



READING PRODUCT DESCRIPTIONS

Understanding the Product Categories and Product Description will help you better understand the order inventory on the Partner Hub.

PRODUCT CATEGORIES	
PRODUCE	Anything in the fresh produce area
BAKERY	Breads, cakes, cookies, and products from the bakery area of the grocery store
MEAT	All meats, canned, frozen, or refrigerated
SNACKS	Candy, chips, crackers, snack bars, protein bars, granola, popcorn, pretzels, etc.
BEVERAGES	All beverages, water, coffee, juice, etc.
NON-FOOD	Everything non-food
DAIRY	Milk, cheese, creams, yogurt, etc.
GROCERY	Everything that does not fit any of the other departments

PRODUCT DESCRIPTIONS	
PACK SIZE	Items weight and number per case, given when available
RETAIL PACKAGING/LABELED FOR RETAIL SALES	Items are packaged for a family, labeled with ingredients, and like what you would see in the grocery store
NOT LABELED FOR RETAIL SALES	Does not contain a label with ingredients, has no label, may be labeled “not for retail”
LABELED FOR DISTRIBUTION	Item labeled by FMP for distribution
CAN BE LABELED	Item may be labeled by agency with the information found on the case
CAN BE DISTRIBUTED WITHOUT LABELS	Generally reserved for the produce area, bulk produce items can be distributed without labels
INDUSTRIAL SIZE	Items are the size for restaurant and cafeteria use
BULK PACKAGING	Items in the case are loose, may or may not be wrapped/packaged
BACKPACK FRIENDLY	Items are suitable for school backpack programs
UNIT COUNTS PER CASE WILL VARY	The case could contain various numbers or sizes of items, but the case weight is the same
FLAVORS/VARIETIES WILL VARY	There are a variety of flavors for this item number, we simply cannot list all the flavor possibilities
SINGLE SERVE	Items are packaged for single serve usage

Example:



DN700544 **Grocery** **Cereal Asst** **30/4oz bags**

(Item #) (product category) (product name) (pack size)

Labeled for distribution - Item labeled by FMP for distribution

Backpack friendly - Items are suitable for school backpack programs

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