



FINISHED PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

Manzanilla Pitted Olives

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Kosher Status: Pareve

Version: 4

I. PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

Castella Spanish Manzanilla Pitted Olives are handpicked from the olive groves of Spain. They are mechanically pitted and have a distinctive taste and tender texture.

Ingredients: Manzanilla Pitted Olives, Water, Salt and Lactic Acid

II. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:

Product shall be manufactured, packaged, stored, and shipped in accordance with current good manufacturing practices promulgated under the Federal Food, Drug & Cosmetic Act and it shall conform to amendments, thereto. This specification is based on current crop attributes and availability, and is subject to change due to uncontrollable conditions in source countries. This product is manufactured using a HACCP plan.

III. PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

		<u>Method Used</u>
Appearance:	Small, uniform, round, pitted	ALM S-2
Color:	Green olive	ALM S-2
Texture:	Firm	ALM S-2
Size:	340/360	ALM S-2
Pits or Pit Fragments:	1 – 3%	ALM S-2

IV. CHEMICAL REQUIREMENTS:

		<u>Method Used</u>
Salt:	4.5-6.5%	SOP QC-05
pH:	3.0-4.0	SOP QC-03

V. MICROBIOLOGICAL REQUIREMENTS:

		<u>Method Used</u>
Standard Plate Count:	10,000 cfu/g max	FDA B.A.M. /AOAC
Yeast:	500 cfu/g max	FDA B.A.M. /AOAC
Mold:	500 cfu/g max	FDA B.A.M. /AOAC
Coliforms:	100 cfu/g max	FDA B.A.M. /AOAC
E. coli:	Negative/25g	FDA B.A.M. /AOAC
Salmonella:	Negative/375g	FDA B.A.M. /AOAC

VI. RECOMMENDED STORAGE CONDITIONS:

Product should be kept in a cool, dry place
Shelf Life: 24 months

VII. PACKAGING INFORMATION:

Please contact customer service for various pack sizes. All Labeling complies with New York State and U.S. FDA labeling regulations

VIII. FOOD ALLERGENS AND SENSITIVE MATERIALS:

None

IX. NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION PER 100 GRAM:

Available upon request

CONFIDENTIAL AND PROPRIETARY INFORMATION

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