

2010/11 Quality Specifications & Discounts

Moisture Limits

Maximum moisture limit for all varieties 22.0% Nil discount
 For each 0.1% above the maximum moisture \$1 per tonne discount to be applied.

These discount rates apply to the first forty (40) tonnes delivered for the variety from the farm. Discounts will double to \$2.00 per 0.1% above the maximum for subsequent deliveries (above 40 tonnes).

Excessive Trash

Up to 1.5% of Excessive Trash No discount to be applied
 For each 0.1% above 1.5% excessive Trash 20c per tonne

An indication of the trash level for each paddy load will be provided at the testing platform. However, trash will be assessed at the Quality Appraisal Centre from the farm appraisal retention samples.

Stackburnt Paddy

Declared Discount \$1.00 per 0.1% - No tolerance
 Undeclared Minimum discount of \$2.00 per 0.1% with actual payment based on commercial value of paddy

If contamination is detected at the Quality Appraisal Centre, the discount will be applied at time of the 2nd Payment.

QUALITY ASSESSMENT CONTAMINATION DISCOUNTS		
TYPE OF CONTAMINANT	DECLARED	UNDECLARED
1. GLASS	1 PIECE \$20.00 PER TONNE	1 PIECE \$100.00 PER TONNE
2. FOREIGN AG SEEDS FERTILISER STONES METAL BONES DEAD ANIMALS	\$5.00 PER TONNE FIRST 2 PIECES \$1.00 PER TONNE EACH PIECE THEREAFTER UP TO A MAXIMUM OF \$15.00 PER TONNE	\$7.00 PER TONNE FIRST 2 PIECES \$2.00 PER TONNE EACH PIECE THEREAFTER UP TO A MAXIMUM OF \$30.00 PER TONNE
3. BURRS MUD / MUDBALLS / DIRT STORED GRAIN INSECTS	\$1.00 PER TONNE FIRST 2 PIECES \$1.00 PER TONNE EACH PIECE THEREAFTER UP TO A MAXIMUM OF \$5.00 PER TONNE	\$3.00 PER TONNE FIRST 2 PIECES \$2.00 PER TONNE EACH PIECE THEREAFTER UP TO A MAXIMUM OF \$10.00 PER TONNE

These discounts will be applied if the above contaminants are detected at the testing platform, the intake pit or at the Quality Appraisal Centre.

If detected at the testing platform or the intake pit a composite sample will be sent to the QAC for analysis. Initially the grower will have their payment discounted by the rate for 2 pieces then the QAC will assess how many pieces were in the load and a further discount will be applied at the time of the second payment. If contaminants are detected, the type of contaminant will be marked on the receival docket.

Mixed Grain

Admixtures in excess of 2% will be discounted as follows:

Long Grain contaminated with medium / short grains
 Long Grain contaminated with fragrant
 Illabong contaminated with other grains
 Fragrant contaminated with medium / short grains
 Medium/Short Grain contaminated with Long Grain
 Medium/Short Grain contaminated with Fragrant
 Medium/Short Grain contaminated with Illabong
 Fragrant contaminated with Long Grain

Medium grain return - no appraisal
 Long Grain return - no appraisal
 Illabong return - no appraisal
 Medium grain return - no appraisal
 Medium grain return - no appraisal
 Medium grain return - no appraisal
 Illabong return - no appraisal
 Lowest premium – no appraisal