

## **Parmesan Cheese – Freshly Grated**

### **Description**

Freshly grated Parmesan cheese.

Parmesan Cheese shall conform to the definition and Standard of Identity in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Paragraph 133.165.

### **Ingredients**

Parmesan cheese (pasteurized part-skim milk, cheese cultures, salt, enzymes), powdered cellulose (to prevent caking).

Contains: Milk

**Country of Origin:** USA

### **MSDS Statement**

All cheese products sold by the Sartori Company are FDA (Food and Drug Administration) regulated, and therefore do not require a Material Safety Data Sheet.

### **Chemical Specifications**

Moisture	32% maximum
Salt	3.0 – 4.0%
Fat (dry basis)	32% minimum
pH	5.0 – 5.4
Water Activity	0.871

### **Physical Requirements**

Color	Light cream to cream
Flavor and Aroma	Characteristic Parmesan flavor; slightly sweet
Extraneous Matter	None

### **Storage**

Storage Conditions	33 - 40°F (0.5 – 4.5°C)
Shelf Life	180 days from date of pack

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### Microbiological Specifications

Criteria are based on recommendations from The International Commission on Microbiological Specifications for Foods. Lot acceptance sampling is an established method of assessing the microbiological quality and safety of foods.

<b>Organism [cfu/g]</b>	<b>n</b>	<b>c</b>	<b>m</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Comments</b>
Coliform	5	1	10	100	
E. coli	5	0	0	10	
Staph. [coag. pos.]	5	0	0	0	
Yeast and Mold	5	1	200	1000	

n=number of samples tested per lot

c=Maximum allowable number of samples between m and M

m=Limit that separates good from marginally acceptable quality

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### Nutritional Information

<b>Serving Size</b>	<b>5.0g</b>	<b>28.4g (1 oz.)</b>	<b>100g</b>
<b>Calories (Kcal)</b>	18.96	107.66	379.1
<b>Calories from Fat (Kcal)</b>	11.62	65.97	232.3
<b>Total Fat (g)</b>	1.29	7.33	25.81
<b>Saturated Fat (g)</b>	0.82	4.67	16.44
<b>Trans Fatty Acid (g)</b>	0.07	0.40	1.40
<b>Cholesterol (mg)</b>	3.30	18.74	66.00
<b>Sodium (mg)</b>	64.75	367.78	1295.0
<b>Carbohydrate (g)</b>	0.34	1.92	6.76
<b>Dietary Fiber (g)</b>	0.07	0.37	1.30
<b>Sugars (g)</b>	0.04	0.20	0.70
<b>Protein (g)</b>	1.50	8.50	29.94
<b>Ash (g)</b>	0.31	1.73	6.10
<b>Vitamin A (IU)</b>	48.13	273.38	962.6
<b>Vitamin C (mg)</b>	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Calcium (mg)</b>	46.40	263.55	928.0
<b>Iron (mg)</b>	0.01	0.05	0.18

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