

Product:	<b>Cutting Board</b>		
Scope:	Cutting board constructed by common materials such as wood, bamboo, plastics, or similar materials.	Protocol No.	TYCP-02004-NA
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**NB: Where there is no applicable US or CN standard, Intertek has chosen the most relevant International standards to assess the product safety and performance. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.**

Attribute	Citation	Requirement / Limit	Result
<b>Supplemental Protocols</b>			
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*†CA Prop 65 (mandatory in state California)	Intertek Protocol	Consent Judgment of related court cases based on California Proposition 65.	
*†Children's Products Supplemental (Required if the product is graded as a children product)	Refer to TYCP-00004-US	Shall comply with all requirements in TYCP-00004-US.	
*†CPSIA Supplemental	Refer to TYCP-00001-US	Shall comply with all requirements in TYCP-00001-US.	
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*†Children's Products Supplemental (Required if the product is graded as a children product)	Refer to TYCP-00004-CN	Shall comply with all applicable requirements.	
<i>Note: Additional cost, sample size &amp; TAT may be required if testing to one or more supplemental protocols is necessary. Please refer to the above referenced supplemental protocol(s) for additional information.</i>			
<b>Chemical Analysis</b>			
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*Lead Content of Paints or Similar Surface Coating	16 CFR 1303 (Scope widened)	Shall not contain Lead or Lead compounds in which the Lead content is in excess of 0.009% (90ppm) by weight of the total content.	
*†Food Contact materials – Plastics and Polymeric Coatings which may have contact with food	21 CFR 175 - 177	Shall provide test report or suitable certificate with declaration letter confirming that the plastic material used with food contact meet the FDA requirements as stated in CFR. The correct CFR section reference will be dependent on the identity of the polymer or other material. (Document is valid for 1 year) Actual test will be required with additional charge if the above documents cannot be provided.	
*†Wood Food Contact Limitation	FDA Food Code 2005 4-101.17	Except as specified in the food code, wood and wood wicker may not be used as a food contact surface. Hard maple or an equivalently hard, close-grained wood may be used for cutting boards, utensils, salad bowls, etc. Oak and hickory are also considered hard, however, pine is not. Documentation shall be provided.	
*†Wood Wax / Polish / Preservatives	21 CFR 178.3800	All ingredients must be generally recognized as safe (GRAS) or listed in 21 CFR as a food additive ingredient, including 21 CFR 178.3800 for wood preservatives. If any preservatives were used during the manufacturing and/or handling of finished product, a guarantee letter shall be provided confirming that they comply with the appropriate sections of 21 CFR.	

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*†Toxic Elements in Packaging Components	TPCH	Shall comply with TPCH in those states with legislation. Total concentration of Pb, Cd, Hg and hexavalent Cr ≤ 100ppm.	
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*Total Lead in Surface Coating	Canada Consumer Product Safety Act, Surface Coating Materials Regulations (Scope widened)	Shall not exceed 0.009% (90ppm) total lead.	
*Food-Contact Plastics	Division 23 Food and Drug Regulations Health Canada	Shall comply with the requirements. Vendors shall provide test reports or suitable certificates with declaration letters confirming that the plastic materials used with food contact meet specific Health Canada requirements as stated in Division 23 or are among the acceptable polymers listed by Health Canada. Instead, pending individual client's approval, vendors can submit passing reports meeting FDA requirements stated in 21 CFR 175, 177 & 180.22 per plastic type. <b>(Document is valid for 1 year.)</b> Actual test will be required with additional charge if the above documents cannot be provided.	
*Wood Food Contact Limitation	FDA Food Code 2005 4-101.17	Hard maple or an equivalently hard, close-grained wood may be used for cutting boards, utensils, salad bowls, etc. Oak and hickory are also considered hard, however, pine is not. Documentation shall be provided.	
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<b>Physical Characteristic</b>			
Overall Dimensions	ITS-M0059	Report overall dimensions; shall meet label claims (if applicable).	
Weight	ITS-M0059	Report overall weight; shall meet label claims (if applicable).	
<b>Construction &amp; Workmanship</b>			
Sharp Points / Edges	16 CFR 1500.48 / 1500.49 (Modified)	Shall have no sharp points/edges, other than those required for function.	
Defects	Visual Check	Free from splinters, loose knots, crack or crevices.	
Workmanship	Visual Check	Shall have no components missing, malformed, and / or fractured.	
Type Of Material	Visual Check	As claimed	
<b>Performance Test</b>			
Functionality	ITS-M0061	Shall function as intended as received	

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Surface Durability (Chopping)	ITS-M0061	Must not chip or crack in normal-use testing with cleaver type knife (chopping 100 cycles under moderate pressure).  Note : Setup a test panel of 3 engineers to rate the surface durability of the cutting board using different test food. Record the test food used.	
Surface Durability (Slicing)	ITS-M0061	Must not chip or crack in normal-use testing with sharp bladed knife (slicing 100 cycles under moderate pressure).  Note : Setup a test panel of 3 engineers to rate the surface durability of the cutting board using different test food. Record the test food used.	
Drop Test (For non-fragile items)	ITS-M0053	Shall withstand 4 drops at different orientations from 3 feet onto vinyl-tiled concrete floor without failure.	
Stain Resistance	ITS-M0014	Shall resist permanent staining - Apply Ketchup, Mastard and Cooking oil on the surface, let stand for 2 hours. Subject to 1 cycle of hot dishwasher afterwards. (If claimed not dishwasher safe, soak 30 minutes in hot, soapy water and then rinse with tap water)	
*Hook Attachment Strength (If applicable)	ITS-M0028	Shall withstand a pull force equals to 2 times the product weight along the major axis.	
*Dishwasher Safe	ITS-M0001	10 cycles of normal wash with domestic detergent - No color change nor adverse effects.	
*Handwash Safe (For items having the equivalent claims such as "Handwash only" OR "Not dishwasher safe")	ITS-M0003	Shall be no adverse effect after 10 handwash cycles using domestic detergent rubbed with damp cloth gently with warm water (140°F/ 60°C), followed by a rinse of tap water.	
*Moisture Content (Wood / bamboo only)	ITS-M0054 (Oven Dry Method)	Shall be between 8-12%.	
*Resistance to Corrosion (For accessible metal components)	ASTM B117 (Modified)	Shall withstand 24 hours in 1% salt spray (fog) with no major corrosion or visual change. (Modification = 1% salt spray (fog))	
*Transit Testing (By request only)	ISTA Procedure as Appropriate to Package	Packaged product shall be tested to applicable ISTA procedure and method, based on package configuration. Inspect package and product for damage upon completion of test. Report results.	
<b>Labelling</b>			
Parts Labeling	ITS-M0060	Shall match the actual content if present.	
Use Labeling	ITS-M0060	Use/care instructions that are clear and understandable shall be provided in language appropriate to destination countries.	
Instructions	ITS-M0060	Shall include assembly, use, maintenance, and safety information as required with no errors or spelling mistakes.	
Verify Label claims	Actual Use	Must comply with all claims.	
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One Time Use Products	F.P. & L. Act (16 CFR 500)	Manufacturer, packer, or distributor's name & address (city, state & zip)	
†Fair Packaging and	OR	Product Identification	

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Labeling Act OR All Other Products †Uniform Packaging and Labeling Regulations	NIST Uniform Laws and Regulations Handbook 130	Net quantity of contents shall be expressed in terms of weight or mass, measure, numerical count, or combination so as to give accurate information to facilitate consumer comparison (U.S. and metric units).											
†Country of Origin Marking	19 CFR 134.11	Shall indicate country of origin legibly, permanently, and in comparable size and close proximity to any mention of country other than country in which the article was manufactured or produced. Must be visible at point of purchase.											
†Plastic Bag Warning Statement (If applicable)	Visual Check / Requirements Based on Various State Laws	<p>If plastic bags with a thickness less than 1 mil and an opening size <math>\geq 5"</math> in diameter are present, the following warning statement shall be printed in a prominent place on each bag in English and appeared on both sides:</p> <p><b>WARNING: Keep this bag away from babies and children. Do not use in cribs, beds, carriages or playpens. The thin film may cling to nose and mouth and prevent breathing. This bag is not a toy.</b></p> <p>If the total length and width is <math>&gt; 40"</math>, the warning shall be repeated in 20-inch intervals. The font size shall adhere to:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Total Length and Width of Bag</th> <th>Font</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>60 inches or more</td> <td>at least 24 point</td> </tr> <tr> <td>40 inches to less than 60 inches</td> <td>at least 18 point</td> </tr> <tr> <td>25 inches to less than 40 inches</td> <td>at least 14 point</td> </tr> <tr> <td>less than 25 inches</td> <td>at least 10 point</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Total Length and Width of Bag	Font	60 inches or more	at least 24 point	40 inches to less than 60 inches	at least 18 point	25 inches to less than 40 inches	at least 14 point	less than 25 inches	at least 10 point	
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†Pre-packaged Product	Consumer Packaging and Labelling Act, R.S. 1985, c. C-38 and Regulations, C.R.C., c. 417	<p>The net quantity declaration shall present on Principal Display Panel (PDP) in English and French, metric units.</p> <p>The numerical quantity shall be bold type with letter height based on the size of Principle Display Surface (X):</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Size of Principle Display Surface</th> <th>Minimum letter height</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td><math>X \leq 32 \text{ cm}^2 (5 \text{ in}^2)</math></td> <td>1.6 mm (1/16 in)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>32 \text{ cm}^2 &lt; X \leq 258 \text{ cm}^2 (40 \text{ in}^2)</math></td> <td>3.2 mm (1/8 in)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>258 \text{ cm}^2 &lt; X \leq 645 \text{ cm}^2 (100 \text{ in}^2)</math></td> <td>6.4 mm (1/4 in)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>645 \text{ cm}^2 &lt; X \leq 25.8 \text{ dm}^2 (400 \text{ in}^2)</math></td> <td>9.5 mm (3/8 in)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>25.8 \text{ dm}^2 (400 \text{ in}^2) &lt; X</math></td> <td>12.7 mm (1/2 in)</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>All other information in the net quantity declaration (i.e. units of measurement statements, abbreviations, symbols, etc.) shall be shown in minimum 1.6 mm letter height.</p> <p>Product identification shall be shown on Principal Display Panel (PDP) in English and French, minimum 1.6 mm letter height.</p>	Size of Principle Display Surface	Minimum letter height	$X \leq 32 \text{ cm}^2 (5 \text{ in}^2)$	1.6 mm (1/16 in)	$32 \text{ cm}^2 < X \leq 258 \text{ cm}^2 (40 \text{ in}^2)$	3.2 mm (1/8 in)	$258 \text{ cm}^2 < X \leq 645 \text{ cm}^2 (100 \text{ in}^2)$	6.4 mm (1/4 in)	$645 \text{ cm}^2 < X \leq 25.8 \text{ dm}^2 (400 \text{ in}^2)$	9.5 mm (3/8 in)	$25.8 \text{ dm}^2 (400 \text{ in}^2) < X$	12.7 mm (1/2 in)	
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		Dealer's name and principal place of business (address) shall be shown on any part of label except bottom, English or French, minimum 1.6 mm letter height. For imported goods, the name and address of the dealer outside Canada or the name and address of Canadian dealers shall be preceded by "imported by" ( <i>"importé par"</i> ) or "imported for" ( <i>"importé pour"</i> ), unless a statement of geographic origin is located immediately adjacent to the name and address of a Canadian dealer, and shown with letter height at least as large as those used in the declaration of the Canadian dealer's principal place of business.	
The Language of Inscription (mandatory in Quebec)	The Charter of French Language, Title I, Chapter VII, Clause 51 & Regulations adopted under the Charter of French Language	Every inscription on the following shall be drafted in French, - product - product container or wrapping - document or object supplied with it (e.g. directions for use, warranty certificates) No inscription in another language may be given greater prominence than that in French. For exceptions, check the following webpage:- <a href="http://www.olf.gouv.qc.ca/english/regulations/reg_business.html#div1">http://www.olf.gouv.qc.ca/english/regulations/reg_business.html#div1</a>	
†Country of Origin	Customs Tariff, Marking of Imported Goods Regulations, SOR/94-10	The country of origin marking of Non-NAFTA imported goods shall be present in English or French.	

**Remark:** Additional tests may be incurred subject to the final samples reviewed by Intertek.

**Key:** \*: Additional charge items †: Mandatory Requirement

**Testing Charge & Sample Size & Turnaround Time**

<b>Basic Package Price (Listed Price)</b>	USD 200 (in which USD 97 is not discountable) for one market; Additional USD 23 for both markets	
<b>Sample Size for basic package</b>	3 pieces (additional samples may be required for tests with additional charge)	
<b>Turnaround time</b>	7 working days	
<b>Additional charge (Subject to client discount)</b>		
	<b>Additional sample size</b>	
a. CA Prop 65	On Quote	Subject to actual sample
b. Children's Products Supplemental - US	Refer to TYCP-00004-US	Refer to TYCP-00004-US
c. CPSIA Supplemental	Refer to TYCP-00001-US	Refer to TYCP-00001-US
d. Children's Products Supplemental - CN	Refer to TYCP-00004-CN	Refer to TYCP-00004-CN
e. Lead Content of Paints or Similar Surface Coating (US)	USD 31 per coating	0.5 grams of coating on finished product
f. Food Contact Materials - Plastic ( 21 CFR 175 &177)	On Quote	Subject to actual sample
g. FDA Food Code - Wood Food Contact Limitation	On Quote	Subject to actual sample
h. Wood Wax Polish preservatives ( 21 CFR 178.3800)	On Quote	Subject to actual sample
i. Toxic Elements in Packaging Components	USD 54 per result	0.5 grams per material

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j. Total Lead in Surface Coating (CN)	USD 31 per coating	0.5 grams of coating on finished product
k. Food-Contact Plastics	On Quote	Subject to actual sample
l. Wood Food Contact Limitation	On Quote	Subject to actual sample
m. Wood Wax / Polish	On Quote	Subject to actual sample
n. Hook Attachment Strength	USD 23 per result (NET)	1 piece
o. Dishwasher Safe	USD 95 per result	1 piece
p. Handwash Safe	USD 101 per result	1 piece
q. Moisture Content	USD 37 per result	1 piece
r. Resistance to Corrosion	USD 54 per result	2 pieces
s. Transit Testing	ISTA 1A: USD 179 ISTA 1B: USD 231	1 full carton with products

**Remark:**

Price information is for reference only and based on our Hong Kong laboratory pricing.  
Please check with local laboratories to confirm exact pricing for your region.

**Revision History**

Issue No.	Revision date	Changes	Prepared by	Approved by
1.0	05 Oct 2012	Initial release	Mondy Tung	Taylor (Emily) on 08 Jan 2013