

Registration number 73

Geographical Indication

Carrot from Begeč

Description:

The carrot from Begeč is fresh carrot having a cylinder shape with the rounded tip, with no root hair or secondary sprouts, of intensive orange color, including the neck of the carrot. The characteristic orange color of the carrot is due to beta-carotene. The meat of the carrot is crisp, rigid, and very tasty and sweet thanks to the contents of sugar. From the basic food constituents, the carrot from Begeč contains at the most the carbon hydrates (more than 5%) from which its high nutrition value originates. It contains more than 40mg/100gr of beta-carotene (depending on the time of production) which secures its characteristic orange color that turns into vitamin A in the human organism. Apart from the vitamin A, it contains also vitamins B, C and E. In addition, it is rich in minerals (potassium, sodium, magnesium, iron, calcium, phosphorus, and in traces one can find manganese, copper, zinc and cobalt).

Geographical area:

The product with the geographical indication Carrot from Begeč is produced exclusively on the territory of the Begeč and part of the area of Futog, Gložane and Čelarevo.