

ENDLESS HARVEST BLACKBERRY SPECIFICATION SHEET



ASEPTIC FRUIT PUREE BLACKBERRY SEEDLESS

Process Description

Purees are processed in our facilities in compliance with Good Manufacturing Practices (GMP) per U.S. Code of Federal Regulations 21CFR110 and Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point (HACCP) 21CFR120 standards, from receipt of raw materials, cleaning and disinfection, pulping, screening, pasteurization, aseptic packaging, storage at room temperature and distribution of the final product. Thermal treatment guarantees product's safety, keeping it organoleptic and nutritional characteristics.

CRITICAL CONTROL POINTS. Pasteurization (Temperature and holding)

Form of Consumption/Intended Use

This puree can be used to prepare beer, liquor, beverages, seltzers, sauces, ice creams, desserts, etc., in accordance with the established formulations.

Ingredients

Fresh blackberries

Ingredient Options

Conventional

Additives

Ascorbic acid

(May be added upon request)

Packaging

20kg aseptic bag/box

55 gal (208.20 L), (221kg) aseptic bag

Identification

Each drum is labeled with:

Name

Internal Code

Lot number

Crop year

Brix Essence designator

Fill (net weight)

Expiration date

Storage

Store at room temperature (77° F) or (25° C), protected from light, dust, and humidity

(55-65% RH)

Once opened, refrigerate

Shelf Life

18 months in the previous packaging materials

Once opened, it should be consumed in the shortest possible time frame and kept refrigerated or frozen



Handling and Transportation

The transport and distribution conditions are carried in transports that comply with hygiene and health guarantees.

Handling/Transport temperature: 68° – 77° F

Vulnerable Consumer Groups

Due to its low protein and fat content and its tolerable sugar level, diabetics can consume it. It has appetite stimulating properties.

Origin Country

Mexico

Sensory Specifications					
Attribute	Description	Method			
Appearance	Liquid, viscose uniform, without seeds.	Visual			
Color	Intense and homogeneous, characteristics of fruit, can present a slight change of color due to the natural process of oxidation	Visual			
Flavor	Intense and characteristics of the ripe and healthy fruit	Sensory			
Aroma	Characteristic of the ripe and healthy fruit	Sensory			
Texture	Smooth consistency and characteristic of similar puree blends	Sensory			

Chemical Specifications						
	Attribute	Expected	Method			
Screen		0.8	Mesh analysis			
Brix (20C)	*no dilution	10 - 14	Direct refractometry			
pH (20C)	*no dilution	3.0 – 3.6	Reading direct potentiometric			
Acidity (%)		1.0 - 1.4	Titration			

Microbiological Specifications					
ATTRIBUTE	EXPECTED	METHOD			
Total Plate Count	<10 UFC/g	NOM-092-SSA1-1994			
		AOAC 990.12			
Yeast	<10 UFC/ g	NOM-111-SSA1-1994			
		AOAC 997.02			
Molds	<10 UFC/g	NOM-111-SSA1-1994			
		AOAC 997.02			
Coliforms	<10 UFC/g	NOM-113-SSA1-1994			
		AOAC 991.14			
E. coli	Absent	NOM-113-SSA1-1994			
		AOAC 991.14			
Salmonella	Negative in 25g	NOM-114-SSA1-1994			
		Method Reveal			



Heavy Metals					
Metal	Unit	Maximum	Testing Method		
Arsenic	ppm	0.1	AOAC986.15Ed.192012		
Iron	ppm	15	AOAC985.35Ed.192012		
Mercury	ppm	0.01	AOAC977.15Ed.192012		
			Medicated		
Cadmium	ppm	0.05	AOAC985.35Ed.192012		
Zinc	ppm	5	AOAC985.35Ed.192012		
Copper	ppm	5	AOAC985.35Ed.192012		
Lead	ppm	0.05	AOAC985.35Ed.192012		
Pesticides	Multi-waste method for 211 components, isomer, quantification of				
	organochlorine pesticides, organophosphates, carbamates, and				
	pyrethrodes. Including Dithianon, Metidiation, and multiresidues method				
	for the determination of Dithiocarbonates: Ferbam, Mancozeb, Maneb,				
	Metiram, Propineb, Thiram, Zineb and other dithiocarbonates.				