

# Pacific AgPak

PACIFIC AGRICULTURAL PACKAGING





*“Do not follow where the path may lead.  
Go instead where there is no path and  
leave a trail” - Muriel Strode.*

For Pacific AgPak this is realized through our vision of the entire produce industry. By listening to the needs of the marketplace we have, from the beginning, worked toward providing the best in packaging possibilities.

Who knew that from chipboard and domes and plastic pints we would be here today with a complete line of agricultural packaging? Pacific AgPak did—because we listened.

Listening to our customers led us to be the first to improve clamshell features and secure product by developing our button-lock system. Listening to the marketplace led us to invent the 4 pound clamshell. To assist growers and shippers we produced the first ever “Clamshell Packaging Manual”. Today we are again the pioneers in our development of the Modular Clamshell Line.

So when you look for a source of knowledge in packaging—follow the trail blazed by Pacific AgPak.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Mickey Crumpton".

Mickey Crumpton  
*President*

# Developing the Foundations

## A Timeline of Pacific AgPak History

- 1992** Pacific AgPak opens  
With **2 Staff Members**  
Products offered: **Chipboard and Domes**
- 1993** Transition to **Pacific AgPak Clamshells** begins
- 1994** **1 Pound Clamshell** becomes the first Shining Star in a new series
- 1995** Oxnard Office opens
- 1996** Launch of **2 Pound Clamshell**
- 1997** Clamshell line is complete:  
**1 Pound, 2 Pound, Pint** and **1/2 Pint**—or is it...?
- 2000** Pacific AgPak offers the **Button-Lock** Clamshells, now offering even better protection
- 2001** Pacific AgPak pioneers the now widely used **4 Pound Clamshell**
- 2002** Once again—Pacific AgPak is the first to launch **Modular Clamshells**—They fit in both Common Footprint and RPC: the **1 Pound, 2 Pound, Pint** and **1/2 Pint** exclusively from Pacific AgPak  
Staff Growth—10 Members Strong
- 2003** New innovations already on the way...





## ***Imagination Leads to Invention***

The development of a superior product that advances an industry starts with strong imagination, thorough development, and Pacific AgPak expertise.

The first step is to identify the specific needs of our customers to provide the best protection for shipping product. We then create a sketch of the new clamshell, work in the best placement of ventilation, move to blueprints and finally to prototypes. From there the hands-on development and research begins.

Strong relationships with top growers and shippers, heads of the retail chains, and industry support leaders have been the key to success in producing new and innovative packaging options for the entire agricultural industry.

Every clamshell is considered a unique challenge. Through the imagination of the Pacific AgPak staff new clamshells have been developed and produced every year since 1992.

# Standard Clamshell Line

*The Road to Success*



## 1/2 Pint (6 Ounce)

Units per tray: 12

Code: 5050-175



## Pint - Strawberry Clamshell

Units per tray: 12

Code: 8744



## Pint (12 Ounce)

Units per tray: 12

Code: 8744



## 1 Pound Clamshell

Units per tray: 8

Code: 9606



## 2 Pound Clamshell

Units per tray: 4

Code: 8971



## 4 Pound Clamshell

Units per full tray: 2

Units per half tray: 1

Code: 9540

# The Original 4 Pound Clamshell

Pacific AgPak blazed the trail to lead an entire industry to offer food service, club stores, and retail chains a clamshell that would offer maximum protection for the already popular 1/2 crate and full crate. With superior ventilation, clearer recyclable plastic, and button-locks, products could now ship in bulk with less bruising and tampering providing longer shelf life.

The Original – Pioneered by Pacific AgPak

Units per full tray: 2  
Units per half tray: 1  
Code: 9540



## New Modular Program for the Grape Industry

Once again, new ground is broken with the development of Modular Clamshell Packaging for grapes. The 2 Pound **Retail Pack** better displays any variety of grape with the attractive, clean, and compact design. They pack 75 boxes per pallet in 15 layers so you can get 600 clamshells per pallet. The **Club Pack** is a strong 4 Pound clamshell option for larger volume sales, while still packing 75 boxes per pallet in 15 layers with 300 clamshells per pallet. Both are made to fit in the Common Footprint or RPC.

The Best in Clamshell Options...2 Sizes That Fit in the Same Tray!

The New 4 lb



The New 2 lb



### 1 Pound Clamshell

Units per tray: 8  
Code: 9805



### 2 Pound Clamshell

Units per tray: 4  
Code: 9806



### Pint Clamshell

Units per tray: 12  
Code: 9611



### 1/2 Pint Clamshell

Units per full tray: 24  
Units per half tray: 12  
Code: 9610

# Modular Clamshells

*Leading the Way*



**2 Pound Grape**

Units per tray: 8

Code: 9603





## ***Products Packed for Protection***

### ***In the Field***

Providing packaging for various commodities can prove a challenge. What a strawberry needs to make it from the field to the store shelves can be drastically different from grapes or tomatoes.

Pacific AgPak works with growers to provide detailed programs that are custom fit for their needs. We offer an extensive range of sizes and shapes and all clamshells are shipped ready to use. Each program is comprehensive – that is, we make it easier for you by supplying accessories such as bubble pads, soaker pads, custom labels, UPC labels, and more.



# Quick Reference

## Clamshell Codes

### MODULAR CLAMSHELLS

1 Pound 9805

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2 Pound 9806

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Pint 9611

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1/2 Pint 9610

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### MODULAR GRAPE CLAMSHELLS

2 Pound Grape 9603

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4 Pound Grape 9604

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### STANDARD CLAMSHELLS

6 Ounce 5050-175V

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8 Ounce or  
12 Ounce Bushberry 8744

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10 Ounce 5070-175V

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1 Pound 9606

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2 Pound 8971

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4 Pound 9540

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