

মালামালের কারিগরি বিনির্দেশ (ডিপি-৫)  
**ASC SPECIFICATION NO 147 A**  
**RICE PAIJAM (ATTAP)**

1. **Quality.** The Rice will be medium quality. It shall be well hauled, lightly milled and unpolished. The rice shall be of current season's crop and shall be sound, dry, clean and whole some and of good cooking quality. Rice damaged by insects, moulds, other infections and foreign paddy and other impurities shall not exceed the proportions as indicated below:

2. **Moisture Content.** The percentage of moisture shall not exceed:

a.	During Monsoon Period	-	15%
b.	During Non-Monsoon Period	-	13%

3. **Fitness.** No of full healthy grains for each 5 gm of rice shall not be less than..... 400. The admixture of impurity and tolerance basis for the variety will be as under:

a.	<b>Full Healthy Grains.</b>	-	75%
	(1) Admixture of Other Varieties	-	10%
b.	<b>Broken Grains.</b>		
	(1) Over $\frac{1}{4}$ and below $\frac{3}{4}$	-	11%
	(2) $\frac{1}{4}$ and below	-	04%
c.	<b>Red Grains.</b>	-	02%
d.	Paddy and other foreign matter including rice powder (Koorā of Nakoo)	-	01%
e.	Damaged, Chalky, Discoloured shriveled, half hulled grains	-	02%

4. **Special Note.**

- Broken grains above  $\frac{3}{4}$  will be count as full grains.
- The allowance of the items within the bracket are mutually adjustable (Provided broken grains below  $\frac{1}{4}$  do not exceed 4.0%) but not with any other terms not so bracketed.
- Deliveries of rice containing fractions in excess of the free allowances within reasonable limits laid down above may be accepted after making deduction as given below:
  - Excess percentage in 3 a (1) will be paid at three quarter of the contracted price.
  - Excess percentage in 3 b (1) will be at half of the contracted price and 3 b (2) will not be paid at all.
  - Excess percentage in 3 c, 3d & 3e will be paid at one fourth of the Contracted price.

5. **Packing Instructions.** The rice shall be packed in new non-returnable Twill jute trade bags (Size 38" x 24" Tare 750 gm (+50 gm)/plastic bag with inner polythene lining or polypropylene wove bags (size 38" x 22" Tare 100 gm (+5 gm) with polythene lining. The mouth of the bags shall be rolled over and stitched with strong 5 ply jute twine/the mouth of plastic bag to be well machine stitched with 10 cm free space to be kept. Each bags shall contain 50 kg net of rice.

6. **Marking.** The bags shall be stencilled on one side as follows:

- Rice Paijam (Atap) (in 3 inches characters).
- Net weight.
- Gross weight.
- Date of packing/Milling.
- Name of supplier.

7. **Inspection.**

a. All consignments of rice shall be inspected by an officer acting on behalf of the DST before despatch. The decesion of the above mentioned officer shall be the final.

b. **Moisture Content.** The percentage of moisture shall not exceed during inspections as follow:

During Monsoon Period .....	15 %
During Non-monsoon Period .....	13%