (per portion) cannot exceed the total weight (per portion).) 1.5 oz meat alternate

I certify that the above information is true and correct and that a 4.56 ounce serving of the above product (ready for serving) contains 1.5 ounces of equivalent meat/meat alternate when prepared according to directions.

I further certify that any APP used in the product conforms to the Food and Nutrition Service Regulations (7 CFR Parts 210, 220, 225, 226, Appendix A) as demonstrated by the attached supplier documentation.

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**Product Formulation Statement
for Documenting Vegetables and Fruits in the Child and Adult Care Food Program,
Summer Food Service Program, and NSLP Afterschool Snacks**

Program operators 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.

Product Name: Sabra® Snackers Red Pepper Hummus & Pretzels Code No.: 01196

Manufacturer: Sabra Dipping Company, LLC Serving Size: 4.56 oz (129g)

I. Vegetables Component

Fill out the chart below to determine the creditable amount of vegetables.

DESCRIPTION OF CREDITABLE INGREDIENT PER FOOD BUYING GUIDE (FBG)	OUNCES PER RAW PORTION OF CREDITABLE INGREDIENT A	MULTIPLY	FBG YIELD ¹ B	DIVIDE	PURCHASE UNIT IN OUNCES C	CREDITABLE AMOUNT ² (QUARTER CUPS) A x B ÷ C
Beans, Chickpeas, dry, whole	0.768	x	24.6	÷	16	1.1808
		x		÷		
		x		÷		
Total Creditable Vegetables Amount:						1

¹FBG yield = either Servings per Purchase Unit column or Additional Information column, as applicable.

²FBG calculations for vegetables are in quarter cups. See next page for Quarter Cup to Cup Conversions.

- Vegetables and vegetable purees credit on volume served. Tomato paste and puree credit as a calculated volume based on the yields in the FBG.
- At least 1/8 cup of recognizable vegetable is required to contribute toward the vegetables component.
- Pasta made from vegetable flour(s) may credit as a vegetable even if the pasta is not served with another recognizable vegetable.
- Raw leafy green vegetables credit as half the volume served in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (example: 1 cup raw spinach credits as 1/2 cup vegetable).
- Legumes may credit toward the vegetables component or the meat alternates component, but not as both in the same meal. The Program operator will decide how to incorporate legumes into the meal. However, a manufacturer should provide documentation to show how legumes contribute toward the vegetables component and the meat alternates component.
- The PFS for meats/meat alternates may be used to document how legumes contribute toward the meat alternates component.

I certify the above information is true and correct and that 4.56 ounce serving of the above product contains
1/4 cup(s) of vegetables.

II. Fruits Component

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 ¹	DIVIDE	PURCHASE UNIT IN OUNCES	CREDITABLE AMOUNT ² (QUARTER CUPS) A x B ÷ C
	A		B		C	
		x		÷		
		x		÷		
		x		÷		
Total Creditable Fruits Amount:						

¹FBG yield = either Servings per Purchase Unit column or Additional Information column, as applicable.

²FBG calculations for fruits are in quarter cups. See below for Quarter Cup to Cup Conversions.

- Fruits and fruit purees credit on volume served.
- At least 1/8 cup of recognizable fruits are required to contribute toward the fruits component.
- Dried fruits credit double the volume served in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (example: 1/2 cup raisins credits as 1 cup fruit).

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

Quarter Cup to Cup Conversions*

0.5 Quarter Cups = 1/8 Cup vegetable/fruit

1.0 Quarter Cups = 1/4 Cup vegetable/fruit

1.5 Quarter Cups = 3/8 Cup vegetable/fruit

2.0 Quarter Cups = 1/2 Cup vegetable/fruit

2.5 Quarter Cups = 5/8 Cup vegetable/fruit

3.0 Quarter Cups = 3/4 Cup vegetable/fruit

3.5 Quarter Cups = 7/8 Cup vegetable/fruit

4.0 Quarter Cups = 1 Cup vegetable/fruit

*The result of 0.9999 equals 1/8 cup
but a result of 1.0 equals 1/4 cup

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Product Formulation Statement for Documenting Grains
in Child Nutrition Programs

(Crediting Standards Based on Grams of Creditable Grains (ounce equivalent))

Program operators 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. Program operators have the option to choose the crediting method that fits their specific menu planning needs.

Product Name: Sabra® Snackers Red Pepper Hummus & Pretzels Code No.: 01196

Manufacturer: Sabra Dipping Company, LLC Serving Size: 4.56 oz (129g)
(raw dough weight may be used to calculate creditable grains)

I. Does the product meet the whole grain-rich criteria? Yes ☐ No ☒

II. Does the product contain non-creditable grains? Yes ☐ No ☒ How many grams?
(Products with more than 0.24 ounce equivalent (oz eq) or 3.99 grams (g) for Groups A-G or 6.99g for Groups H and I of non-creditable grains do not credit toward the grains requirement for school meals.)

III. Use Exhibit A: Grain Requirements for Child Nutrition Programs in the *Food Buying Guide for Child Nutrition Programs* (FBG) to determine if the product fits into Groups A-G (baked goods), Group H (cereal grains) or Group I (RTE breakfast cereals). (Different methodologies are applied to calculate the grains contribution based on creditable grains. Groups A-G use the standard of 16g creditable grains per oz eq; Groups H and I use the standard of 28g creditable grains per oz eq or volume.)

Indicate which Exhibit A Group (A-I) the product belongs: A

DESCRIPTION OF CREDITABLE GRAIN INGREDIENT*	GRAMS OF CREDITABLE GRAIN INGREDIENT PER PORTION ¹	GRAM STANDARD OF CREDITABLE GRAINS PER OZ EQ (16g or 28g) ²	CREDITABLE AMOUNT
	A	B	A ÷ B
Pretzels-Enriched Wheat Flour	35.44	16	2.215
Total			2.215
Total Creditable Amount ³			2.0

* Creditable grains vary by Program. See the FBG for specific Program requirements.

¹ (Serving size) X (% of creditable grains in formula); serving sizes other than grams must be converted to grams.

² Standard grams of creditable grains from the corresponding Group in 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 1.25 oz (35g)

Total contribution of product (per portion) 2.0 oz eq

I certify that the above information is true and correct and that a 1.25 ounce portion of this product (ready for serving) provides 2.0 oz eq grains. I further certify that non-creditable grains **are not** above 0.24 oz eq per portion. Products with more than 0.24 oz eq or 3.99g for Groups A-G or 6.99g for Groups H and I of non-creditable grains do not credit toward the grains requirement for school meals.

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