
* MONOGRAPH NO.: M10E

ITEM: **Potato Sticks** (PTS)

NSN: **8940-01-349-4468** ITEM SPECIFICATION: (CID) **A-A-20195**

APPROXIMATE CALORIC VALUE: **153 Kilocalories** (Secondary)

CHARACTERISTICS OF ITEM:

- APPEARANCE:** Thin, light golden brown, julienne strips of potato, free from discoloration or burns.
- ODOR:** Potato chip-like, slight oil.
- FLAVOR:** Potato chip-like, slight oil.
- TEXTURE;** Firm, crunchy, crispy.

DEFECTS LIKELY TO OCCUR:

- APPEARANCE:** Excessively burnt, scorched or crushed sticks.
- ODOR:** Oxidized or rancid.
- FLAVOR:** Oxidized, rancid, stale, burnt or scorched.
- TEXTURE:** Soggy or spongy.

UNIQUE EXAMINATION /TEST PROCEDURES: **None.**

SPECIAL NOTES: This product should contain an oxygen scavenger packet. If defects such as oxidized or rancid odors or flavors exist, they are likely due to package failure or the absence of an oxygen scavenger.