

Winpak Wins IOPP AmeriStar Award



Winpak, Great Lakes Cheese, Harpak and G. Mondini were recipients of the IOPP AmeriStar award in the food category for their new natural sliced cheese recloseable, modified atmosphere package.

This unique three-component package consists of a high-barrier rigid thermoformed tray and a nonforming peelable lidding film. The super clear, plug fit, lid incorporates a UV blocking agent. The tray and lid are manufactured at Winpak's South Chicago Heights plant and the lidding film is produced at its Winnipeg facility.



The new three-part package offers convenient easy-open and closing features, while providing extended shelf life for the Great Lakes Cheese product. Thanks to proprietary material technology offered by Winpak and innovative tray-sealing equipment engineering from Harpak/Mondini, the package can be merchandised on existing retail peg boards or spring-loaded shelving systems,

The award-winning package is another excellent example of Winpak working in conjunction with its customer to create an innovative packaging solution. Winpak previously won AmeriStar and WorldStar awards for its Pringles® snack cup.