

Item: **Ketchup, Jalapeno, Medium (Flavor V, Style B)** (KFJ)

Document: **A-A-20346 Catsup (Ketchup, Catchup) Flavored and PKG & QAP**

Approximate Caloric Value Per Serving: **25** Component Classification: **Ancillary**

Estimated Shelf Life: **36 months at 80°F**

### **Item Characteristics**

Appearance: Medium to deep reddish color, glossy surface.

Odor: Sweet, slightly tangy, medium spicy jalapeno and cooked tomato.

Flavor: Sweet, slightly tangy, medium spicy jalapeno and cooked tomato.

Texture: Shall possess a consistency such that not more than a slight separation of free liquid occurs, shall be smooth, moderately thick, and may include jalapeno bits.

### **Possible Deteriorative Changes**

Appearance: Darkening, syneresis.

Odor: Bitter, sour, low spice, burnt.

Flavor: Sour/to burnt/to bitter, chemical note, low heat.

Texture: Syneresis, (more than a slight separation of free liquid).

### **Unique Examination/Test Procedures**

Due to the spicy nature of the product, it should be the last component organoleptically evaluated to prevent carryover to other samples and consequent masking of their odor and flavor.

### **Special Notes**

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