



Sweetened Dried Cranberries

INGREDIENT SPECIFICATIONS

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Product Description: Sweetened Dried Cranberries are made from matured and cleaned premium cranberries. The product is sliced, infused in liquid sugar, dried to a specific moisture range and lightly sprayed with sunflower oil. The process conforms to all provisions of the Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act.

SPECIFICATIONS		TOLERANCE	
Moisture		8% - 18%	
Water Activity		0.45 – 0.62	
Oil		<1.0%	
Color		Typical uniform cranberry red	
Flavor		Typical tart cranberry flavor	
Foreign Material		None	
Harmless Extraneous Plant Material (stems/leaves)		2 pieces per 25 lbs.	
MICROBIOLOGICAL			
Yeast (cfu/g)		Mold (cfu/g)	TPC (cfu/g)
<100		<100	<1000

Ingredients: Cranberries and Sugar. Refined sunflower oil used as a processing aid.

Packaging: Enclosed in a non-hermetically sealed bag inside a corrugated box. Net weight 25 lbs.

Labeling: All labeling will be per customer specifications.

Expected Shelf-life/Storage Conditions: 24 months when product is properly stored in a cool, dry atmosphere not to exceed 65°F (18°C).