

## BQF STRAWBERRIES WHOLE in PAILS 4+1 (GRADE A) \* BELOW ZERO\* BRAND

**INGREDIENTS:** Strawberries, sugar. (4+1)

**COMPOSITION:** l pound of sugar is added to 4 pounds of strawberries (4+1)

**BLANCH:** This product is not blanched

CUT AND SIZE: Strawberries are practically uniform in size (15-25 mm). At least

80% of the fruits must meet the size above. 20% tolerance is

permitted for under and oversize.

FREEZING METHOD: Block quick frozen (BQF)

ORGANOLEPTIC STANDARDS The product possesses good characteristics of the fruit, normal

flavor and aroma. Free from objectionable flavor, odor and

color or any kind.

COLOR: Strawberries possesses a good characteristic normal flavor and

aroma and appearance of strawberries. Maximum of 5% by

count could vary in color.

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

MINOR DEFECT: The product should be practically free from Minor defects,

bruised units, caps and stems.

MICROBIOLOGICAL COUNT:

Total plate count: 250 000 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	No	No	No
derivatives			
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

<sup>\*\*</sup> Manufacturing plant has cross contamination prevention controls in place

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**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

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

Calories:111 Total fat: 0.09g

Saturated: 0.00g + Trans: 0g Cholesterol: 0mg Sodium: 1.60 mg Carbohydrates: 27.30 g

Fibers: 1.30 g Sugar: 23.60 g Proteins: 0.35 g

Vitamin A: 3.60 RE Vitamin C: 33.00 mg Calcium: 13.00 mg Iron: 0.560mg

PACKAGING: 1X30 lbs Code 6543

## **PREPARATION**

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

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