

# **Quality Operating Guidelines Customer Ingredient Specification**

TITLE: BLUEBERRY flavored BERRYFUSIONS® FRUITS UPC 94672

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# PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

BLUEBERRY flavored BERRYFUSIONS® FRUITS are produced by infusing a sucrose syrup with grape and blueberry juice concentrates into sliced superior grade cranberries, prepared from 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. The process conforms to all provisions of the Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act.

SPECIFICATIONS		TOLERANCE		METHOD	
Moisture		12% - 16%		Karl Fischer	
Retained on 5/8" mesh screen		5% maximum			
Thru US #4 screen		1% maximum		Rotap, 1 minute	
Oil		1.0% maximum		Hexane Extraction	
Color		Typical deep blue appearance		Visual	
Flavor and Odor		Typical fruity flavor with no off flavors or odors		Sensory	
Foreign Material (non-cranberry plant origin)		None			
Insect Contamination		None		Direct count	
Harmless Extraneous Plant Material: stems/leaves		2 maximum per 25 lb (11.34 kg)			
MICROBIOLOGICAL:					
Yeast	<100 cfu/g		Microbiological methods as described by the		
Mold	<100 c	fu/g	Association of Official A (AOAC), American Pub	ic Health Association	
Aerobic Plate Count	<500 c	fu/g	(APHA), NCh, or BAM ( Analytical Manual, FDA		

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#### **PACKAGING**

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

#### **INGREDIENT STATEMENT**

Cranberries, sugar, grape juice concentrate, blueberry juice concentrate, sunflower oil.

# 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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