



PROCUREMENT

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Dear Sir or Madam:

At Gordon Food Service, we procure products from both domestic and international sources. This activity is influenced by various supply and demand factors, seasonality within our markets, and other importation challenges. Though we purchase from both of these sources, the large majority of our purchases are items produced in the United States of America.

Including our entire scope of products, approximately 91% of our cases purchased and 89% of purchase dollars were of products made domestically. Our international buy consists largely of non-food items (e.g., disposable gloves, some tableware).

If you have any questions or concerns, please advise.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Brad Reynolds
The Product Management Team
Gordon Food Service