

**Frozen Okra**

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|  Frozen Okra whole Specification | **HS code :** 0710800000 |
| **Designation:IQF Okra Ring and Whole** |
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| **Quality description:**IQF Okra Whole, purchased from farm/market yard. The Okra are cleaned, cut and IQF at**-18°C**. Product derived from very sound and matured fruit.**GMO-** Free.**Origin:** Egypt  |
| **Sensory evaluation:** Deep Green , typical appearance, odour and taste, firm texture |
| **chemical-physical and microbiological requirements** |
| **Analysis** | **Limits** | **Method** |
| Product size Colour Taste  and flavourAppearance                Blanching test**Extraneous Matter per box**Foreign Matter (FME.V.MMajor BlemishMinor BlemishColor variantsOver size PiecesSmall Size Pieces\*TPC\*coliforms\**E. Coli*\*Yeast & Mould\* *Staph. aureus*\**Salmonella*\**Listeria monocytogenes* | (0 : 2.5 & 2.5:3.5 & 3.5: 4.5 & 3.5: 5.5) cm Deep GreenCharacteristics of OkraSolid, free from foreign matter Negative NILNIL0.5 %2%3% ( size is <0.5mm dia )5%5% Max.10.000 CFU/g< 10 CFU/g Absent Max .1000 CFU/g< 10 CFU/g  Neg. in 25 g  Neg. in 25 g |   Manual    Guaiacol test  Manual    IFU Method |
| **Packaging, Transport, Storage:****Primary Packaging : 400\*20bags /10** kg Carton**Transport**:        Delivery with reefer container with incoming temperatures of min. –18 °C.**Storage**:           Dry and deep-frozen at  min. –18°C**Shelf life**:           24 Month |
| **Availability (Crop Cycle): March to August** |