

## Farm Service Agency, USDA

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CROSS REFERENCE: For official grain standards of the United States, see chapter VIII, part 810 of this title.

### DEFINITIONS

#### § 736.1 Meaning of words.

Words used in this part in the singular form shall be deemed to import the plural, and vice versa, as the case may demand.

#### § 736.2 Terms defined.

For the purposes of this part, unless the context otherwise requires, the following terms shall be construed, respectively, to mean:

(a) *The act*. The United States Warehouse Act, approved August 11, 1916 (39 Stat. 486; 7 U.S.C. 241–273), as amended.

(b) *Person*. An individual, corporation, partnership, or two or more persons having a joint or common interest.

(c) *Department*. The United States Department of Agriculture.

(d) *Secretary*. The Secretary of Agriculture of the United States or any officer or employee of the Department to whom authority has heretofore been delegated, or to whom authority may hereafter be delegated, to act in his stead.

(e) *Designated representative*. The Administrator.

(f) *Administrator*. The Administrator of the Service or any other officer or employee to whom authority has heretofore lawfully been delegated, or may hereafter lawfully be delegated, to act in his stead.

(g) *Service*. The Farm Service Agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

(h) *Regulations*. Rules and regulations made under the act by the Secretary.

(i) *Dockage*. Dockage in grain as defined by the official grain standards of the United States.

(j) *Grain*. All products commonly classed as grain such as wheat, corn, oats, barley, rye, flaxseed, rough, brown, and milled rice, sunflower seeds, field peas, soybeans, emmer, sorghum, safflower seed, triticale, millet and such other products as are ordinarily stored in grain warehouses, subject to the disapproval of the Administrator.

(k) *Nonstorage grain*. Grain received temporarily into a warehouse for conditioning, transferring, assembling for shipment, or lots of grain moving through a warehouse for current merchandising or milling use, against which no receipts are issued and no storage charges assessed: *Provided*, That merchandising or milling stocks held in storage as reserve stocks, or stored for use at an indefinite future date, may not be treated as nonstorage grain.