



## Press Release

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### **Crunch Pak® Apple Slices Recalled for Possible Contamination with *Listeria monocytogenes***

(JUNEAU, AK) – Crunch Pak® of Cashmere, Washington has issued a recall for Crunch Pak® Apple Slices possibly contaminated with *Listeria monocytogenes*.

*Listeria monocytogenes* is an organism that can cause serious and sometimes fatal infections in young children, frail or elderly people, and others with weakened immune systems. Although healthy individuals may suffer only short-term symptoms such as high fever, severe headache, stiffness, nausea, abdominal pain and diarrhea, *Listeria* infection can cause miscarriages and stillbirths among pregnant women.

To identify the recalled products, consumers should review both the product description or UPC code and the Best-if-Used-By-Date, printed on the back of each package.

<b>Crunch Pak® Branded Product</b>	<b>Packaging</b>	<b>UPC Code</b>	<b>Best if Used By Date</b>
Tart Apple Slices	14-ounce bag	732313141209	11/14/13
Tart Apple Slices with Low Fat Caramel Dip	multi-pack containing five 2-ounce bags	732313091139	11/14/13
Tart Apple Slices	multi-pack containing six 2-ounce bags	732313121034	11/14/13
Tart Apple Slices	3-pound bag	732313481206	11/14/13
Sweet Honeycrisp Apple Slices	12-ounce bag	732313120013	11/14/13
Monsters University Blue Raspberry Flavorz Apple Slices	multi-pack containing five 2-ounce bags	732313089969	11/18/13

Alaska DEC has confirmed these products were available in Alaska. To date, no illnesses have been reported in Alaska or elsewhere.

Consumers who have recalled product in their possession should not consume the product, should destroy or discard the product, and retain the purchase receipt. Consumers with questions may contact Crunch Pak at 509-888-7648, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. Pacific Standard Time.

For more information on this recall, visit:  
<http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm375135.htm>.

For more information on recalls affecting Alaskans, visit DEC's website:  
<http://dec.alaska.gov/eh/fss/recallsalerts.html>.





**6/2 OZ TART**

**Nutrition Facts** Serv. Size 1 bag (57g).  
 Serving Per Container: 6, Amount Per Serving: **Calories**  
 30, Fat Cal. 0, **Total Fat** 0g (0% DV), Sat. Fat 0g (0%  
 DV), Trans Fat 0g, **Cholest.** 0mg (0% DV), **Sodium** 0 mg  
 (0% DV), **Total Carb.** 7g (2% DV), Dietary Fiber 1g (4%  
 DV), Sugars 5g, **Protein** 0g, Vitamin A (0% DV), Vitamin  
 C (130% DV), Calcium (4% DV), Iron (0% DV). Percent  
 Daily Values (DV) are based on a 2,000 calorie diet.

**INGREDIENTS:** APPLES, CALCIUM ASCORBATE (A BLEND OF  
 CALCIUM AND VITAMIN C TO MAINTAIN FRESHNESS AND COLOR)  
 Crunch Pak, LLC, Cashmere, WA 98815, USA © Crunch Pak

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