§ 993.9 Processed prunes.

_Processed prunes_ means prunes which have been cleaned, or treated with water or steam, by a handler.

§ 993.10 Standard prunes.

_Standard prunes_ means any lot of natural condition prunes meeting the applicable grade and size standards prescribed pursuant to §993.49 other than pursuant to §993.49(c).


§ 993.11 Standard processed prunes.

_Standard processed prunes_ means any lot of processed prunes meeting the applicable grade and size standards prescribed pursuant to §993.50.

§ 993.12 Substandard prunes.

_Substandard prunes_ means any lot of processed or natural condition prunes failing to meet the applicable grade and size standards prescribed pursuant to §§993.49 and 993.50 other than pursuant to §993.49(c).


§ 993.13 Handle.

(Handle means to receive, package, sell, consign, transport, or ship (except as a carrier of prunes owned by another person), or in any other way to place prunes in the current of the commerce within the area or from such area to any point outside thereof. Provided, that this term shall not include: (a) sales or deliveries of prunes by a producer or dehydrator to a producer, dehydrator, or handler within the area; (b) the receiving of prunes by a producer or dehydrator from a producer or dehydrator; and (c) receipts, sales, or shipments of prunes already handled by another person other than pursuant to §993.50(f).)

§ 993.14 Handler.

_Handler_ means any person who handles prunes.

§ 993.15 Dehydrator.

_Dehydrator_ means any person who produces prunes by drying or dehydrating plums by means of sun-drying or artificial heat.

§ 993.16 Producer.

_Producer_ means any person who is engaged, in a proprietary capacity, in growing plums for drying or dehydrating into prunes.

§ 993.17 Ton.

_Ton_ means a short ton of 2,000 pounds.

§ 993.18 Grade.

_Grade_ means the classification of prunes for quality and condition according to the grading specifications established pursuant to the provisions of this subpart.

§ 993.19a Size.

_Size_ means either (a) the number of prunes contained in a pound and may be referred to in terms of size ranges, or (b) the diameter of a round opening, expressed in multiples of one thirty-second of an inch, through which prunes pass freely.

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§ 993.19b Undersized prunes.

_Undersized prunes_ means prunes which pass freely through a round opening of a specified diameter.

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§ 993.20 Crop year.

_Crop year_ means the 12-month period beginning August 1 of any year and ending July 31 of the following year.

§ 993.21 Domestic.

_Domestic_ means the United States, Canal Zone, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, and Canada.

§ 993.21a Proper storage.

_Proper storage_ means storage of such character as will maintain prunes in the same condition as when received by a handler, except for normal and natural deterioration and shrinkage.

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§ 993.21b Trade demand.

(a) Domestic trade demand. The quantity of prunes which the commercial