

Table 3. Cashew Pieces - Size Descriptions

Grade	Name	Passing through Sieve Number	Retained on Sieve Number
LWP, SP, SPS, LP, DP, P1, P2, P3	Large Pieces	Tyler No. 2.5 (USA No. 5/16) NMT 50%	Tyler No. 0.25 (USA No. 1/4) opening = 6.3 mm
SWP, SSP, DSP, SP1, SP2, SP3	Small Pieces	Tyler No. 0.25 (USA No. 1/4) opening = 6.3 mm	Tyler No. 7 (USA No. 7) opening = 2.80 mm
CHIPS, or SSP1, SSP2, SSP3	Chips, Or Special Small Pieces	Tyler No. 7 (USA No. 7) opening = 2.80 mm	Tyler No. 8 (USA No. 8) opening = 2.36 mm
BB or G1, G2, G3	Grains, Granules, Or Baby Bits	Tyler No. 8 (USA No. 8) opening = 2.36 mm	Tyler No. 10 (USA No. 12) opening = 1.70 mm
X	Fine Grains	Tyler No. 10 (USA No. 12) opening = 1.70 mm	Tyler No. 14 (USA No. 16) opening = 1.18 mm
FE	Fines	Tyler No. 14 (USA No. 16) opening = 1.18	N/A
P1M, P2M, P3M	Mixed Pieces	Pass through 6.3 mm Sieve	Retained on a 4.75 mm Sieve

TOLERANCE (B) For lower grade pieces - 5.0% with not more than 1.0% from the next lower grade size. Further, the grades SWP/SP1, SSP1/Chips, G1/BB, and X must also be reasonably uniform in appearance, that is, with not more than 5.0% from the grade size above.

NB. The grade SSP as used above is a Brazilian grade designation for special small pieces, not to be confused with the Indian grade SSP, “small scorched pieces.”