

GENERAL MILLS

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: <u>Cinnamon Toast Crunch™ Cereal Ba</u>	ar (2 OEG) Code No.: 16000-16854
Manufacturer: General Mills, Inc.	Serving Size 2.5 oz (70g) (raw dough weight may be used to calculate creditable grain amount)
I. Does the product meet the Whole Grain-Rich Crit	eria: Yes _X No
II. Does the product contain non-creditable grains: Y (Products with more than 0.24 ounce equivalent (oz eq) or 3.99 not credit toward the grains requirement for school meals.)	es_X_No How many grams: <3.99g grams (g) for Groups A-G or 6.99g for Groups H and I of non-creditable grains do
(FBG) to determine if the product fits into Groups A-G cereals). (Different methodologies are applied to calculate	tion Programs in the Food Buying Guide for Child Nutrition Programs (baked goods), Group H (cereal grains) or Group I (RTE breakfast te the grains contribution based on creditable grains. Groups A-G use H and I use the standard of 28g creditable grains per oz eq or volume.)
Indicate to which Exhibit A Group (A-I) the Pro	duct Belongs: D

DESCRIPTION OF CREDITABLE GRAIN INGREDIENT*	GRAMS OF CREDITABLE GRAIN INGREDIENT PER PORTION!	GRAM STANDARD OF CREDITABLE GRAINS PER OZ EQ (16g or 28g) ²	CREDITABLE AMOUNT
	A	В	Α÷Β
Whole Grain Oats	22g	16g	$22g \div 16g = 1.375$
Whole Wheat Flour	6.4	16g	$6.4g \div 16g = 0.4$
Brown Rice	2.3	16g	$2.3g \div 16g = 0.14375$
Whole Grain Corn	1.5	16g	$1.5g \div 16g = 0.09375$
		Total	2.0125
Total Creditable Amount ³			2.0

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

Total weight (per portion) of product as purchased 2.5 oz (70g)

Total contribution of product (per portion) 2.0 oz equivalent

I certify that the above information is true and correct and that a 2.5 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 withmore 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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^{&#}x27;(Serving size) X (% of creditable grains in formula); serving sizes other than grams must be converted to grams.

²Standard grams of creditable grains from the corresponding Group in Exhibit A.

³Total Creditable Amount must be rounded down to the nearest quarter (0.25) oz eq. Do not round up.