# FreshCase<sup>®</sup> Active Packaging for Case-Ready Meat

Extend the shelf life of your fresh meat products and achieve the fresh red color consumers prefer

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Deliver more value with packaging that has all the advantages of vacuum with the fresh red color consumers prefer



FreshCase<sup>®</sup> technology from Amcor that solves the meat industry's vacuum packaging challenge by delivering meat that blooms fresh and maintains its bright color throughout an extended shelf life.

With FreshCase<sup>®</sup> technology, you'll achieve the fresh red color consumers prefer, in attractive formats that deliver more value:

- Compatible with bone-in and boneless beef, pork and lamb in forming/non-forming film, vacuum skin packaging and ground beef chubs
- Stays fresh after purchasing 7x longer than PVC-wrapped cuts
- Meats age naturally, and tenderize right in the package
- Freezer-ready format allows meats to be frozen without repackaging, eliminating freezer burn
- Uses less refrigerator space than MAP packages
- Eliminates messy leaks in shopping bags, refrigerators, counters, and freezers
- Easy-open options allow packages to open effortlessly without knives or scissors
- Improved flavor compared to high-oxygen gas-flush packaging
- Less waste due to increased product shelf life

# **Deliver more profit**

For retailers looking to improve meat margins and expand online and home delivery sales, and for processors needing to offset rising costs and market volatility, FreshCase<sup>®</sup> active packaging can deliver more profit. Achieve a 14-day display life with FreshCase® packaging vs. a 3- to 5-day display life for current tray overwrap packages.

REDUCE PULLS & MARKDOWNS BY

### Dramatically increase in shelf life

 Vacuum packaging allows over 30 days shelf life for whole muscle beef



#### Improve safety, quality, and presentation

- Hermetic seals eliminate leakers/mess in the display case
- Remove back room contact with centralized case-ready packaging that assures product safety
- Eliminates the aesthetic drawbacks of high-oxygen gas-flushed packaging such as purge or "black bones"
- Greater visibility allows promotion of the product from all angles
- Stand out with full color printing and QR codes that expand reach

## Expand SKUs, control price points and support evolving retail trends

- Expand selection and capture upscale buyers with premium products by maximizing shelf and display life
- Profitably stock and promote limited specialty or seasonal cuts
- Eliminate lost profit opportunities caused by stock-outs
- Use less display and back-room refrigerator space
- Expand sales with a leak-free package adapted for growing online ordering and home delivery

#### Drive more profit per pound

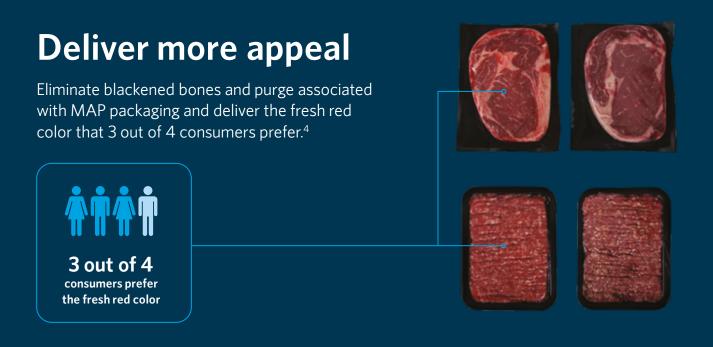
Lower your total cost per pound up to 10% compared to traditional case-ready formats<sup>2</sup>



 $^{\rm 1}$  When compared to traditional case-ready formats using a typical product loss rate of 10%.

<sup>2</sup>Results vary by application. Assumes meat product accounts for 80% of total cost per pound, reductions impact remaining 20% of total cost.

<sup>3</sup> Remove oxygen scavengers, soaker pads, gas and mother bags.



## **Deliver more sustainability**

Compared to traditional case-ready formats, FreshCase<sup>®</sup> active packaging can help reduce food waste, reduce packaging, and save resources.



<sup>4</sup> When compared to the purple color of conventional vacuum packaging in an independent study of meat consumers.

<sup>5</sup> When compared to high-oxygen modified atmosphere trays or overwrap packaging.



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