


**Product Specification and Technical Information:**

- 1 **Product Description:** Edible Bovine Collagen Casing (SELECT-F & SELECT HANDLINK) supplied as a tubular compressed strand.
  - 2 **Product Application:** For use in the manufacture of fresh sausages.
  - 3 **Product Composition:** Bovine Collagen (UK/Ireland), Water, Glycerol, Poly-1-Decene, Sodium Carboxymethyl Cellulose, Acidity regulator (Calcium Acetate).
  - 4 **Labelling Advice:** The responsibility for the labelling of the sausage lies with the producer. Under EU legislation the casing can be labelled as either *Edible Beef Protein Casing* or *Edible Bovine Collagen Casing*. The other components of the casing have no function in the final product, the sausage, and should not require labelling; this advice is based on Regulation (EU) 1169 / 2011.
  - 5 **Physical Attributes (Each product is supplied with a unique 16 digit product identification code):**  
  
 Flat width = target +/- 0.75mm  
 Strands per box = as specified  
 Average box length= as specified  
 End closure= as specified
  - 6 **Microbiological:** Salmonella - Absent in 25g under the Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 (as amended).
  - 7 **Heavy Metals:** Legislative residue limits required under the Regulation (EC) 853/2004, collagen fit for human consumption
  - 8 **Shelf Life:** 2 years from date of manufacture.
  - 9 **Storage:** Store in a cool dry place avoiding extreme temperature variations. Boxes should be retained in sealed wrapping film and only opened immediately prior to use.
  - 10 **Packaging:** Food contact approved boxes. Boxes sealed and foil wrapped in a modified atmosphere and packed in shipping cartons.
  - 11 **Health and Safety Information:** The product as supplied does not constitute any known hazard to health. No special handling requirements are necessary.
- In order to confirm acceptance of this specification, please sign below and return to Devro (Scotland) Limited.
- If there is no formal response within 30 days, it is assumed that you have accepted this Product Specification. Any substantial changes to this specification will be advised to you.
- 12 **Regulatory:** Complies with Regulations EC178/2002 & EC853/2004 and Section XV hygiene rules for collagen for human consumption.

Devro ( Scotland ) Limited Approval		Customer Approval	
Devro (Scotland) Ltd Quality Systems Signature :		Customer:	Weschenfelder Direct
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Date : 13/10/2016		Date:	

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