
* MONOGRAPH NO: M2A12

ITEM: Macaroni and Cheese, Mexican – Style (MCM)

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ITEM SPECIFICATION: PCR-M-009

APPROXIMATE CALORIC VALUE: 175 kilocalories Primary

CHARACTERISTICS OF ITEM:

APPEARANCE: Intact elbow macaroni in a glossy pale yellow to orange yellow sauce with visible pieces of green and red bell peppers.

ODOR AND FLAVOR: Cooked macaroni in a cheese sauce with Mexican spicing and moderate pungency.

TEXTURE: Macaroni slightly soft to slightly firm. Sauce smooth and not excessively thick or thin

DEFECTS LIKELY TO OCCUR:

APPEARANCE: Sauce thick, grainy and/or separated (oiling off). Sauce moderately darkened or browned.

ODOR AND FLAVOR: Scorched milk, sour milk, rancid. Low spice and/or pungency.

TEXTURE: Excessively soft macaroni. Sauce grainy and excessively thick.

UNIQUE EXAMINATION/TEST PROCEDURES:

SPECIAL NOTES: