



PRODUCT DESCRIPTION SHEET

PRODUCT: Single Sliced Bacon
BRAND/LABEL: Layout - Lower Sodium
MANUFACTURER: Farmland - Gold Medal
PRODUCT CODE(S): Farmland
70247 12546 7
DATE: October 6, 2005

General

- All product is produced in accordance with good manufacturing practices and conforms to all applicable federal, state and local regulations

Ingredients

- Cured with water, salt, sugar, sodium phosphate, sodium erythorbate, sodium nitrite

Physical

Meat

- Fresh pork bellies

Appearance

- Rectangular, blocky shape
- Uniform bright red lean with white or yellowish white fat
- Flank - minimum of 7.0" of internal lean
- Shoulder - minimum of 3.0" of internal lean
- Slice length - 9.75" to 10.5"
- Slice width - 1.0" to 2.0" overall
- Slice thickness uniform across draft
- Tails and/or hooks are not allowed even if lean is present
- Wrinkles and/or dips not to exceed 0.5"

Texture

- Firm with no soft slices or crumbly fat

Flavor

- Slightly sweet and salty with smoky, cured flavor typical of bacon

Process

- Inject with pickle solution, hang, cook, smoke, and press to dimension
- Naturally double smoked

Packaging

- Gas flush
- Slices squarely placed on grease proof coated parchment paper
- Slices evenly spaced and placed flat in the case
- Slices per sheet – 10
- Sealed bag is placed in shipper
- Product label centered on shipper

Weight

- Piece - variable
- Case - 15 pounds net weight
- Slight variation in piece weights are possible due to normal process variance, however, average weights per box will meet or exceed the stated weight

Shipping

- Case dimensions 18.375" x 11.375" x 4.750"
- Outside cubic feet 0.575
- Pieces per case Variable
- Cases per pallet 88
- Stack pattern 8/layer by 11/high

Code

- Four digit Julian date of production in the form of “DDDY”
- Lot designation
- Establishment number

Handling

Storage

- Hold at or below 0° F

Shelf Life

- Customer is guaranteed 20 days shelf life on delivery

Quality

Reporting

- If quality issues arise, make sure that all packaging and product are saved for review and retrieval of pertinent information (i.e., producing facility, lot, etc...)
- All quality issues should be reported to your company’s corporate offices
- Your company’s corporate offices will report the issues (along with all pertinent information) to Farmland’s Quality Assurance contact person
- Farmland’s Quality Assurance contact person will notify Product Management

FMP’s

- Farmland Manufacturing Practices may be made available for review on an “In Plant” basis only

Food Safety

HACCP

- Flow diagrams may be made available for review on an “Out of Plant” or an “In Plant” basis
- HACCP Models may be made available for review on an “In Plant” basis only

SSOP’s

- SSOP Programs may be made available for review on an “In Plant” basis only

Recall

- RECALL Programs may be made available for review on an “In Plant” basis only

Microbiological

Guarantee

- This product is guaranteed to meet or exceed the stated shelf life

Contacts

Quality Assurance

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**Food Safety/
Recall**

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Nutrition

- Product Code Number: 125467
- Data submitted for this product are on an “AS CONSUMED” basis
- Serving Size = 15 grams (2 slices)

CN Label

- Not CN labeled

**Nutrient
Analysis**

Nutrients/ Calories	Per 100 gram (not rounded)	Per Serving Label Value (rounded)	% Daily Values (rounded)	Unit Weight
Calories	586	88		kcal
Calories from fat	452	68		kcal
Total fat	50.1	7.5	12	grams
Saturated Fat	16.7	2.5	13	grams
Trans Fat	0	0		grams
Cholesterol	122	18	6	milligrams
Sodium	1210	182	8	milligrams
Carbohydrates	1.3	0	0	grams
Dietary Fiber	0			grams
Sugars	1.3	0		grams
Protein	30.3	5		grams
Vitamin A	32		0	IU
Vitamin C	0		0	milligrams
Calcium	11		0	milligrams
Iron	1.18		1	milligrams
Moisture				grams
Ash				grams

- The above nutrient analyses represent typical production lots, these are not guaranteed as minimum or maximum levels

**Product
Analysis**

- Meat/Meat Equivalency information is not available for this item

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Title

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