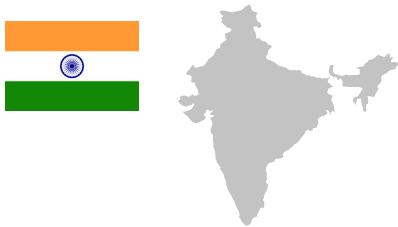




INDIAN BASMATI RICE METHODOLOGY GUIDE

Individual Commodity Definitions & Standard Terms

Indian Basmati Rice



Assessment Principles

Quality: Please see overleaf.

Variety:

Traditional White, Brown and Parboiled: HBC-19

Current crop. Weight, Quality, and Fumigation final at loading as per certificates issued by a First Class Superintendent Company.

Quantity: 50 MTS - 500 MTS +/- 5 % at seller's option.

Packing: In new single white woven polypropylene bags each of 50kg net shipped weight, with buyer's marks. Minimum tare weight of 110g. 2% empty bags to be loaded at seller's cost.

Basis: USD PMT net shipped weight FOB load port Mundra in 20' containers.

Shipment period: 15 - 45 days after publication date.

Payment: By confirmed irrevocable Letter of Credit payable at sight, opened by a prime international bank. Confirmation charges for buyer's account.

Documentation: Standard shipping documents.

Insurance: For buyer's account.

All other terms when not in contradiction with the above as per London Rice Brokers' Association Standard Contract Terms (September 1997), amended 1st November 2008. English law to apply.

INDIA - BASMATI RICE (FOB FCL)	FREQUENCY
Traditional White Basmati Rice 2%	W
Traditional Brown Basmati Rice 2%	W
Traditional Parboiled Milled Basmati Rice 2%	W
Pusa White Basmati Rice 2%	W
Pusa Brown Basmati Rice 2%	W
Pusa Parboiled Milled Basmati Rice 2%	W
1121 White Basmati Rice 2%	W
1121 Parboiled Milled Basmati Rice 2%	W

B = BENCHMARK

D = DAILY PRICE ASSESSMENT

W = WEEKLY PRICE ASSESSMENT



Indian Basmati Rice - Specification

Variety	Average pre-cook length (mm)	Min. L/B ratio	Max. moisture content (%)	Max. damaged	Max. chalky grain and black kernels (%)	Max. broken and fragments (%)	Max. foreign matter (%)	Max. other grains (%)	Max. other rice varieties (%)	Max. under milled and red striped (%)	Max. paddy grain (%)	Min. elongation ratio
Traditional White Basmati Rice 2%	7.4	3.5	14	0.5	3	2	0.1	0.1	5	2	0.1	1.7
Traditional Brown Basmati Rice 2%	7.4	3.5	14	0.5	3	2	0.2	0.1	5	2	0.2	1.7
Traditional Parboiled Milled Basmati Rice 2%	7.4	3.5	14	0.5	0.1	2	0.1	0.1	5	2	0.1	1.5
Pusa White Basmati Rice 2%	7.2	3.5	14	0.5	3	2	0.1	0.1	5	2	0.1	1.7
Pusa Brown Basmati Rice 2%	7.2	3.5	14	0.5	3	2	0.2	0.1	5	2	0.2	1.7
Pusa Parboiled Milled Basmati Rice 2%	7.2	3.5	14	0.5	0.1	2	0.1	0.1	5	2	0.1	1.5
1121 White Basmati Rice 2%	8.0	3.5	14	0.5	3	2	0.1	0.1	5	2	0.1	1.7
1121 Parboiled Milled Basmati Rice 2%	8.0	3.5	14	0.5	0.1	2	0.1	0.1	5	2	0.1	1.5