
• MONOGRAPH NO.: 1B1

ITEM: Omelet with Ham, (OHM)
Artificially Colored

NSN: 8940-01-224-7445

ITEM SPECIFICATION: MIL-O-44327

APPROXIMATE CALORIC VALUE PER SERVING: 206

CHARACTERISTICS OF ITEM:

APPEARANCE: Smooth top with very small airholes, irregular interior of slightly aerated souffle like egg mixture with shredded ham or ham pieces of varying sizes dispersed throughout. Color profile: Matted yellow to golden tan top with yellow with slight green tone egg mixture and pinkish ham pieces.

ODOR: Heat processed egg product with slight smoke and slightly briny ham aroma.

FLAVOR: Typical of heat processed egg product with a slight salt and smoky flavor.

TEXTURE: A slightly moist, airy, tender egg mixture with small chewy friable ham pieces. Egg portion varies in firmness, but should fluff up with a fork.

ESTIMATED SHELF-LIFE AT 70 DEGREES F: 36 months
80 DEGREES F: 24 months
90 DEGREES F: 18 months
100 DEGREES F: 12 months

EXPECTED DETERIORATIVE CHANGES:

APPEARANCE: Product may exhibit some syneresis and may darken slightly.

ODOR: Product may become slightly stale; cooked egg aroma may become more noticeable; ham may exhibit slight rancid odor.

FLAVOR: Slightly stale, bland or may exhibit a slightly oxidized flavor. Ham may taste slightly rancid.

TEXTURE: Product may become firmer.

UNIQUE EXAMINATION/TEST PROCEDURES: None.

SPECIAL NOTES: Can is designed to yield 18 portions of approximately 2/3 cup each (167 grams).