

# **Regato Cheese**

Regato is an Irish cow's milk cheese produced using pasteurised milk from grass-fed Irish cows. Regato cheese has a unique straw yellow colour and a rustic, yellow rind. It is a hard-Italian type cheese characterised by a mild but slightly piquant flavour.

#### **Product Offerings**

Classic			
lverina			
Light			
Smoked			

## **Key Applications**

Food Manufacturing:



Ready Meals

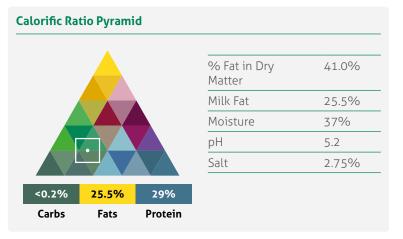


Sauces

## **Typical Nutritional Analysis**

	Per 100g
Energy	1482kJ/ 355kcal
Fat	25.5g
of which saturates	16.43g
Carbohydrate	<0.2g
of which lactose	<0.2g
Protein	29g
Salt	2.75g

### **Typical Composition**



### **Key Characteristics**

- Sharp, strong flavour with a fruity and sweet aroma
- Rich in calcium
- Hand selected for our customer requirements
- Natural cheese
- Produced with milk from grass-fed cows

\* Please note all stated values are typical, always clarify minimum/maximum levels with an Ornua Specification.



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### **Microbiological Standards**

Parameter	Target	
Yeasts	<50 per g	
Mould	<50 per g	
E.Coli	<10 per g	
Coliform	<100 per g	
Staph aureus coagulase +ve	<10 per g	
Enterobacteriaceae	<100 per g	
Salmonella	Not detected	
Listeria spp	Not detected	

### Shelf Life

Under the stipulated chilled storage conditions, the standard Regato is assigned a 24-month shelf-life from date of manufacture, unless otherwise stated at time of contract.

#### Packaging



- Inner packaging food grade plastic pouch, heat sealed.
- Outer packaging cardboard carton.

Net weight 2.7kg

All packaging in direct contact with product is food grade and all coding on labels is clear and traceable. All blocks are vacuum packed on day of production.

Ornua standard pallet is heat treated: 1270mm x 850mm (2.7kg x 8 per carton)

#### Storage

Customers should store the cheese from 2-5°C, or as agreed at time of contract.

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#### Compliance



## **Quality Assurance**

Ornua is committed to supplying its customers with milk products which are manufactured to the highest food safety and quality standards.

Ornua products meet all applicable EU legislation and our supplying manufacturing sites are accredited to the highest standards.

A certificate of analysis is available on request and typically includes the key compositional, physical and microbiological parameters outlined in the product specification.

## Sustainability

Our Way Matters, our sustainability framework, contains three pillars; Our Way of Farming, Our Way of Operating and Our Way of Supporting. Each pillar sets out positive initiatives that benefit our environment, our business and our community.

Ornua is a founding member of Origin Green, the sustainability programme of the Irish food and drink industry. Ireland's dairy farmers adhere to the Sustainable Dairy Assurance Scheme whereby an independent audit takes place covering areas such as animal health and welfare, hygiene, land management, biosecurity and greenhouse gas emissions.



### **Suggested Labelling**

Allergens: Contains **Milk** and **Dairy** products (As milk is the main ingredient, cheese will contain milk solids including trace presence of lactose). All other MSA's (major serious allergens) should be absent.

Country regulations for product labelling vary. Ornua advises customers to check local regulations to determine specific labelling for this ingredient.

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