

Guidelines for Evaluating Canned Food Containers

Discard Cans With:

Severe dents on side seam	1		5	Leaks
Sharp dents parallel to rim	2		6	Bulges or puffed ends
Sharp dents in the sides that prevent stacking	3		7	Ends that give or flip and bulge on the other end when pushed
Buckled or pinched tops and bottoms	4		8	Severe dents on the rim, seams or bent rims

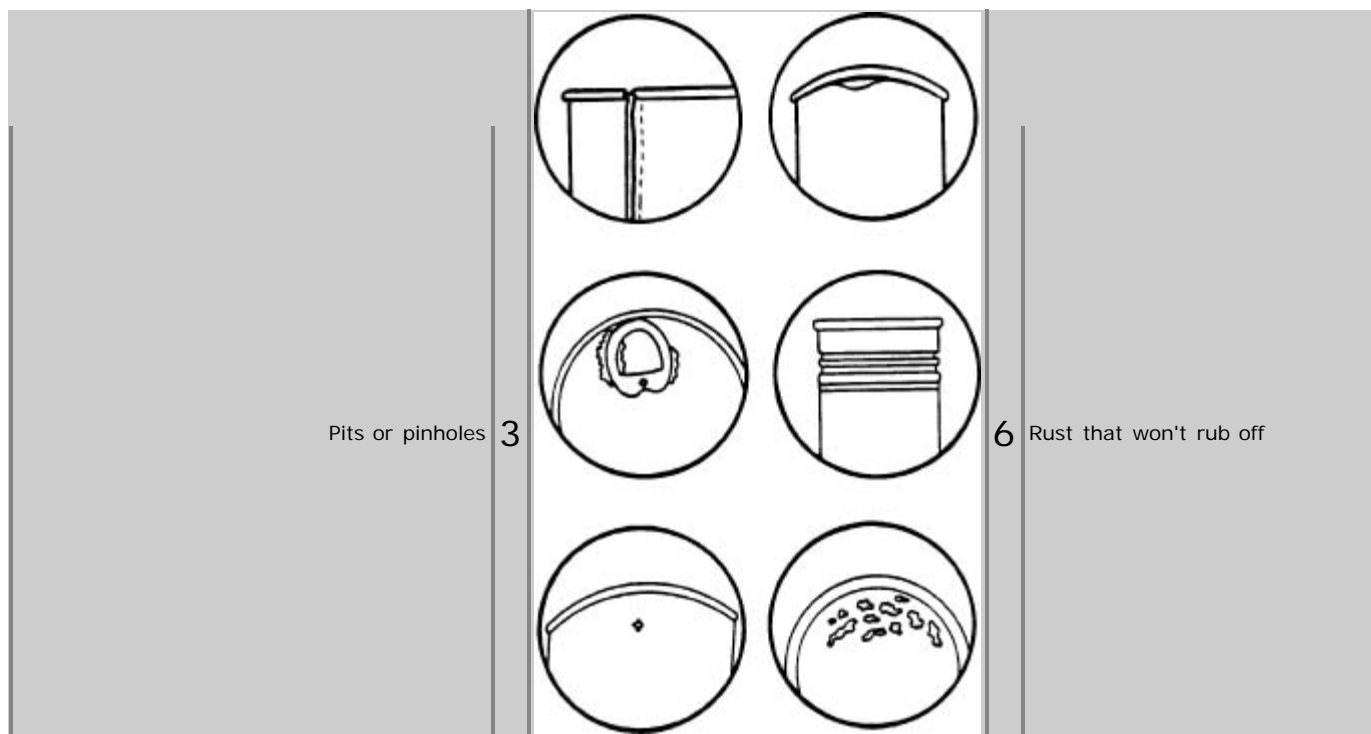
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Side seam incomplete "blown out" or miswelded	1		4	Cuts or misformed rims and loose tops
Dirt under pull tab	2		5	No label



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