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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION SHEET
NEC-C3 FRESH CHEESE STARTER CULTURE 1 DOSE / CH-3225-DC
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DESCRIPTION
NEC-C3 is a blend of undefined, mesophilic multiple-species freeze-dried strains of DL-lactic acid bacterial cultures for making Fresh Cheese.

USAGE AND HANDLING
Products made from this using recommended dosage levels.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE
Shake well before use. Add directly to the milk avoiding foam and air introduction in the milk.

STORAGE AND SHIPPING
Use within 12 months from date of packaging only when stored at or below freezing. "Best used by" date is printed on label for reference.

Store in a dry atmosphere. Check before use that culture is in free-flowing powder form. If the product has formed a solid mass, it should be discarded.

Ambient temperatures during a 3-5 day transit time is acceptable.

COMPOSITION
Lactococcus lactis subsp. *lactis*
Lactococcus lactis subsp. *cremoris*
Lactococcus lactis subsp. *lactis* biovar. *diacetylactis*
Leuconostoc mesenteroides subsp. *cremoris*
Carrier: lactose

PROPERTIES
- Mesophilic homofermentative culture
- Mesophilic aroma culture developing diacetyl flavor and CO_2
- Direct vat inoculation
- Standardized activity

MICROBIOLOGICAL SPECIFICATIONS
Microbiological quality control - standard values.

Yeasts and Molds	<50 CFU/g
Coagulase – positive Staphylococci	<10 CFU/g
Salmonella sp.	neg. /25g
Listeria sp.	neg. /25g

PACKAGING
Product is packaged in layered "Biaxially oriented polypropylene" (BOPP) and white "Metallized" (MET-OPP) film.

PURITY AND LEGAL STATUS
Local regulations should always be consulted concerning the status of this product, as legislation regarding its intended use may vary.

SAFETY AND HANDLING
Safety Data Sheet (SDS) is available on request.

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN
USA

GMO STATUS
To the best of our knowledge and according to documentation received from our suppliers, NEC-C3 does not contain any ingredients that contain genetically modified organisms.

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	X	Wheat	
	X	Other cereals containing gluten	
	X	Crustacean shellfish	
	X	Eggs	
	X	Fish	
	X	Peanuts	
	X	Soybeans	
X		Milk (including lactose)	
	X	Nuts	
	X	Celery	
	X	Mustard	
	X	Sesame seeds	
	X	Sulphur dioxide and sulfites (>10 mg/kg)	
	X	Lupin	
	X	Mollusks	
Local regulation has always to be consulted as allergen labeling requirements may vary from country to country.			

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