2026/27 Lentil Receival Standards

* Direct any queries regarding these Receival standards to the local CBH Quality Specialist
* Copies of the most up to date Receival standards can be downloaded from LoadNet®.

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NOTE: Not all grades are available at all sites **INFRATEC RESULTS**		**NIP1**	**NIP2**
Protein		No Limit	No Limit
Moisture Content (maximum %)		14.0	14.0
Purity (minimum %) Includes whole red lentils, defective red lentils and red lentil seed coats		97%	97%
FOREIGN SEEDS, UNMILLABLE MATERIAL & SMALL FOREIGN SEEDS WEIGHT **Wheat Screen: 2.00mm slots, shake until no more material passes through (use 2.2mm for Aldinga variety)**		**NIP1**	**NIP2**
Type 1 Seeds	Colocynth, Double Gee, Spiny Emex, Three Cornered Jack, Jute, New Zealand, Spinach, Field / Horned/ Long Head / Mexican / Wild Poppy	2	2
Type 2 Seeds	Castor Oil Plant, Coriander, Crow / Wild Garlic, Darling Pea, Opium Poppy, Peanut Seeds & Pods, Ragweed, Rattlepods, Starburr, St John's Wort	Nil	Nil
Type 3a Seeds	Bathurst Burr, Branched Broomrape, Bulls Head/Caltrop/Cats Heads, Cape Tulip, Cotton Seed, Dodder, Noogoora Burr, Thornapple	1	1
Type 3b Seeds	Vetch (Commercial/Tare)	1	1
Type 3c Seeds	Heliotrope (Blue/Common) Pods must be opened, and seeds counted	2	2
Type 4 Seeds	Bindweed (Field), Cutleaf Mignonette, Drake Seed, Hexham Scent/Melilot (King Island) (only acceptable if no tainting odour is present), Hoary Cress, Mintweed, Nightshades, Paddy Melon, Skeleton Weed, Variegated Thistle	5	5
Type 5 Seeds	Knapweed (Creeping/Russian), Pattersons Curse/Salvation Jane, Sesbania Pea	10	10
Type 6 Seeds	Clover, Columbus Grass, Johnson Grass, Lucerne (Pods), Marshmallow, Medic, Muskweed (Pods), Saffron Thistle, Sow Thistle Heads, Trefoil (Pods),Radish Pods	3	3
Type 7a Seeds	Lupins, Green Lentils, Field Peas, Chick Peas and any other pulses. Any other seeds or pods greater than 5mm diameter	5	5
Type 7b Seeds	Bindweed (Australian), Spear grass, Clover Burr, Carrot Weed, Wild Oats, Black Oats, Saia Oats, Ryegrass on Stalk, Turnip Weed Pods. Any other seed not specified	5	5
Type 7c Seeds	Safflower, Sunflower	1	1
Type 8 Seeds	Bellvine	50	50
Cereal Seeds	Barley, Corn, Durum, Oats, Rice, Cereal Rye, Sorghum, Triticale, Wheat	1	1
SMALL FOREIGN SEEDS WEIGHT - SFS Screen: 1.50mm slots		**NIP1**	**NIP2**
Small Foreign Seeds	Foreign seeds not specified in TYPES 1-8 or CEREAL SEEDS falling below the specified screen.	0.6%	0.6%
FOREIGN/UNMILLABLE MATERIAL		**NIP1**	**NIP2**
Foreign Material	Maximum Includes Unmillable material and all vegetable matter other than Red Lentil seed material as outlined below	3.0%	3.0%
of which Unmillable Material	Maximum Includes soil, stones, sclerotes and other non-vegetable material.	0.5%	0.5%
of which Sand	Maximum	0.3%	0.3%
Snails Live or Dead	Maximum Whole or substantially whole (more than half) including bodies per 200 gram sample.	1	1
Field Insects Dead	Maximum Includes Desiantha Weevil, Hairy Fungus Beetle, Pea Weevil (dead only), Sitona Weevil, Rutherglen bugs, ladybirds and wood bugs. Whole only.	7	7
Grasshoppers, Locusts Dead	Whole or parts thereof	1	1
Ryegrass Ergot	Length in cm	2cm	2cm
Gumnuts	(Count per 2kg). Whole or pieces of gumnut of any size and maturity level	1	1
DEFECTIVE, POOR COLOUR, CONTRASTING COLOUR & MOULD AFFECTED SEEDS			
Total Defective (% by weight) Auto Calculated		4.0%	8.0%
Of which Defective Pulse	broken, chipped or split kernels, insect damaged, orange tip, sappy or sprouted kernels. This includes pods that contain green lentils weather broken or unbroken and all lentil seed material that falls through the slotted 2.0mm wheat screen.	4.0%	8.0%
Of which Varietal Restriction	Red lentils not of the specified variety. This includes red lentils not of the specified variety	1.0%	1.0%
Of which Poor Colour Seed Coat	Discoloured Red Lentils have excessive discolouration of the seedcoat as per the GTA Visual Recognition Standards Guide. Includes any disease, frost, and water staining. Includes Fungal Affected e.g., Ascochyta	1.0%	3.0%
Of which Poor Colour Kernel	Discoloured Red Lentils have excessive discolouration of the kernel as per the GTA Visual Recognition Standards Guide. Includes any disease, frost and water staining, and green, brown, black, yellow, bleached, and chalky white kernels. Includes Fungal Affected (e.g., Ascochyta)	1.0%	1.0%
Contrasting Colour	**Not included in total defective** Maximum. Contrasting colour of the seed coat in the same variety. Not classified as defective.	1.0%	1.0%
Severely Damaged	**Not included in total defective** Mould, Burnt & Heat Damaged or Other Serious Visual Defects.	1	1