

Idaho Pea Certification Standards (rev. 3/17/2015)

Land Requirements:

A field, to be eligible for the production of foundation, registered and/or certified peas shall not have been planted to peas for five (5) years for foundation and two (2) years for registered and certified classes unless the previous crop was under certification and of the same variety and class.

Isolation Requirements:

The unit of certification shall be a field, or a portion of a field separated from the remainder by a definite boundary not in peas at least five (5) feet wide.

Field Standards:

Factor	Maximum permitted in each class		
	Foundation	Registered	Certified
Other Crops (inseparable)	None	0.05%	0.10%
Other Varieties*	None	0.05%	0.10%

* Other varieties shall be considered to include off-type plants and plants that can be differentiated from the variety that is being inspected.

Seed Standards:

Factor	Standards for each class		
	Foundation White Tag	Registered Purple Tag	Certified Blue Tag
Pure Seed (Min.)	98.0%	98.0%	98.0%
Other Crop Seeds (Max.)	0.05%	0.25%	0.20%
Inert Matter (Max.)	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%
Weed Seed (Max.)	0.10%	.10%	0.25%
Noxious Weeds ¹	None	None	None
Objectionable Weeds ²	None	None	None

Germination (Min.)	85.0%	85.0%	85.0%
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¹Noxious Weeds - See Prohibited Noxious Seed List

²Blue Flowering Lettuce, Buckhorn, Halogeton, Medusa Head Rye, Perennial Ragweed, Povertyweed.