



**Quality Operating Guidelines
Customer Ingredient Specification**

**TITLE: DICED STRAWBERRY flavored BERRYFUSIONS® FRUITS
(25 LB STRAWBERRY DICED SDC BFF)**

UPC 94596

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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

DICED STRAWBERRY flavored BERRYFUSIONS® FRUITS are produced by infusing a sucrose syrup into sliced superior grade cranberries, prepared from the sound, mature berries of the commonly cultivated cranberry plant (Genus/species – *Vaccinium macrocarpon*), until a specific equilibrium Brix range is reached. The product is then dried to moisture specification and lightly sprayed with oil, topically flavored and sliced through a slicer. The process conforms to all provisions of the Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act.

SPECIFICATIONS	TOLERANCE	METHOD
Moisture	8% - 12%	Karl Fischer
Retained on 1/4" mesh screen	49% maximum	Rotap, 10 minutes
Thru US #8 screen	3% maximum	
Oil	1.0% maximum	Hexane Extraction
Color	Typical red appearance	Visual
Flavor and Odor	Typical strawberry flavor with no off flavors or odors	Sensory

MICROBIOLOGICAL: (Micro values are not reported on each lot or the Certificate of Analysis)

Yeast	<100 cfu/g	Microbiological methods as described by the Association of Official Analytical Chemists (AOAC), American Public Health Association (APHA), NCh, or BAM (Bacteriological Analytical Manual, FDA)
Mold	<50 cfu/g	
Aerobic Plate Count	<500 cfu/g	

Foreign Material - The product goes through optical sorters, metal detectors, and other means of removing foreign material during the production process to ensure the product is free of any foreign materials.

PACKAGING

Enclosed in a non-sealed 2 mil high density polybag inside a corrugated box with tamper evident security tape.

Net weight: 25 lbs. (11.34 kg)

LABELING

All containers shall bear the following information: name of product including UPC, ingredients, net contents, manufacture date (month/day/year) and/or lot number, best before date (day/month/year) Kosher - O.U., Halal – Crescent M, Ocean Spray® name and address.

INGREDIENTS*

Cranberries, sugar, natural flavor, sunflower oil.

*based on wet weight composition

STORAGE RECOMMENDATIONS

Store in a cool, dry atmosphere not to exceed 65°F (18°C).

EXPECTED SHELF-LIFE

24 months @ <65°F (18°C).

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