



**IQF APPLE SLICED (GRADE A) \* BELOW ZERO\* BRAND**

- INGREDIENTS:** Apples, ascorbic acid (1.5%), salt (0.5-1%), citric acid (0.5%).
- CUT AND SIZE:** 2"- 3" in length and ½"- ¾" thickness at the mid-section of the slice. Not less than 95% by drained weight consists of whole or practically whole slices conforming to the size and shape of an apparent original whole unit.
- BLANCH:** This product is not blanched
- FREEZING TECHNIQUE:** Individual quick frozen (IQF)
- ORGANOLEPTIC STANDARDS** The product possesses a good characteristic normal odor, flavor and aroma, typical of the "Rome" or "Ligol" variety.
- COLOR:** Reasonably uniform yellowish white color.
- MAJOR DEFECTS:** No tolerance for stones, glass, plastic, metal, hair, wood.
- MINOR DEFECT:** Shall be reasonably free from carpel tissue (10% by weight max) and not more than 2% of the units may be damaged by any other defects. Seeds, decay, bruises, peel, oxidation and internal damage must not exceed 10% by weight.

**MICROBIOLOGICAL COUNT:**

|                          | Target          | Maximum         |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Total Coliforms          | <100 CFU/g      | 1.000 CFU/g     |
| Total number of bacteria | <100.000 CFU/g  | 250.000 CFU/g   |
| Escherichia .Coli        | <10 CFU/g       | 100 CFU/g       |
| Listeria Monocytogenes   | Negative in 25g | Negative in 25g |
| Salmonella spp.          | Negative in 25g | Negative in 25g |

Must be met at the plant level on domestic production and at the time of entry into Canada in the case of imported products.

- GMO STATEMENT:** This product is non-GMO according to FDA Guidance, USDA, National Bio-Engineering Disclosure Standard, and EU Regulations.
- PESTICIDES:** The product meets with the requirements of MRL's for pesticides in Canada and USA.
- HEAVY METALS** The product IS in compliance with accepted limits for heavy metals in the European Union, Canada and USA.
- IRRADIATION** The product is not irradiated and is not grown or processed in areas with known radiation problems.

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**ALLERGEN STATEMENT:**

| Allergen<br>As per European Directive 2013/EC /FDA/CFIA and updates.   | PRESENT IN THE PRODUCT | PRESENT ON THE SAME PRODUCTION LINE | PRESENT IN THE PLANT |
|--|------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Cereals containing gluten (i.e. wheat, rye, barley, oats*, spelt, kamut or their hybridised strains) and products thereof.<br>*If unrecognizable   | No                     | No                                  | No                   |
| Crustaceans and products thereof.  | No                     | No                                  | No                   |
| Eggs and products thereof.   | No                     | No                                  | No                   |
| Fish and products thereof.   | No                     | No                                  | No                   |
| Peanuts and products thereof.  | No                     | No                                  | No                   |
| Soybeans and products thereof.   | No                     | No                                  | No                   |
| Milk and products thereof.   | No                     | No                                  | No                   |
| Nuts, i.e. almonds (Amygdalus communis L.), hazelnuts (Corylus avellana), walnuts (Juglans regia), cashews (Anacardium occidentale), pecan nuts (Carya illinoiesis (Wangenh.) K. Koch), Brazil nuts (Bertholletia excelsa), pistachio nuts (Pistacia vera), macadamia nuts and Queensland nuts (Macadamia ternifolia), and products thereof. | No                     | No                                  | No                   |
| Celery and products thereof.   | No                     | No                                  | No                   |
| Mustard and products thereof.  | No                     | No                                  | No                   |
| Sesame seeds and products thereof.   | No                     | No                                  | No                   |
| Sulphur dioxide and sulphites at concentrations of more than 10 mg/kg or 10 mg/litre expressed as SO <sub>2</sub> .  | No                     | No                                  | No                   |
| Lupin and products thereof.  | No                     | No                                  | No                   |
| Molluscs and products thereof.   | No                     | No                                  | No                   |

Manufacturing plant has cross contamination prevention controls in place

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**NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION:**

| Nutrients per 100g            |       |
|-------------------------------|-------|
| Calories                      | 48    |
| Fat (g)                       | 0.32  |
| Saturated Fat (g)             | 0.05  |
| Trans Fat (g)                 | 0     |
| Cholesterol (mg)              | 0     |
| Sodium (mg)                   | 3     |
| Potassium (mg)                | 77    |
| Total Carbohydrates (g)       | 12.31 |
| Dietary Fiber (g)             | 1.3   |
| Total Sugars (g)              | 10.1  |
| Added Sugars (g)              | 0     |
| Protein (g)                   | 0.28  |
| Vitamin A (RE)                | 3.4   |
| Vitamin C (mg)                | 0.1   |
| Calcium (mg)                  | 4     |
| Iron (mg)                     | 0.18  |
| Vitamin D (mcg)               | 0     |
| Ash (g)                       | 0.24  |
| Water (g)                     | 86.85 |
| USDA Code 9014/ESHA Code 3392 |       |

| Nutrition Facts   |                              |
|---|------------------------------|
| Valeur nutritive  |                              |
| Per 1 cup (140g)<br>pour 1 tasse (140g)                           |                              |
| <b>Calories 70</b>  | <b>% Daily Value*</b>        |
|   | <b>% valeur quotidienne*</b> |
| <b>Fat / Lipides 0.4 g</b>  | <b>1 %</b>                   |
| Saturated / saturés 0.1 g   | 1 %                          |
| + Trans / trans 0 g   |                              |
| <b>Carbohydrate / Glucides 17 g</b>                               |                              |
| Fibre / Fibres 2 g  | 7 %                          |
| Sugars / Sucres 14 g  | 14 %                         |
| <b>Protein / Protéines 0.4 g</b>                                  |                              |
| <b>Cholesterol / Cholestérol 0 mg</b>                             |                              |
| <b>Sodium 4 mg</b>  | <b>1 %</b>                   |
| Potassium 100 mg  | 2 %                          |
| Calcium 10 mg   | 1 %                          |
| Iron / Fer 0.3 mg   | 2 %                          |
| Vitamin A / Vitamine A 0 mcg                                      | 0 %                          |
| Vitamin C / Vitamine C 0.2 mg                                     | 1 %                          |
| Vitamin D / Vitamine D 0 mcg                                      | 0 %                          |
| *5% or less is <b>a little</b> , 15% or more is <b>a lot</b>      |                              |
| *5% ou moins c'est <b>peu</b> , 15% ou plus c'est <b>beaucoup</b> |                              |

**STORAGE AND HANDLING:**

Transport and store at 0 °F or colder

**SHELF LIFE:**

24 months at 0 °F or colder

**PACKAGING:**

5X1 Kg            Code 6409  
10 kg             Code 6403  
40 lbs             Code 6401

**PREPARATION**

Let product thaw at room temperature. The product can be used as is or in fruit salads, cereals, pies, smoothies etc. Do not refreeze.

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