



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

**INGREDIENTS:** Apples, ascorbic acid, citric acid, calcium chloride.

**CUT AND SIZE:** shall be uniform in size 2” – 3” length and ½ “ to ¾ “ thick at the mid-section of the slice. 95% of the sliced shall meet the above specs.

**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, characteristic of the variety “Rome”  
Free from discoloration, internal and external.

**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:**

Total plate count:	100 000 CFU/g Max
Total coliform:	100 CFU/g Max
E. coli:	10 CFU/g Max
Listeria Monocytogenes	Negative in 25g
Salmonella	Negative in 25g

\*The above microbiological values must be met from the time of departure at the country of origin to the entry in Canada.

**GMO STATEMENT** This product has not been or is not issued genetically modified and it does not contain ingredients that have been genetically modified.

**PESTICIDES** Maximum residue levels established by Canadian authorities are respected.

**FOOD SAFETY** Food safety standards such as third-party audits are required.

ALLERGENS	PRESENT IN THE PRODUCT	PRESENT ON THE SAME PRODUCTION LINE	PRESENT IN THE PLANT
Peanuts or its derivatives	No	No	No
Tree nuts or its derivatives	No	No	No
Sesame or its derivatives	No	No	No
Milk or its derivatives	No	No	No
Eggs or its derivatives	No	No	No
Soy or its derivatives	No	No	No
Seafoods, shellfish or their derivatives	No	No	No
Fish or its derivatives	No	No	No
Wheat or its derivatives	No	No	No
Gluten	No	No	No
Sulphites	No	No	No
Mustard (all kind)	No	No	No

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\*\* Manufacturing plant has cross contamination prevention controls in place

**STORAGE AND HANDLING:** Transport and store at 0 °F or colder

**SHELF LIFE:** 36 months at 0 °F or colder

**NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION:**

There values originate from a database. Results from actual analysis may result in slight differences.

<b>Nutrition Facts</b>		<b>Valeur Nutritive</b>	
Per 1 cup ( 140 g )			
pour 1 tasse ( 140 g )			
<b>Calories</b>	65	% Daily Value*	
		% valeur quotidienne*	
<b>Fat / Lipides</b>	0.6 g		0 %
Saturated / saturés	0 g		0 %
+ Trans / trans	0 g		
<b>Carbohydrate / Glucides</b>	17 g		
Fibre / Fibres	2 g		7 %
Sugars / Sucres	10 g		10 %
<b>Protein / Protéines</b>	0.5 g		
<b>Cholesterol / Cholestérol</b>	0 mg		
<b>Sodium</b>	1 mg		0 %
Potassium	132 mg		3 %
Calcium	1 mg		0 %
Iron / Fer	0.3 mg		2 %
*5% or less is a <b>little</b> , 15% or more is a <b>lot</b>			
*5% ou moins c'est <b>peu</b> , 15% ou plus c'est <b>beaucoup</b>			

**PACKAGING:** 1 X 10 Kg

Code 6403

**PREPARATION**

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

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