



24 % TOMATO PASTE

STYLE DESCRIPTION

Tomato Paste is made from tomatoes in a several stage process. Tomatoes are washed, sorted for quality, chopped, enzyme deactivated to preserve serum quality then strained to obtain the necessary juice for paste production. The strained juice is then evaporated under vacuum to a concentration of 24% Natural Tomato Soluble Solids (NTSS). The finished paste is practically free from extraneous plants material and objectionable defects, has a bright red color and possesses a rich tomato flavor. The product is hot filled to ensure commercial sterility then cooled prior to stacking. Tomato paste is a standardized product and shall conform in all aspects to the Standard of Identity for Tomato Concentrates.

INGREDIENT STATEMENT

Tomatoes, Naturally Derived Citric Acid

FINISHED PRODUCT ATTRIBUTES

Net Weight: 6 Lbs. 15 Oz. 3.15 Kg

Soluble Solids: 24 % NTSS

Bostwick at 20°C: 5 cm maximum

Finish: 0.033 – 0.045

pH: 4.25 to 4.40

Color: A, 47 TPS Hunter minimum

Defects: A

Flavor and Odor: Distinctive of fresh, red and ripe tomatoes. It shall be free from bitter, scorched or other foreign flavors or odors.

Howard Mold Count: Not to exceed FDA Defect Action Levels.

NUTRITION FACTS

Tomato Paste

Serving Size 2 Tbsp. (33 g)

Servings per container 96

Amount per Serving

Calories 25

	Wt.	% DV ¹
Total Fat	0 g	0 %
Saturated Fat	0 g	0 %
Trans Fat	0 g	
Cholesterol	0 mg	0 %
Sodium	20 mg	1 %
Total Carbohydrates	6 g	2 %
Dietary Fiber	1 g	4 %
Total Sugars	4 g	
Included Added Sugars	0g	0 %
Protein	1 g	
Vitamin D	0mcg	0 %
Calcium	12 mg	2 %
Iron	1 mg	6 %
Potassium	340 mg	8 %
Vitamin A ²	25mcg	2 %
Vitamin C ²	7 mg	8 %
Folate ²	4mcgDFE	2%

¹ % DV is based on a 2,000 calorie per day diet.

² Optional