

**GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

The product must be made from sound, firm, topped and dry onions of the species *Allium cepa L.* The onions must have a flavour and an appearance which are characteristic of the species.

Onions are peeled, cut into diced, pre-fried in rapeseed oil, cooled and quick-frozen (-18°C).

**COMPOSITION**

Onions 8\*8 mm, Rapeseed oil.

**COLOUR, FLAVOUR AND TEXTURE**

Colour : Light brown to brown.

Flavour : Melting.

Texture : Characteristic of pre-fried onions.

**DEFINITIONS OF DEFECTS**

**F.M** : Foreign material.

**FIBROUS ROOT** : These are slices with tough stem or fibrous roots attached.

**EXTRANEOUS VEGETABLE MATTER (E.V.M)**: This includes any vegetable material other than onion which is derived from the onion plant, such as brown scale leaves, but excludes fibrous roots.

**SPECIFICATIONS**

A sample of 250g may as a maximum contain as follows:

DEFECTS	SPECIFICATION
F.M	Absence
Fibrous root	≤ 2 pieces
E.V.M	≤ 3 pieces

**MICROBIOLOGY**

	<b>Target</b>	<b>Maximum</b>
Total plat count	500 000/g	5 000 000/g
Entero.	1 000/g	10 000/g
Yeast	5 000/g	10 000/g
Mould	500/g	5 000/g
Escherichia coli	10/g	100/g
Staph. aureus	10/g	100/g
Listeria monocytogenes	10/g	100/g
Salmonella	Abs/25g	Abs/25g

**NUTRITIONAL VALUES**

Energy values	114	kcal
Energy values	471	kJ
Protein	1.2	g
Carbohydrate	6.9	g
Of which sugar	3.9	g
Fat	8.6	g
Saturated fat	1.1	g
Fibre	1.9	g
Sodium	12.1	mg
Salt	30.7	mg

**ORIGIN**

European Union

**BEST BEFORE END**

24 months

**STORAGE CONDITIONS**

Store at -18°C

**DECLARATION OF NON-GMO**

Hereby Ardo declares that none of our products, produced, packed, delivered and sold are genetically modified. None of the ingredients contain any genetically modified organism. No biotechnology or processing agents produced by means of gencechnology have been used during production. The product complies with the European non-GMO regulation (EG) nr. 1829/2003 and 1830/2003.

**DECLARATION OF NON-IONISATION**

The product is not ionized and does not contain irradiated ingredients

**DECLARATION OF ALLERGENS**

Allergens and products thereof  According to directive 2003/89/EG and 2006/142/EG	Present in end product due to ingredients		Present in factory		Possibility of trace in end product		Allergen is present in: (give details where the allergen is located)
	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	
Gluten		x		x		x	
Crustaceans		x		x		x	
Eggs		x		x		x	
Fish		x		x		x	
Peanuts		x		x		x	
Soybeans		x		x		x	
Milk		x	x			x	Prepared vegetables
Nuts		x		x		x	
Celery		x	x			x	Mixed vegetables
Mustard		x		x		x	
Sesame		x		x		x	
Sulphur Dioxide (>10 ppm)		x		x		x	
Lupine		x		x		x	
Molluscs		x		x		x	