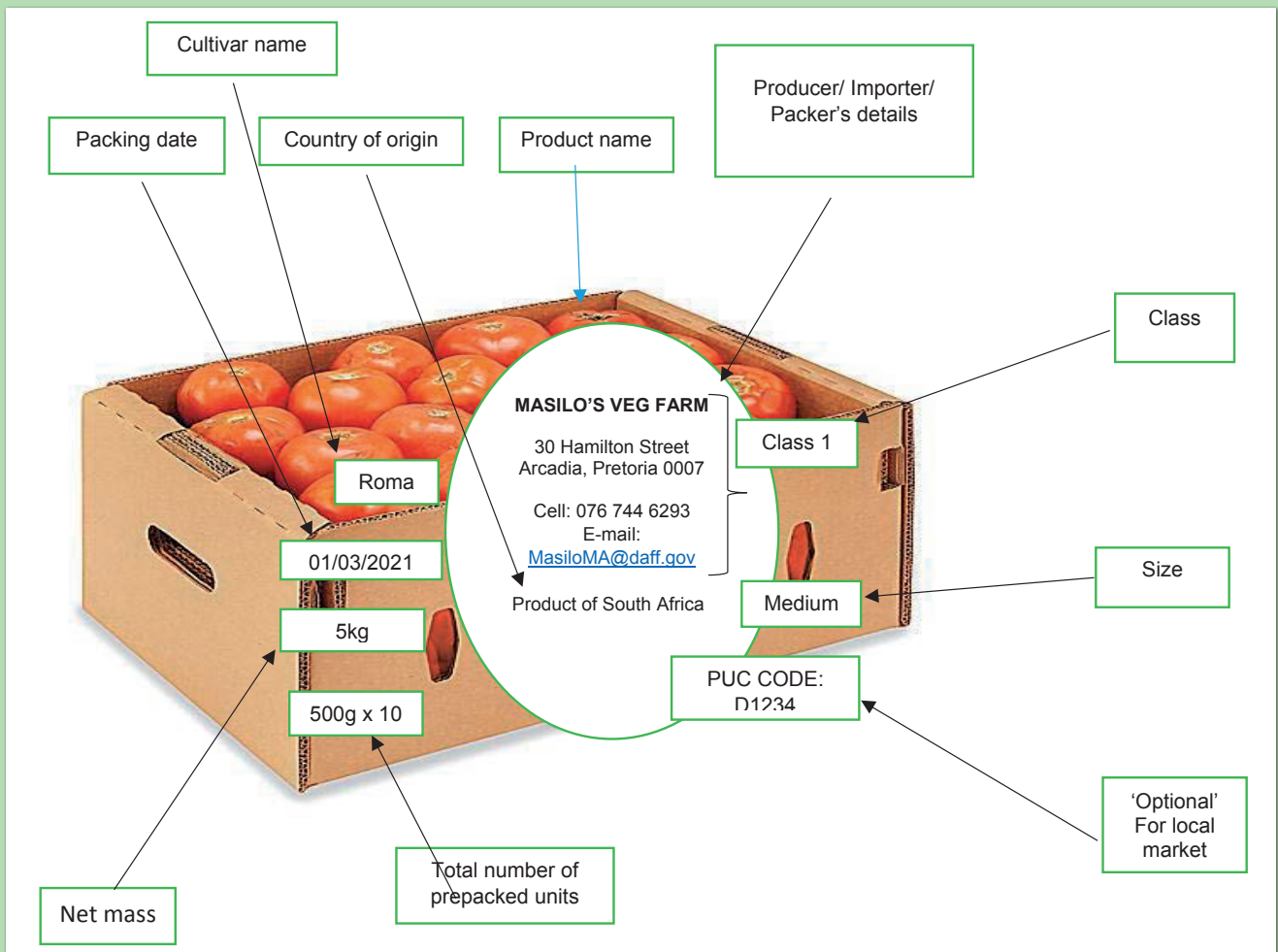


MARKING REQUIREMENTS RELATING TO GRADING, PACKING AND MARKING OF TOMATOES INTENDED FOR SALE IN THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

Background

The trade of tomatoes in South Africa is regulated in terms of the Agricultural Product Standards Act, 1990 (Act No. 119 of 1990), Regulation No. R.750 of October 2014. Compliance with the requirements of the relevant regulations is quite instrumental to enhance traceability and market access of tomatoes.

A marked vegetable box:



In South Africa tomatoes are regulated in terms of the Agricultural Product Standards Act, 1990 (Act No. 119 of 1990) of Department of Agriculture Land and Rural Development, Legal Metrology Act, 1973(Act No 77 of 1973) of the Department of trade industry and competition. Please remember to adhere to the applicable code of hygiene practices.

For letter sizes, classes and other compliance aspects please download a complete regulation:

<http://www.dalrrd.gov.za/daffweb3/Branches/Agricultural-Production-Health-Food-Safety/Food-Safety-Quality-Assurance/Local-and-Import-Regulations/Vegetables-Local>

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