

# Chili Cheesy Dog

If it's a footlong dog it better have footlong flavor! A griddled footlong all-beef hot dog is topped with **Merkt's® Sharp Cheddar Cheese**, piping hot bean chili and chopped pickled jalapeños for good measure; served on a soft bun.

## INGREDIENTS:

- 6 C Merkt's® Sharp Cheddar, room temperature
- 48 each hot dog, all beef, footlong
- 48 each bun, hot dog, footlong, lightly toasted
- 6 C chili, bean, prepared
- 3 C jalapeños, pickled, rough chopped

## METHOD:

1. Pre-cook the hot dogs in small batches, by steaming and then holding warm for service.
  - a. Hot dogs can also be cooked (steamed & griddled) to order.
2. Heat the chili needed for service—then hold hot, in an electric bain-marie or on a steam table, for service.
3. **For 1 order:** Place a hot dog on a hot griddle (360° F) to finish cooking and slightly char. Place the griddled hot dog in a toasted hot dog bun. Smear the entire top of the hot dog with 2 Tbsp Merkt's® Sharp Cheddar, then top with 2 Tbsp chili and 1 Tbsp jalapeños.
4. Repeat for remaining orders as needed.

**PORTIONS:** 48

**SERVING SIZE:** 1 chili cheesy dog

