



Tomato Dice

Description

Product	Tomato dice 100% natural aseptically packed.
Raw material	Red, fresh, clean, sound, ripe and round tomatoes.
Elaboration	Fresh tomatoes are cut, sterilized and aseptically packed in their juice.
Additives	Citric acid to adjust pH at customer's request and Calcium Chloride (0.1-0.3%). Without colouring agents.
Pesticides, heavy metals, other contaminants	According to EU Regulations.
Drained weight (min)	60%

Microbiological Analysis

Total Plate Count (cfu/g)	100
Coliforms (cfu/g)	0
E. Coli (cfu/g)	0
Mould and Yeast (cfu/g)	10
Lactobacillus (cfu/g)	10
Salmonella (cfu/25g)	0
H.M.C.	According to EU Regulations.

Applications

Sauces, soups.

Chemical-physical Analysis

Brix (°Bx min.)	5
Defects	
• Peels (cm ² / kg max.)	30
• Black pieces (% max.)	1
• Yellow and green pieces (% max.)	2.5
• Vegetable foreign material (% max.)	0.1
Acidity (% as citric acid)	0.4-0.9
Sugar (% as reducing sugars)	> 42
Chloride (% max.)	0.5
Colour (Hunter min.: a/b, 12.5% s.s.)	1.8
pH max.	4.3
Size (mm)	14x14, 20x20

Packaging

Material	Multilayer (polyethylene and met.polyester) aseptic bag with polypropylene cap.
Protection	Galvanized steel drum 220 l. Internal FDA lacquer.
Gross weight (Kg)	238+/-3 Kg.
Net weight (Kg)	220+/-3 Kg.
Labelling	Product name, quality, lot, packing date. Other marks at buyer's request.

Shelf Life

24 months after packing date.