

## PARSNIP – WHOLE &amp; PORTIONS

**1. Product Description**

Fresh parsnip hand peeled.  
Portions will be a random weight. Halves and quarters depending on the parsnips shape and sizing.  
Product of Australia

**2. Physical Specifications**

The parsnip will be 40mm-60mm in diameter, length no shorter than 150mm. The parsnip will be clean and fresh with both the skin and flesh a creamy, white colour. The parsnips will not be yellowish or woody.

**3. Preservation Aids Used in Manufacture**

Product	Purpose	UN Number
metabisulphite solution no greater concentration than .025%	Vegetable sanitisation	

**4. Microbiological Standard**

Total Plate Count	<1,000,000/gm
E. Coli	< 3/gm
Coliform	< 1000/gm

**5. Storage Requirements/Shelf Life**

Ideal storage temperature is between 0°C→5°C this will have a shelf life of up to 6 days.  
Storage over 7°C is not recommended.

**6. Packaging**

**Standard**- 5kg & 10kg Poly Bags  
**Non Standard**- As negotiated between the Production Manager and the client.

**7. Labelling/Identification**

Customer product will be labelled and or identified with the following information unless otherwise specified by the individual customer.

Customer Name	Weight
Product	Address of Barker Boys
Date Packed	Recommended Storage Temperature (for maximum life)
Use by or Best Before Date	Product of Australia
	This product contains preservative 223

**8. Delivery**

**Temperature** Refrigerated Transport  
**Standard** Adelaide metro area between 4.00am-8.30am times to be arranged at the commencement of ordering.  
**Non Standard** As negotiated between Barker Boy Processing and the client.

**9. Customer Specification**

As negotiated between Barker Boy Processing and the client.

**10. Consumer Group**

General population or as indicated by customer specification. Assumed to be cooked.