PLUM

Common Name : Aloo Bukhara English Name : Plum Botanical Name: Prunus domestica

Minimum Requirement:

Plums shall be-

- sound, intact, fresh, clean, of uniform size and same origin, variety with same degree of maturity and development characteristics to the variety.
- free from any visible foreign matter, foreign smell, abnormal external moisture, damage caused by pests.



Criteria for Range:

S.No	Tradable Parameters	Range-I	Range-II	Range-III
1	Quality	Superior	Very Good	Good
2	Colour, shape & Size (according to characteristic of the variety)	Uniform	Semi- Uniform	Reasonably Uniform
3	Defects allowed	1.Bananas shall be firmly attached to the stalk	 slight defects due to rubbing and other superficial defects not exceeding 2 sq.cm. of the total surface area. The defects must not affect the flesh of the fruit. 	 Defects in shape and colour provided the product remains the normal characteristics of bananas. skin defects due to scrapping, scabs, rubbing, blemishes or other causes not exceeding 4sq.cm. of the total surface area. The defects must not affect the flesh of the fruit
4	Range tolerances	5 % of fruits falling in range –'2'	10 % of fruits falling in range –'3'	Range tolerances : 15 % of fruits with minimum requirements

Sampling Plan: (Bags):

5% of the plums shall be randomly selected for sampling from the lot. The sample collected from each lot should be 5 nos. of plums and will be called as primary sample. All primary samples shall be mixed and will be called as Laboratory/Representative Sample. The size of the Laboratory/Representative sample should be at least 10 nos.