



PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

FREEZE DRIED (FD) ACEROLA POWDER

MALPIGHIA GLABRA

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN: BRAZIL

COUNTRY OF PROCESSING: U.S.A.

AVAILABILITY: WHOLE YEAR

<u>MICROBIOLOGICAL</u>	<u>VALUES</u>
TOTAL VIABLE COUNT	<50.000/g
COLIFORM (3-tube MPN)	<100/g
E-COLI (3-tube MPN)	<3/g
SALMONELLA	neg./25g
STAPH COAGULASE POSITIVE	<10/g
YEAST&MOLD (/g)	<5.000/g
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<u>PHYSICAL AND ORGANOLEPTIC</u>	
MOISTURE	<5%
PARTICLE SIZE	95-100 % through 7 mesh
COLOR	typical of acerola
TASTE	typical of acerola
AROMA	typical of acerola
TEXTURE	typical of freeze dried acerola powder

WEIGHTS

1x10Kg OR 2x5Kg weight per nitrogen-flushed foil bag.

SHELF LIFE & STORAGE

Shelf life 1 year from the day of manufacture when stored cool and dry (< 65% relative humidity) aseptic at max 18°C (65°F).

Greater than 1 year if stored at or below 5°C (40°F) in a sealed container.

PRESERVATIVES

Product no added sugar, no coloring and no additives and/or preservatives. Free of any foreign material.

REMARKS

If the goods or any part thereof supplied under the contract are processed, altered or tampered with any way by the buyer or receiver of the goods or any other person, the quality of the goods shall be deemed to be acceptable to the buyer. All customers' quality control checks are to be completed on the entire load, prior to the production and use. Although Santos Enterprise Food B.V. does everything possible to guarantee that the product is according to specification. It might, in exceptional cases be possible; that the definitive product is due to by Santos Enterprise Food B.V. uncontrollable reasons not completely according this specification.

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