

EGGPLANT DICED

1. Product Description

Fresh, ripe eggplant fruit which has been washed, chilled and diced into cubes measuring as follows

3mm-VFD 12mm-CD
6mm-FD 19mm-SCD
10mm-MD 20mm

Other sizes by negotiation

Product of Australia

2. Physical Specifications

Deep purple to black skin with a spongy creamy/white flesh, this product will have a bed of small seeds and will oxidise very quickly. There is very little odour associated with this fruit and it has a bitter flavour in its raw state.

3. Preservation Aids Used in Manufacture

Product	Purpose	UN Number
metabisulphite solution		
no greater concentration than .025%		

4. Microbiological Standard

Total Plate Count	<1,000,000/gm
E. Coli	< 3/gm
Coliform	< 1000/gm
Sulphite Residue	< 25mg

5. Storage Requirements/Shelf Life

Ideal storage temperature is between 0°C→5°C this will have a shelf life of up to 4 days.
Storage over 7°C is not recommended.

6. Packaging

Standard- 5kg & 10kg Poly Bags

Non Standard- As negotiated between the Production Manager and the client.

7. Labelling/Identification

Customer product will be labelled and or identified with the following information unless otherwise specified by the individual customer.

Customer Name	Weight
Product	Address of Barker Boys
Date Packed	Recommended Storage Temperature (for maximum life)
Use by or Best Before Date	Product of Australia
	This product contains preservative 223

8. Delivery

Temperature Refrigerated Transport

Standard Adelaide metro area between 4.00am-8.30am times to be arranged at the commencement of ordering.

Non Standard As negotiated between Barker Boy Processing and the client.

9. Customer Specification

As negotiated between Barker Boy Processing and the client.

10. Consumer Group

General population or as indicated by customer specification. Assumed to be cooked.