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• MONOGRAPH NO.: 1C6  
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ITEM: PORK SAUSAGE IN GRAVY (PSG)

NSN: 8940 01 470 3204 Polymeric Tray ITEM SPECIFICATION: PCR P 014  
8940 01 470 3244 Tray Pack Can ITEM SPECIFICATION: PCR P 013

CHARACTERISTICS OF ITEM:

APPEARANCE: moderately thick cream gravy; light tan/gray cream gravy;  
light brown/tan pork; moist pork; specks of spice; glossy surface

ODOR: breakfast pork sausage spice

FLAVOR: peppery aftertaste; breakfast sausage spice; moderately salty;  
cream gravy

TEXTURE: moderately thick and smooth gravy; medium grind sausage; moist  
ground pork; grainy chew down of pork

ESTIMATED SHELF-LIFE AT: 80 DEGREES F: 36 months  
100 DEGREES F: 6 months

POSSIBLE DETERIORATIVE CHANGES:

Appearance: darkening/graying of gravy; oiling out; stringiness of  
gravy; thickening or thinning of gravy

Odor: metallic; loss of odor; thermally processed odor; sour

Flavor: metallic; loss of spice flavor; sourness; thermally processed  
flavor

Texture: thinning or thickening of gravy; drier crumbly pork; lumpy or  
stringy gravy

UNIQUE EXAMINATION/TEST PROCEDURES: