

# **California Sun Dried Tomatoes**

# DESCRIPTION

California roma-type tomatoes are prepared from clean, wholesome, red, mature fruit. The tomatoes are washed, machine cut and carefully laid on wood drying trays, treated with sulfur dioxide, then dried in the California sun. After sun drying is completed, they are processed according to style of cut. The drying process consists of sunlight only.

# **QUALITY FACTORS**

Color, Flavor	Practically uniform bright red color characteristic of sun dried tomatoes. Typical intense tomato flavor; no spoiled, rancid, or off flavors or odors.				
Defects	Practically free of defects from discoloration, dark units, imbedded dirt, or other foreign material.				
Size	<ul><li>95% minimum thru #40 U.S. Standard Screen</li><li>5% maximum on #40 U.S. Standard Screen -</li></ul>				

## ANALYTICAL

	Moisture & SO2	Powder	8% - 12%	5000 ppm Max.
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## MICROBIOLOGICAL

**Total Plate Count** 

< 100,000 / gm.

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Coliforms	< 100 / gm.
E. Coli	< 10 / gm.
Salmonella	Negative / 375 gm.
Yeast and Mold	2000/g

# NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION

Based on 100 gram sample								
Calories	295.00	Sodium	140.00 mg	Vitamin A	3833.00 IU			
Calories from Fat	15.57	Total Carbohydrates	64.64 g	Vitamin C	24.0 mg			
Total Fat	1.73 g	Dietary Fiber	15.40 g	Calcium	87.00 mg			
Saturated Fat	0.42 g	Total Sugar	36.70 g	Iron	7.84 mg			
Trans Fat	0.00 g	Cholesterol	0.00 g	Protein	13.10 g			
Added Sugar	0.00 g	Potassium	3600 mg	Vitamin D	0.00 mcg			

## INGREDIENT STATEMENT

Tomatoes, Sulfur Dioxide (added for color retention and as a preservative)

## PACKAGING & LABELING

Packed in a non-sealed food grade poly bag inside a corrugated box.

#### **KOSHER STATUS**

These products are Kosher certified.

# STORAGE RECOMMENDATIONS

Store in a cool, dry atmosphere not to exceed  $45^{\circ}$  F. Shelf life may be extended if stored below  $0^{\circ}$  F. All products must be stored under proper warehousing conditions and temperatures to preserve the product and prevent discoloration.

#### EXPECTED SHELF-LIFE

12 months when stored properly.

#### ALLERGEN STATEMENT

Traina California sun dried tomatoes do not contain any allergens as defined by the FDA. These products do contain sulfur dioxide which is used as a processing aid and as a preservative. Some people may be sensitive to sulfites.

#### SDS

These products are a food ingredient manufactured in compliance with FDA and other regulations. They do not contain any hazardous substances and therefore do not require a Safety Data Sheet.

#### **GMO STATEMENT**

This product is GMO-Free (free of any genetically modified organisms).

#### COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

U.S.A.