

## RESPONSE TO REQUESTS FOR MEDICAL INFORMATION RELATIVE TO FOOD PRODUCTS

With increasing frequency over the past few years, we at Maschio's have received various requests from parents and other interested persons relative to both the ingredients of the food products which we prepare and serve and the medical significance of those food ingredients.

Most of these requests for such information have come from interested parents who understandably are concerned about a medical condition which a child may suffer from and the impact that diet and nutrition may have on that medical condition.

We at Maschio's, of course, would like to assist those inquiring parents to the maximum extent that we can, but we are constrained to advise that there are significant limitations on the responses that we can furnish.

First, we do not independently perform testing with respect to the ingredients of the food products which we prepare and serve nor are we required to by the terms of the Agreement which we enter into with your school district.

The only source of any information that we are able to provide relative to the ingredients of the food products which we prepare and serve is literature which may be furnished to us by the manufacturer or supplier to Maschio's of the involved food product and that information is not independently verified or checked by Maschio's and may or may not be accurate.

Accordingly, although in limited cases we may be in a position to furnish information about the ingredients of the food products which we prepare and serve because that information has been supplied to us by our suppliers, we are not in a position to affirm the accuracy of that information or even to suggest or recommend that it be relied upon by parents.

Second, we, of course, cannot provide medical or nutritional advice regarding the food products which we prepare and serve and accordingly we are not in a position to provide any opinions or conclusions regarding the impact, adverse or otherwise, which any such food product may have on the existing medical condition of a child.

We, of course, will be pleased to provide any interested parent with copies of the menus for the meals which we prepare and serve, but we are not in a position to present any opinions or conclusions regarding the interaction or impact which any of the food products which we prepare and serve may have on the existing medical condition of a child.

Any such medical opinion or conclusion will have to be secured from a physician or another skilled and knowledgeable professional, the professional services of whom are beyond the scope of the service which we provide to your school district.

We at Maschio's, of course, remain committed to providing safe and nutritious meals for your children and we look forward to continuing to cooperate with representatives of your school district and parents to achieve that objective.



# **TASTY BRANDS ALLERGEN STATEMENT**

June 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Product: 62001 Whole Grain Mozzarella Filled Twisted Topped Breadstick Contains: Milk, Soy & Wheat.

The above Tasty Brands products contains statement is correct.

There is no sesame in the production area of the breadstick plant.

Let me know if I could provide any additional information.

Thank you,

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### Code: 62001

### Product Name: Whole Grain Mozzarella Filled Twisted Topped Breadstick

### Serving Size: 2.00 oz. Pack: 144/2.00 oz

Statement of child nutrition food based meal pattern equivalency: Each 2.00 oz. Whole Grain Mozzarella Filled Twisted Breadstick provides 1.00 oz. equivalent meat alternate & 1.0 oz.-eq. grain.

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| Nutrition Facts<br>Serving size 1 Breadstick (57g) |                |  |
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|  |                |  |
| Calories   | 150            |  |
| 9  | 6 Daily Value* |  |
| Total Fat 6g                                       | 8%             |  |
| Saturated Fat 3g                                   | 15%            |  |
| Trans Fat 0g                                       |                |  |
| Cholesterol 10mg                                   | 3%             |  |
| Sodium 220mg                                       | 10%            |  |
| Total Carbohydrate 15g                             | 5%             |  |
| Dietary Fiber 0g                                   | 0%             |  |
| Total Sugars 1g                                    |                |  |
| Includes 1g Added Sugar                            | 's <b>2</b> %  |  |
| Protein 9g   |                |  |
| Vitamin D 0mcg                                     | 0%             |  |
| Calcium 142mg                                      | 10%            |  |
| Iron 1mg   | 6%             |  |
| Potassium 68mg                                     | 2%             |  |

\*The % Daily Value tells you how much a nutrient in a serving of food contributes to a daily diet. 2,000 calories a day is used for general nutrition advice.

Director of Quality & Food Safety

#### PREPARATION - for best results

#### From Frozen

- 1.Preheat convection oven to 350°F (conventional oven to 375°F).
- 2. Place frozen Breadsticks on a parchment lined sheet pan.
- 3.Bake Breadstick 7 9 minutes. Note: cooking equipment, equipment settings, and kitchen conditions will vary so cooking time may need adjusting. Cook all food thoroughly to  $165^{\circ}$ F.
- 4.Remove from oven. Serve.
- 5.Holding: Hold for up to 30 minutes in a warmer at 145°F.

#### From Thaw

1. Place frozen Breadsticks on a parchment lined sheet pan. Cover and leave in refrigerator until ready to prepare. Product can be held under refrigerator for up to 3 days.

- 2.Preheat convection oven to 350°F (conventional oven to 375°F).
- 3.Uncover Breadsticks and place in oven.

4.Bake Breadstick 4 - 6 minutes. Note: cooking equipment, equipment settings, and kitchen conditions will vary so cooking time may need adjusting. Cook all food thoroughly to 165°F. 5.Remove from oven. Serve.

6.Holding: Hold for up to 30 minutes in a warmer at 145°F.

| Shelf life:                           | 15 months frozen (0° - 15°F) |                             |  |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Breadstick:                           | 5.50"                        |                             |  |
| Dim:                                  | 19.08" X 12.12" X 8.00"      |                             |  |
| Ti-Hi:                                | 7 X 8                        |                             |  |
| Case cube:                            | 1.07 ft <sup>3</sup>         |                             |  |
| Cases/pallet:                         | 56                           | Pallet height: 82.54-inches |  |
| Gross case wt:                        | 19.75 lbs;                   | Net wt: 18.00 lbs           |  |
| Pallets/truck:                        | 28                           |                             |  |
| UPC:                                  | 10852777003534               |                             |  |
| ALLERGENS: Contains Wheat, Soy & Milk |                              |                             |  |
|                                       |                              |                             |  |

GRAINS: At least 51% of the grains used in this product are whole grains. CONTAINS 110242 COMMODITY CHEESE

**Ingredients:** Reduced Fat Mozzarella (Part Skim Milk, Cheese Cultures, Salt And Enzymes), Water, Whole Wheat Flour, Enriched Flour (Wheat Flour, Malted Barley Flour, Niacin, Reduced Iron, Thiamin Mononitrate, Riboflavin, Folic Acid), Soybean Oil, Palm Oil, Soy Protein, Dextrose, Wheat Gluten, Salt, Yeast (Ascorbic Acid), Parmesan (Cultured Skim Milk, Salt, Enzymes, Powdered Cellulose), Dough Improver (Enriched Wheat Flour [Wheat Flour, Niacin, Reduced Iron, Thiamin Mononitrate, Riboflavin, Folic Acid], Ascorbic Acid, Malted Barley Flour, Enzymes), Pepper Blend (Black Pepper, Salt, Brown Sugar, Dehydrated Onion, Parsley, Dehydrated Bell Pepper, Spices), Onion Powder, Butter (Cream, Salt), Natural Flavor, Annatto.

CONTAINS: 144 – 2.00 OZ SERVINGS PER CASE (1 WG MOZZARELLA FILLED TWISTED BREADSTICK PER SERVING)

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