



**GRADE** - No US Grades Given

**PACK** - 4 lb.

**ORIGIN** - US Mexico

**AVAILABILITY** - Year Round

**ETHYLENE PRODUCE** - No

**ETHYLENE SENSITIVE** - Yes

**STORAGE ZONE** - C

#### **RECEIVING**

Good quality Baby Spinach should have a solid, deep green color without any black spots or yellow discoloration. The leaves should be tender yet crisp and healthy. Baby Spinach will typically have less than 1" of stem which is fully edible.

#### **AVOID / REJECT**

Avoid Baby Spinach that appears wilted, yellowing or if the majority of the product has stems exceeding 1" in length.

#### **STORAGE / HANDLING**

Baby Spinach is highly perishable and is best stored in the coldest part of the cooler, the ideal storage temperature is 32-36 degrees F. Spinach is highly susceptible to dehydration, avoid uncovered storage in the drafts. Spinach is ethylene sensitive which may cause yellowing; avoid storage near ethylene producing items.

#### **OTHER**