

# SETHNESS PRODUCTS COMPANY

## LOT CODING SYSTEM FOR POWDERED CARAMEL COLOR

The Powdered Caramel Color Lot coding system consists of the lot code, box number, manufacturing (MFG) date, and pack code as illustrated by the following:

**LOT 6806067A**  
**BOX 216**  
**MFG DATE 03-08-16**

A. The Lot Code and Pack Code is designated by eight, 3/4-inch high, characters.

680 = Product  
6 = Year  
067 = Day  
A = Pack

**Product:** The first three digits are the product designation, i.e., Sethness AP680.

**Year:** The 4<sup>th</sup> digit represents the year; 5 for 2015, 6 for 2016, 7 for 2017, 8 for 2018, etc.

**Day:** The next three numbers designate the day of the year (Julian Date) the Powdered Caramel Color was manufactured, 067 is the 67<sup>th</sup> day of 2016, March 8<sup>th</sup>.

**Pack:** The last digit is a letter that is an internal Sethness designation of the net package weight or special packaging, i.e., the A is a 50-pound net weight box.

B. The Box Number consists of one to four numerical digits indicating the sequential position of the carton relative to other cartons in the lot.

C. The MFG Date is the date the Powdered Caramel Color was manufactured in format mm-dd-yy, where mm is the month, dd is the day, and yy is the year, unless printed otherwise by special request.

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