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## **Product Specification: Carrot Flake**

QDF Item #2000

Product Description	Fresh carrot is selected, washed, trimmed and peeled. The carrot is then diced before being cleaned and selected according to spec.
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Organoleptic Information		
Color	Uniform orange	
Flavor	Fresh, Typical of Carrot	
Odor	Typical of Carrot	
Texture	Typical of Carrot	

Physical Data		
Max Moisture	5%	
Sulfites	None	
Sizing	Flake	

Microbiological Properties				
Plate Count	<500,000	CFU/g	AOAC 990.12	
Coliform	<500	MPN/g	FDA BAM Chap 4	
Yeast and Mold	<1,000	CFU/g	AOAC 997.02	
E-Coli	<3.0	MPN/g	FDA BAM Chap 4	
Salmonella	Negative	Per 375g	AOAC RI #010803	
S. Aureus	<10	CFU/g	AOAC 2003.07	

## **Additional Information**

Packaging	Product is packaged in corrugated cardboard boxes with poly liners.		
Kosher	Yes; Certified by Circle U		
Shelf Life	Product is stored in a cool, dark, and dry facility. Ambient storage temperatures between 50-72 degrees. Shelf life is up to 24 months under these conditions.		
Natural/Ingredient Statement	The only ingredient is carrot. There are no natural or artificial colors, flavors, preservatives or other ingredients.		
Herbicide/Pesticide	Produced in accordance with U.S. FDA limits for residues.		
Country of Origin	U.K.		
Allergen Statement	The product does not contain nor is it produced or stored in a facility containing any of the following: Wheat, egg, milk, peanuts, soybean, fish, crustacean shellfish, tree nuts, and sesame seeds		