

U.S. NUTRITION LABELING FOR SERVINGS PER CONTAINER

Comparison: Original vs. New 2016 Rules

Package size relative to Reference Amount Customarily Consumed (RACC)	Original	New 2016
150% or Less	Single serving	Single serving
More than 150% but less than 200%:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If RACC is less than 100g/100mL 	Single serving	Single serving Dual column display optional
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If RACC is 100g/100mL or larger 	1 or 2 servings Manufacturer's discretion	Single serving Dual column display optional
200% to 300%	1 or more servings Manufacturer's discretion	Per serving & per package Dual column display mandatory*
More than 300%	Multiple servings	Multiple servings

* This provision does not apply to:

- products in small packages that meet the requirement to use a tabular or linear format
- raw fruits, vegetables and seafood when voluntary nutrition labeling is provided
- products sold in bulk or by weight
- products that provide an additional column of nutrition information (e.g., kits, "as packaged" and "as prepared")

Note

This document is intended as a broad overview. Consult applicable references for additional caveats.

References

Original Rules: U.S. Code of Federal Regulations, 21 CFR 101.9

New 2016 Rules: Federal Register May 27, 2016, pp. 33741-34047