



## product specification

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brand popchips  
flavor sea salt potato

statement of identity popped chip snack

product description round, popped potato chips with sea salt flavor  
size chip diameter 1.74 - 2.0 inches (44.2 - 50.8mm)

net weight - bag (oz) 0.8

popchips code F-AR-71100

net weight - bag (g) 23

bag gtin 0 82666 71100 1

bags per case (count) 24

case gtin 100 82666 71100 8

ingredients dried potato, sunflower and/or safflower oil, rice flour, potato starch, sea salt, salt.

allergens & sensitizers ☒ None ☐ Nut/Tree Nut (includes Coconut) ☐ Sesame ☐ Aspartame ☐ Gluten  
☐ Soy ☐ Peanuts ☐ Mustard ☐ Added MSG  
☐ Milk/Dairy ☐ Fish ☐ Carmine/Cochineal ☐ Lupin  
☐ Wheat ☐ Crustacean Shellfish ☐ Corn/Corn Products ☐ Celery  
☐ Egg ☐ Mollusk ☐ Sulfite (>10 ppm) ☐ Flaxseed/Flaxseed Oil

country of origin USA

kosher Kof-K Parve

vegetarian yes

vegan yes

gluten free certified gluten-free by Gluten-Free Certification Organization (GFCO)

non-GMO ☐ Non-GMO Project Verified ☐ May contain GMO ingredients  
☒ NSF Non-GMO True North Verified ☐ Contains GMO ingredients  
☐ Not verified by 3rd party

other n/a

Metal detector checks are conducted every 90 minutes ( $\pm 30$  minutes).

metal detection detector is challenged using test spheres (critical control point)  
1.5mm ferrous  
2.5mm non-ferrous  
2.5mm stainless steel

Quality control checks are conducted every 2 hours ( $\pm 30$  minutes).

defect tolerances  $\leq 10\%$  breakage by weight where 50% of chip is missing  
 $\leq 5\%$  burnt, flat, or under-popped chips

packaging integrity bag seam & seal integrity check

moisture  $< 4.0\%$  by infra-red moisture determination method

salt (%) 2.19-2.79



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**appearance** popped potato chips with fine salt seasoning  
**aroma & flavor** cooked potato aroma with sea salt flavor  
**texture** crisp bite, not tough or hard

**Verification microbiological testing is conducted as requested by customers, or at least once annually.**

**aerobic plate count** <5,000 cfu/g  
**yeast & mold** <100 cfu/g  
**escherichia coli** negative  
**salmonella** negative/375g

**primary packaging** pre-printed metallized film bags, fully sealed  
**secondary packaging** corrugate case  
**tertiary packaging** shrink wrap pallet  
**quaternary packaging** none

**pallet type** GMA #1  
**cases per layer (ti)** 9 each  
**layers per pallet (hi)** 6 each

**lot code format** ink jet on back of bag  
BEST BEFORE  
MMM DD YY P  
HH:mm

**lot code explanation**  
MMM three letter abbreviation for the month  
DD two digit day  
YY two digit year  
P packaging machine number  
HH:mm production time in military format

**case label format**  
brand  
flavor & product name  
best before open code date  
bar code  
UPC code  
count / net weight  
playa vista, ca 90094  
product of u.s.a.

**storage & shipping** dry, ambient conditions

**shelf life (months)** 12

**date** 08/22/2019  
**approved by** Cheri Myers

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**signature** Cheri Myers