

Simplot Food Group Customer Specification

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SKU: 10071179199021 Simplot Simple Goodness™ Golden Delicious Sliced Apples 20lb

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Product Description:

Description

The IQF sliced apples shall be procesed and packed from properly ripened fruit that has been washed, mechanically peeled, trimmed, cored, cut to the desired size, and individually quick frozen. The apples shall be processed in accordance with Good Manufacturing Practices, meet U.S. Standards and USDA Grade A specifications with the additions and modifications listed below.

Product Name

SIMPLOT SIMPLE GOODNESS™ GOLDEN DELICIOUS SLICED APPLES

Ingredient Statement

APPLES (TREATED WITH ASCORBIC ACID, CITRIC ACID, SALT AND CALCIUM CHLORIDE TO INHIBIT OXIDATION AND BROWNING).

Prep Instructions:

Instruction	Method Type	Time	Temperature	Instructions Text
Food Safety Statement				KEEP FROZEN UNTIL READY TO USE. IF THAWED, DO NOT REFREEZE.
Unprinted Prep Option 3	Thaw and Serve			THAW AND SERVE.

Compliance:

Complies with	Allergens(Known to Contain)	Intolerances(Known to Contain)
Corn Free, Derived from BE, GMO Free, Lacto- Ovo Vegetarian, Low fat, Low sodium, Sulfite Free, Vegan		

Packaging Requirements:

Attribute	Attribute Description
Container Condition	Container(s) must be well-sealed. Staples, metal clips, plastic ties, or twist ties are not acceptable. Corrugated box with food grade colored polyethylene liner. Pack and ship on well-maintained number one pallets with slip sheet between cases and pallet wood.
Metal Detection	Product will pass through a functional metal detector with a positive rejection device.
Shelf-life	24 months @ 0°F

Day Code:

Attribute	Attribute Description
Day Code	PPP MMM DD YY LL HH:MM (Military time)

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Foreign Material Requirements:

Attribute	Attribute Description
Foreign Material	The product shall be free of all foreign material.

Physical Requirements:

Attribute	Attribute Description	Limits	Method
Defects: USDA Grade A	The product shall be practically free from defects. Carpel (seed cell) 5/8 sq. inch per pound maximum. Damage (peel, bruise, calyx, oxidations, browning, seeds and stems) shall not exceed 4% maximum by weight. Serious damage (bitter pit, insect damage, and inedible) shall not exceed 1% maximum by weight.	Min: 17 USDA Score Points	USDA
Size: USDA Grade A	The product shall be practically uniform in size with a target heel width of 1/2" - 3/4" and a target slice length of 1-1/2" - 3" with less than 10% broken pieces by weight at time of production.	Min: 17 USDA Score Points	USDA
Frozen Product Temperature		Max: 10 °F Target: 0 °F Min: -10 °F	
Color: USDA Grade A	The apples shall have a practically uniform bright yellow color typical of the variety.	Min: 17 USDA Score Points	USDA
Flavor/Odor	The product shall have a good characteristic flavor and odor with no objectionable flavors or odors.		
Character/Texture: USDA Grade A	The product shall be mature, well developed and practically intact with no more than 3% by weight being markedly hard, soft, or mushy.	Min: 34 USDA Score Points	USDA

Microbiological Requirements:

Attribute	Attribute Description	M USL	UOM	Method
Aerobic Plate Count		100,000	cfu/g	AOAC/BAM
Coliform Count		100	cfu/g	AOAC/BAM
E. coli		< 10	cfu/g	AOAC/BAM
Staphylococcus aureus		< 10	cfu/g	AOAC/BAM
Mold/Yeast		5,000	cfu/g	AOAC/BAM

Quality Control Programs:

J.R. Simplot Company and its suppliers maintain quality control programs that meet the quality standards contained in this product specification. Supplier quality control systems are subject to approval by the J.R. Simplot Company Q.A. department prior to the purchase of any products and/or ingredients. Such programs require at least minimal sampling rates subject to approval by Simplot Q.A. Department. Suppliers to the J.R. Simplot Company shall maintain Q.C. records on file. Suppliers agree to allow J.R. Simplot Q.A. Department the right to conduct inspection of the facilities to insure that specifications are being followed during production runs. An effective and proven "trace and recall" program with documented material tracking program from supply through packaging and shipping must be in place. An established contact list must be available in case of emergency recall.

Packaging Attributes:

Attribute	Value
Units Per Case	1 Units
Case Net Weight	20 lb
Case Gross Weight	21 lb

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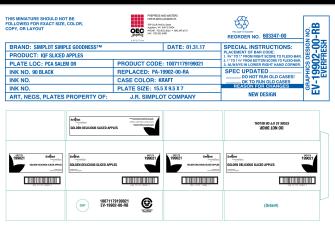
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Case Specification

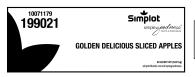
Attribute	Value
Inside Length	15.5 in
Inside Width	9.5 in
Inside Depth	7.625 in
Outside Length	15.875 in
Outside Width	9.875 in
Outside Height	8.25 in
Case Cube	0.748447 in
Tie x High	10 x 7

Case Specification Graphic Print Card













DO NOT DROP.STORE AT 0°F OR BELOW.

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