



## 20# 3/8" Diced Celery

### 1. General Description:

Frozen, diced celery is prepared from sound, high quality celery. The celery will be washed, cut to size specification, and blanched to inactive enzymes before being individually quick frozen. The dices are immediately packed and stored at below 0 degrees Fahrenheit. Product will be packed in totes to be repacked in poly-bags or in standard containers, per customer's specification.

### 2. Product Description:

Color- Typical medium to dark bright green, with maximum of 5% pieces per pound of off-color pieces

Size- 3/8" dice, maximum of 10% off-size including small pieces

Defects- Shall contain (in one pound sample) not more than 5% total defects, 2% being serious, which includes weather checking, scarring, blemishes, rot, insect damage, no foreign material allowed.

Texture- Tender but firm, free from softness. No woody, or stringy celery. Woody or stringy celery is defines as a residue left in mouth after cooking for five minutes.

Flavor- Typical flavor for celery. No objectionable off- flavors or odors.

### 3. Chemical:

Amylase Enzyme Test- Negative

Peroxidase Enzyme Test- Negative

### 4. Microbiological:

Microorganism results shall be below the following counts per gram:

|                     |        |
|---------------------|--------|
| Total Aerobic Count | 50,000 |
| Coliforms           | 100    |
| E. Coli             | <10    |

### 5. Shelf Life and Storage:

Product shall last a minimum of 24 months if stored under proper conditions- below 0 degrees Fahrenheit.

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Pack Size: 20#  
 Case Cube: 0.8  
 16 x 11 x 8  
 Case Weight:  
 Net Weight: 20lbs  
 Gross Weight: 21.5lbs  
 Case per Pallet: 88 cases  
 TI x HI 8 x 11  
 Ingredients: Celery  
 Country of Origin: Product of USA  
 Packaging: Corrugated Case w/ Poly Bag  
 Label: SFS

Nutritional Information

|                             |     |                     |     |                   |     |
|-----------------------------|-----|---------------------|-----|-------------------|-----|
| Suggested Ind. Serving Size | g   | Selenium (ug)       |     | Carbohydrates (g) | 4   |
| Suggested Ind.Serving QTY   |     | Cholesterol (mg)    | 0   | Sugars (g)        | .6  |
| Serving Weight (grams)      | 100 | Total Fat (g)       | 0   | Vitamin A         | 145 |
| Servings per Case           |     | Saturated Fat (g)   | 0   | Vitamin B         |     |
| Calories                    | 17  | Trans Fat (g)       | 0   | Vitamin B3        |     |
| Calories from Fat           | 0   | Polyunsaturated (g) | 0   | Vitamin B1        |     |
| Sodium (mg)                 | 17  | Monounsaturated (g) |     | Vitamin B2        |     |
|                             |     | Potassium           |     |                   |     |
| Dietary Fiber (g)           | 2   | (mg)                |     | Vitamin C         | .6  |
| Protein (g)                 | .28 | Iron                | .31 | Vitamin D         |     |
| Calcium                     | 60  | Folate (ug)         |     | Vitamin E         |     |