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Vendor News Flash

Discontinuation of Select PLUs on APL

Effective January 1, 2023, Texas WIC will discontinue the use of select Price Look Up (PLU) codes on the Approved Product List (APL). These PLU codes do not align with USDA Federal Regulations for reasons including but not limited to: dried fruits/vegetables, inedible items, or non-specific classification from International Federation for Produce Standards (IFPS). Regular and organic versions of the listed PLU will be discontinued.

If you have mapped an item to one of these PLU codes, you will need to change to a different PLU prior to January 1, 2023. A list of other approved PLU codes can be found on our website at [WIC Authorized Product List](#).

PLUs ending on 1/1/2023:

4 Digit PLU	Full 17-digits	TX APL Description (may differ from IFPS)	Reason for Removal
3046	10000000000030465	DATES - FRESH	IFPS variety includes Frozen
3133	10000000000031332	PUMPKIN - WHITE	Not Edible
4219	10000000000042192	APRICOTS - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4232	10000000000042321	FRESH BANANA	IFPS variety is Leaves/Not Edible
4237	10000000000042376	BANANAS - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4238	10000000000042383	BANANAS - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4259	10000000000042598	CHERRIES - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4262	10000000000042628	COCONUTS - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4269	10000000000042697	FIGS - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4301	10000000000043014	KIWIFRUIT - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4313	10000000000043137	MANGO - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4314	10000000000043144	MANGO - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4315	10000000000043151	MANGO - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4316	10000000000043168	MANGO - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4396	10000000000043960	PAPAYA/PAWPAW - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4404	10000000000044042	PEACHES - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product

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4405	10000000000044059	PEACHES - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4433	10000000000044332	PINEAPPLE - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4476	10000000000044769	FRESH GRAPES RED	Defined as Other Fruits - Ambiguous
4481	10000000000044813	FRESH GRAPES RED	Defined as Other Fruits - Ambiguous
4483	10000000000044837	PEACHES	Defined as Other Fruits - Ambiguous
4488	10000000000044882	PASTRANAS NOPALITOS REFRIG 1 LB	Defined as Other Fruits - Ambiguous
4500	10000000000045001	FRESH RADISH	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4501	10000000000045018	FRESH CABBAGE	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4502	10000000000045025	OTHER VEGETABLE - POTATOES RETAILER ASSIGNED	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4506	10000000000045063	FRESH PEPPERS CAPISCUMS	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4510	10000000000045100	FRESH MELON HONEYDEW	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4513	10000000000045131	FRESH CHARD ORGANIC	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4535	10000000000045353	BEANS - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4610	10000000000046107	GARLIC	Typically a "dried" product
4611	10000000000046114	GARLIC	Typically a "dried" product
4653	10000000000046534	MUSHROOMS - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4654	10000000000046541	MUSHROOMS - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4710	10000000000047104	PEPPERS (CAPSICUMS) - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4711	10000000000047111	PEPPERS (CAPSICUMS) - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4712	10000000000047128	PEPPERS (CAPSICUMS) - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4713	10000000000047135	PEPPERS (CAPSICUMS) - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4714	10000000000047142	PEPPERS (CAPSICUMS) - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4715	10000000000047159	PEPPERS (CAPSICUMS) - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product

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4716	10000000000047166	PEPPERS (CAPSICUMS) - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4717	10000000000047173	PEPPERS (CAPSICUMS) - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4718	10000000000047180	PEPPERS (CAPSICUMS) - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4719	10000000000047197	PEPPERS (CAPSICUMS) - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4720	10000000000047203	PEPPERS (CAPSICUMS) - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4721	10000000000047210	PEPPERS (CAPSICUMS) - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4722	10000000000047227	PEPPERS (CAPSICUMS) - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4734	10000000000047340	PUMPKIN - MINI	Not Edible
4806	10000000000048064	TOMATOES - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4807	10000000000048071	TOMATOES - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4808	10000000000048088	TOMATOES - RETAILER ASSIGNED	Typically a "dried" product
4820	10000000000048200	YAMS FANCY	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4825	10000000000048255	FRESH BROCCOLI	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4828	10000000000048286	FRESH PUMPKIN	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4829	10000000000048293	NOPAL CON/ESPINA CACTUS	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4831	10000000000048316	FRESH CACTUS NOPALES	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4837	10000000000048378	FRESH MALANGA	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4839	10000000000048392	FRESH MALANGA	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4845	10000000000048453	FRESH SQUASH SUMMER HARD	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4850	10000000000048507	FRESH GOLDEN DELICIOUS APPLE	Defined as Other Vegetable - Ambiguous
4950	10000000000049504	PEARS	Defined as Other Nuts - Ambiguous

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