



## Standard Operating Procedures

# SIGNATURE 8 oz. BURRITOS



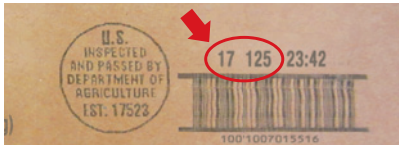
8 oz.

Burritos are cook-and-serve products and should be cooked to an internal temperature that reaches or exceeds 165°F. Equipment performance may vary. Adjust time and temperature accordingly.

### What You'll Need:

- El Monterey Signature 8 oz. Burritos
- Plastic gloves
- Thermometer (clean & sanitized)
- Suggested burrito toppings: shredded Cheddar cheese or cheese sauce, shredded lettuce, diced tomatoes, sliced black olives, onions, sour cream, guacamole, salsa, or picante sauce.

### Storage & Thawing:



- Product may be stored frozen for up to one year from the 5-digit manufacture date on the case. The first two digits indicate the year (2017 in example shown). The last three digits indicate the day of the year (125th day in example, or May 5th).
- Thaw for 12-24 hours at a refrigerated temperature of 40°F or less. Thawing times may vary.

### Quality Check After Heating:

- Use a sanitized pocket thermometer to ensure that core temperature has reached or exceeded 165°F before serving.
- Hold for up to 3 hours as long as core temperature remains above 140°F. Discard if below 140°F.
- Discard burritos that are excessively cracked or dried out.

## MICROWAVE OVEN

(1,100 watt microwave)

- Do not vent package.
- Place burrito on edge of microwave carousel. Cook for time shown in chart.
- Temperature of burrito filling must reach 165°F or above.
- Let stand 1 minute before serving.

*(Microwaves may vary. Adjust cooking times if necessary.)*



### 1 Burrito

**FROZEN** 50% Power for 2 minutes. Flip burrito over. Continue on HIGH for 2 minutes.

**THAWED** HIGH 1 minute 30 seconds

### 2 Burritos

**FROZEN** 50% Power for 3 minutes. Flip burritos over. Continue on HIGH for 3 minutes 15 seconds.

**THAWED** HIGH 2 minutes 30 seconds

### 3 Burritos

**FROZEN** 50% Power for 4 minutes. Flip burritos over. Continue on HIGH for 4 minutes 50 seconds.

**THAWED** HIGH 3 minutes 45 seconds

**CAUTION: PRODUCT MAY BE HOT**

## CONVECTION OVEN

- Preheat oven to **350°F**.
- Fan setting: **HIGH**.
- Place 4 burritos on a sheet pan. Do not remove or vent wrappers.
- Place in preheated oven for time shown in chart.
- Temperature of burrito filling must reach 165°F or above.
- Let stand 1 minute before serving.



**FROZEN** 37 Minutes

**THAWED** 20 Minutes

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### Grab and Go:

After cooking in wrapper in microwave, serve burritos immediately or hold for up to 3 hours in a warming unit as long as core temperature remains at 140°F and above (maintain warming unit at 145°F). As an option, allow customers to top burritos with desired garnish from a condiment bar.



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