

Pizza Burger



Your Cheese. YOUR WAY.

WHY BONGARDS?

At Bongards, we know that your needs are always changing. That is why we have created a portfolio of products that fit your menu and meet your operational needs. As a farmer-owned co-op with over 110 years of dairy expertise, you can trust us to deliver consistent, premium-quality products. Here's how:

VERTICAL Integration

- Use our own farmers' milk to craft premium cheeses
- Control quality from our farms to your kitchen
- Extensive history of quality cheese-making

HIGH OUTPUT Facilities

- Optimized for dual production and high volume output
- SQF certified
- Continuous investments for improved efficiencies

RESPONSIVE TO YOUR NEEDS

- Experienced R&D team to introduce unique, new flavors and products
- Knowledgeable sales team to answer all of your cheese questions
- Exceptional customer service and support

RESPONSIBLE FARMING

FARM Program

Our members adhere to the rigorous guidelines of the FARM program (Farmers Assuring Responsible Management), ensuring the safety of our products and the ethical treatment of our animals. Each farm receives visits from the following groups:

- ★ Bongards field service staff
- ★ Independent auditors
- ★ State inspectors





rBST Free

Bongards only accepts rBST free milk from our farmers. We have worked with our suppliers to ensure that all other dairy-based ingredients used in our products are also rBST free. As a result of these efforts, over 95% of our finished products are rBST free and are marked as such throughout this catalog.

* The FDA has stated that no significant difference has been shown between milk derived from rBST treated and non-rBST treated cows

ABOUT US

Large enough to serve your needs. Small enough to react when they change.



Our History Our Locations Bongards, MN 1908 Local farmers in Bongards, MN formed our co-op Perham, MN 1941 Expanded into cheese-making 1949 Hailed as one of the world's largest cheese factories 2003 Acquired Perham, MN plant 2010 Acquired Humboldt, TN plant 2018 New headquarters opened in Chanhassen, MN Humboldt, TN Today Bongards continues its legacy of over 110 years





Usit our website at <u>K12.bongards.com</u> for information on our company and products



Veteran Sales Force

Our sales team has decades of experience, ready to help find the right products for you



Menu Applications These concepts help you create the perfect combination of flavors for your menu



K12 Calculator

This online tool will help calculate your commodity cheese usage

THE RIGHT CHEESE FOR YOU

With a wide variety of cheese types and product formats, Bongards makes your cheese, your way!

CHEESE TYPES



Traditional Matural Cheese

- Contains the highest amount of real cheese
- Most expensive option of cheese types
- May be some variability between batches
- Pound for pound donated foods value



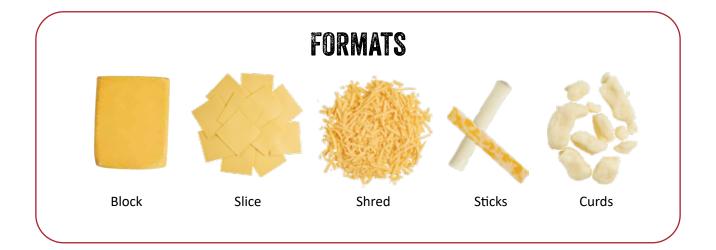
Blended Matural Cheese

- Contains the highest amount of real cheese
- More affordable than traditional natural cheese
- Provides greater consistency than traditional natural cheese
- Pound for pound donated foods value



Processed Cheese

- Made with real, natural cheese
- More affordable than natural cheese
- Provides greater consistency than natural cheese
- High donated foods value



NATURAL CHEESES

Transform your menu with Bongards® Matural Cheeses



IN-DEMAND FLAVORS AND FORMATS

• Cheddar, Mozzarella, Provolone, Swiss, Pepper Jack, Marble Jack, and more

VERSATILITY ACROSS YOUR MENU

- Slices for building signature burgers, sandwiches, and wraps
- Shreds for pizzas, salads, and entrees

FORMS THAT SAVE ON LABOR

- Slices and shreds streamline prep and distribution to your students
- A wide variety of formats and pack sizes to fit your exact needs

BONGAR	BONGARDS® NATURAL SLICES													
Code	Product Name	rBST Free	Slices/ Case	ММА	Serv. Size	Cal	Total Fat (g)	Sat. Fat (g)	Sod. (mg)	Prot. (g)	Case Pack	Net Wt.	Shelf Life	
752451	Yellow Cheddar - 32 Pack	\checkmark	256	0.75	1 Slice	90	7	4	140	5	8/1.5#	12#	180 Days	
752471	Smoked Provolone - 32 Pack	\checkmark	256	0.75	1 Slice	70	6	3.5	190	7	8/1.5#	12#	180 Days	
752481	Swiss - 32 Pack	\checkmark	256	0.75	1 Slice	80	4	3.5	45	6	8/1.5#	12#	180 Days	
752521	Pepper Jack - 32 Pack	\checkmark	256	0.75	1 Slice	80	6	4	140	5	8/1.5#	12#	180 Days	
104411	Pasteurized Blended Yellow Cheddar – 160P	\checkmark	640	0.5	1 Slice	50	4.5	2.5	120	3	4/5#	20#	150 Days	
104421	Pasteurized Blended Yel.Red.Fat Cheddar – 160P	\checkmark	640	0.5	1 Slice	40	3	1.5	110	3	4/5#	20#	150 Days	
104431	Pasteurized Blended Swiss – 160P	\checkmark	640	0.5	1 Slice	50	3.5	2	65	4	4/5#	20#	150 Days	
104441	Pasteurized Blended Pepper Jack – 160P	\checkmark	640	0.5	1 Slice	50	4	2.5	115	3	4/5#	20#	150 Days	
104451	Pasteurized Blended LMPS Mozzarella – 160P	\checkmark	640	0.5	1 Slice	40	3	1.5	100	3	4/5#	20#	150 Days	
104461	Pasteurized Blended Provolone – 160P	\checkmark	640	0.5	1 Slice	45	3.5	2	85	3	4/5#	20#	150 Days	

BONGARDS® NATURAL SHREDS - FANCY

Code	Product Name	rBST Free	Serv./ Case	ММА	Serv. Size	Cal	Total Fat (g)	Sat. Fat (g)	Sod. (mg)	Prot. (g)	Case Pack	Net Wt.	Shelf Life
755121	Yellow Cheddar	\checkmark	320	1	1 oz	110	9	5	180	6	4/5#	20#	180 Days
755131	Monterey Jack	✓	320	1	1 oz	100	8	5	160	7	4/5#	20#	180 Days
771021	Cheddar Jack	~	320	1	1 oz	110	9	5	170	7	4/5#	20#	180 Days

BONGARDS® NATURAL SHREDS - FEATHER

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Code	Product Name	rBST Free	Serv./ Case	ММА	Serv. Size	Cal	Total Fat (g)	Sat. Fat (g)	Sod. (mg)	Prot. (g)	Case Pack	Net Wt.	Shelf Life	
755191	Yellow Cheddar	\checkmark	320	1	1 oz	110	9	5	180	6	4/5#	20#	180 Days	
755501	Yellow Cheddar	\checkmark	480	1	1 oz	110	9	5	180	6	6/5#	30#	180 Days	
755711	Yellow Reduced Fat Cheddar	\checkmark	320	1	1 oz	90	6	4	180	8	4/5#	20#	150 Days	
755961	Sharp Yellow Cheddar	\checkmark	480	1	1 oz	110	9	5	180	6	6/5#	30#	180 Days	
755021	Monterey Jack	\checkmark	320	1	1 oz	100	8	5	160	7	4/5#	20#	180 Days	
755031	Cheddar and Monterey Jack	\checkmark	320	1	1 oz	110	9	5	170	7	4/5#	20#	180 Days	
755071	LMPS Mozzarella	\checkmark	320	1	1 oz	80	5	3	180	6	4/5#	20#	150 Days	
755531	LMPS Mozzarella	\checkmark	480	1	1 oz	80	5	3	180	6	6/5#	30#	150 Days	
755361	Italian Blend		320	1	1 oz	90	6	3.5	200	7	4/5#	20#	120 Days	
755341	Mozzarella/Provolone	\checkmark	320	1	1 oz	90	6	3.5	190	7	4/5#	20#	150 Days	
755261	Mozzarella/Provolone/Cheddar	\checkmark	320	1	1 oz	90	6	3.5	190	6	4/5#	20#	150 Days	

PROCESSED CHEESES

For the best melt and unparalleled consistency, choose Bongards® Processed Cheese



MADE FROM OUR NATURAL CHEESE

- Delivers a rich, creamy flavor for greater student satisfaction
- Increases your menu quality and consistency, serving after serving

IN-DEMAND FLAVORS

- Includes timeless flavors like American, Swiss, and Jalapeno
- Ideal to craft everything from sandwiches to quesos to casseroles

SOLUTIONS FOR TODAY'S NEEDS

• Choose reduced fat/sodium options for students with dietary needs

BONGARDS® PROCESSED BLOCKS													
Code	Product Name	rBST Free	Serv./ Case	ММА	Serv. Size	Cal	Total Fat (g)	Sat. Fat (g)	Sod. (mg)	Prot. (g)	Case Pack	Net Wt.	Shelf Life
202631	Yellow American	 ✓ 	480	1	1 oz	110	9	5	350	6	6/5#	30#	365 Days
202641	White American	\checkmark	480	1	1 oz	110	9	5	350	6	6/5#	30#	365 Days
202661	Jalapeno American	\checkmark	480	1	1 oz	100	9	5	350	5	6/5#	30#	365 Days
202741	Yellow Cheese Spread	\checkmark	480	1	1 oz	80	6	3.5	400	4	6/5#	30#	365 Days

BONGARDS[®] PROCESSED SLICES

Code	Product Name	rBST Free	Slices/ Case	ММА	Serv. Size	Cal	Total Fat (g)	Sat. Fat (g)	Sod. (mg)	Prot. (g)	Case Pack	Net Wt.	Shelf Life	
100491	Yellow American - 160V	\checkmark	640	0.5	1 Slice	50	4.5	2.5	220	2	4/5#	20#	365 Days	
101371	Yellow American - 160V	\checkmark	960	0.5	1 Slice	50	4.5	2.5	220	2	6/5#	30#	365 Days	
100811	Yellow American - 200P	\checkmark	800	0.25	1 Slice	40	3.5	5	170	2	4/5#	20#	365 Days	
100501	White American - 160V	\checkmark	640	0.5	1 Slice	50	4.5	2.5	220	2	4/5#	20#	365 Days	
100521	Reduced Sodium Yellow American - 160H	✓	640	0.5	1 Slice	50	4.5	2.5	130	2	4/5#	20#	365 Days	
101321	Reduced Fat Yellow American - 160H	✓	960	0.5	1 Slice	35	2	1.5	220	3	6/5#	30#	365 Days	
100541	Reduced Fat/Sodium Yellow American - 160H	✓	640	0.5	1 Slice	40	3	2	140	3	4/5#	20#	365 Days	
101351	Reduced Fat/Sodium Yellow American - 160H	\checkmark	960	0.5	1 Slice	40	3	2	140	3	6/5#	30#	365 Days	
100431	Swiss American - 160H	\checkmark	640	0.5	1 Slice	50	4	2.5	210	2	4/5#	20#	365 Days	
103411	American With Hot Peppers - 120H	✓	480	0.5	1 Slice	70	6	3.5	280	3	4/5#	20#	365 Days	
103451	American With Hot Peppers - 160P	\checkmark	640	0.5	1 Slice	50	4	2.5	210	2	4/5#	20#	365 Days	

BONGAR	BONGARDS® PROCESSED SHREDS												
Code	Product Name	rBST Free	Serv./ Case	ММА	Serv. Size	Cal	Total Fat (g)	Sat. Fat (g)	Sod. (mg)	Prot. (g)	Case Pack	Net Wt.	Shelf Life
755911	Yellow American Feather Shred	\checkmark	320	1	1 oz	110	8	5	320	5	4/5#	20#	180 Days
755411	Yellow Reduced Fat American Feather Shred	\checkmark	320	1	1 oz	70	4	2.5	430	6	4/5#	20#	150 Days
755351	White American With Hot Peppers Feather Shred	\checkmark	320	1	1 oz	100	8	5	380	5	4/5#	20#	180 Days

SINGLE SERVE

On-the-go snacks that your students will love



STICKS

- A convenient, flavorful snack
- 6g or more of protein for a satisfying snack
- Mozzarella, cheddar, and marble with reduced fat options
- Individually wrapped for grab-n-go

CURDS

- Fresh cheddar cheese in its natural form
- 14g of protein in every 2oz pack
- Cheddar and ranch flavors
- Individually wrapped for grab-n-go

BONGAR	BONGARDS® STICKS												
Code	Product Name	rBST Free	Serv./ Case	ММА	Serv. Size	Cal	Total Fat (g)	Sat. Fat (g)	Sod. (mg)	Prot. (g)	Case Pack	Net Wt.	Shelf Life
402951	LMPS Mozzarella String Cheese Sticks	\checkmark	168	1	1 oz	80	6	3.5	200	7	168/1oz	10.5#	150 Days
402911	Cheddar Cheese Sticks	\checkmark	168	1	1 oz	110	9	6	180	7	168/1oz	10.5#	180 Days
402931	Marble Cheese Sticks	\checkmark	168	1	1 oz	110	9	5	170	7	168/1oz	10.5#	180 Days
402991	Reduced Fat LMPS Mozzarella Cheese Sticks	\checkmark	168	1	1 oz	60	3	2	200	7	168/1oz	10.5#	180 Days
402921	Reduced Fat Cheddar Cheese Sticks	~	168	1	1 oz	90	6	3.5	210	8	168/1oz	10.5#	180 Days
402941	Reduced Fat Marble Cheese Sticks	\checkmark	168	1	1 oz	90	6	3.5	210	8	168/1oz	10.5#	180 Days

BONGARDS® CURDS													
Code	Product Name	rBST Free	Serv./ Case	ММА	Serv. Size	Cal	Total Fat (g)	Sat. Fat (g)	Sod. (mg)	Prot. (g)	Case Pack	Net Wt.	Shelf Life
482101	Cheddar Cheese Curds	 ✓ 	80	2	2 oz	220	16	10	420	12	40/2oz	5#	270 Days
482121	Ranch Cheddar Cheese Curds	 ✓ 	80	2	2 oz	220	16	10	420	12	40/2oz	5#	270 Days





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