



**IQF ITALIAN VEGETABLE BLEND (GRADE A) \*BELOW ZERO\***

**INGREDIENTS:** Zucchini, carrot, cauliflower, celery, Italian green beans.

**CUT AND SIZE:** 20% crinkle cut zucchini quarters thickness of slices: 6-8 mm  
 20% carrot sticks 6x6 mm length of 3cm  
 20% cauliflower florets 20-40 mm  
 20% sliced celery thickness 6 mm  
 20% cut Italian beans 1-inch length

**BLANCH:** Product is blanched sufficiently to inactivate the peroxidase enzyme system

**FREEZING TECHNIQUE:** Individual quick frozen (IQF)

**ORGANOLEPTIC STANDARDS** Product possesses a good characteristic normal flavor and aroma, and appearance of each vegetable. Free from objectionable flavor and odors of any type.

**COLOR:** The product possesses a color that is typical for each vegetable. 3% tolerance for discoloration

**MAJOR DEFECTS:** No tolerance for stones, glass, plastic, metal, hair, wood.

**MINOR DEFECT:** For a 427g sample: 10% tolerance for pieces of skin, minor blemishes, insect or mechanical injury and broken pieces in a 427g sample.

**MICROBIOLOGICAL COUNT:**

Total plate count:	100 000 CFU/g Max
Total coliform:	1000 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:** 24 months at 0 °F or colder

**NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION:** per portion of 100g

Nutrition Facts		Valeur Nutritive	
Per 100 g			
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Calories	28	% Daily Value*	
Fat / Lipides	0 g	0 %	
Saturated / saturés	0 g	0 %	
+ Trans / trans	0 g	0 %	
Carbohydrate / Glucides	5 g		
Fibre / Fibres	2 g	7 %	
Sugars / Sucres	3 g	3 %	
Protein / Protéines	1 g		
Cholesterol / Cholestérol	0 mg		
Sodium	38 mg	2 %	
Potassium	256 mg	6 %	
Calcium	29 mg	2 %	
Iron / Fer	0.1 mg	0.6 %	

\*9% or less is a little, 15% or more is a lot  
\*9% ou moins c'est peu, 15% ou plus c'est beaucoup

**PACKAGING**

6x2 kg

Code 6785

**PREPARATION**

Place frozen vegetables in a small amount of boiling water. Cook until desire tenderness. Cooking time for frozen vegetables is shorter than the fresh ones. Drain thoroughly, season to taste. Cooking time may vary depending on the particular appliance.

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