

## **Formulation Statement**

for Documenting Creditable Grains and Meat/Meat Alternate (M/MA) in School Meals

Product Name: Reduced Fat Macaroni & Cheese in Trays

Code Number:860-TRAYManufacturer:Rose & ShoreServing Size:8.00 ounces

**Packaging:** 45 - 8 ounce trays per case

## **GRAINS**

1. Does the product meet the Whole Grain-Rich criteria? YES

2. Does the product contain non-creditable grains? YES

3. Exhibit A Group: H

Description of Creditable Grain Amount	Grams of Creditable Grain Ingredient per Portion	Gram Standard of Creditable Grain per oz or equiv	Creditable Amount
Whole Wheat Durum Flour	31.30	28	1.11
Enriched Semolina	24.45	28	0.87
Enriched Durum Flour	3.06	28	0.10
Total Creditable Amount			2.08

## **MEAT/MEAT ALTERNATE**

Description of Creditable Ingredients per Food Buyer's Guide	Ounces per Raw Portion of Creditable Ingredient	FGB Yield/ Servings per Unit	Creditable Amount
Cheese, Blended American	1.67	16/16	1.67
Cheddar Cheese	0.33	16/16	0.33
Total Creditable M/MA Amou	2.00		

Total Weight (per portion) of the product as purchased: 8.00 ounces

Total grain contribution of the product (per portion): 2.00 oz equivalent Total M/MA contribution of the product (per portion): 2.00 oz equivalent

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I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct and that an 8.00 ounce serving of the above product (ready for serving) provides 2.00 ounces equivalent grains and contains 2.00 ounces of equivalent meat/meat alternate when prepared according to directions. I further certify that non-creditable grains are not above .24 ounce equivalent per portion. Products with more than .24 ounce equivalent or 3.99 grams for Groups A - G or 6.99 grams for Group H of non-creditable grains may not credit towards the grain requirements for school meals.

EFFECTIVE: JUL 1, 2016

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