

## Frequently-Asked-Questions ADVANTAGE AND DISADVANTAGE BETWEEN TETRA-PACKED AND CANNED COCONUT MILK

### HOW CAN I CHOOSE THE RIGHT PACKAGING FOR COCONUT MILK?

If this is the first time you are buying the coconut milk/cream, you should know these two major categories of packaging as shown in the table below. After studying the below table, you will be ready to pick up the most suitable one for your coconut milk.

	<b>Tetra-packed</b>	<b>Canned</b>
<b>Material</b>	Paper with aluminum liner	<b>Tin-plated steel sheet</b>
<b>Crushproof</b>	Less (Possibly break when dropped)	<b>More (Only dent when dropped)</b>
<b>Process required</b>	UHT Sterilization (Process retention time is approx. 22 seconds. Higher fat content product may be too difficult to process.)	<b>Retort Sterilization (Process retention time is approx 60 minutes. Therefore, the commercial sterile condition is achieved, no matter how high the fat content is.)</b>
<b>Shelf life</b>	Shorter (Approx 6-8 months)	<b>Longer (Minimum of 2 years)</b>
<b>Price</b>	<b>Lower cost</b>	Higher cost

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