



Specifications for: **NATURAL APPLE SAUCE**
Knouse Identification Code: FASN8000 (31825)
Effective: December 2008

Product Description:

Apple sauce shall be packed in accordance with Good Manufacturing practices and shall comply with the FDA Standard of Identity, Part 145.110, Canned Apple Sauce, of the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, as revised April 1, 1990, or as further amended, and to all applicable USDA, state and local regulations.

Apple sauce is prepared from a blend of at least three sound processing varieties of apples. The fresh apples are washed, inspected, peeled and cored, inspected again, and chopped. The chopped apples are then cooked in a continuous operation. The cooked apple pulp is passed through a stainless steel screen to give grainy finish to the sauce. The hot sauce is filled into washed containers and rapidly cooled in chlorinated water.

Knouse Foods products are packed under the supervision of the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations and are certified as kosher when bearing the (U) symbol on the label in accordance with a UOJC signed agreement.

Nutrition Information:

Nutrition Facts	
Serving Size ½ cup (122 g)	
Servings Per Container About 24	
Amount Per Serving	
Calories 50	Calories from Fat 0
% Daily Value*	
Total Fat 0 g	0%
<i>Saturated Fat</i> 0g	0%
<i>Trans Fat</i> 0 g	
Sodium 20 mg	1%
Total Carbohydrate 13 g	4%
Dietary Fiber 2 g	8%
Sugars 8 g	
Protein 0 g	
*Percent Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie diet.	

Ingredients:

Apples, water and salt.

Physical Analysis

Flavor: Pleasing, characteristic apple flavor, free from any undesirable flavors from overripe apples, oxidation, fermentation, caramelization, or musty storage conditions.

Color: Bright, uniform, light golden color, free from discoloration due to oxidation, overcooking, or other causes.

Consistency: Medium flow.

Texture: Evenly divided, grainy texture.

Brix: Not less than 9.0

pH: Less than 4.0

Microbiological Standards: Commercially Sterile

Packaging:

Case Pack: 6 - 6 lb. 8 oz. units (104 oz. each)
Gross Weight: 44.75 lb.
Case Dimensions: 18.625" l. x 12.625" w. x 7.188" h.
Case Cube: 0.978 cu ft
Cases/Pallet: 56 (8 per layer/7 high)

Storage:

Dry storage is recommended between 40 deg. F. and 80 deg. F. Best used within 24 months. Maximum recommended product life 36 months.

Product Handling:

After opening, transfer to covered storage container and refrigerate; best if used within 10 days. Product can be frozen and stored 3-6 months.

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