



# Product Specification

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Affected Dept: All

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<u><b>ORGANIC SHELLED ALMONDS</b></u>			
PRODUCT CODE:	TBC		
ORIGIN:	Italy or Spain		
DESCRIPTION:	Almonds with brown color, without shell and with skin, sweet taste and typical form without any foreign smell or taste. Latin name : Prunus Amygdalus		
GENERAL:	Material supplied will comply with all applicable UK and EEC legislation.		
INGREDIENTS:	100% Almonds		
PHYSICAL:	Size	12/14mm or 34/36 count per oz	
	Out of size	≤ 2%	
	Broken	≤ 5%	
	Bitterness	≤ 3 %	
	Mouldy	≤ 1%	
	Impurities	Shell	15/T
		Foreign bodies from fruit	≤0,1%
Foreign bodies materials		Absence	
Insects		Absence	
CHEMICAL	<b>Parameters</b>	<b>Value</b>	
	Aflatoxins Total (max)	10 ppb	
	Aflatoxin B1 (max)	8 ppb	
	Peroxide Value (max)	10 meq per kilogram	
	Free Fatty Acid (max)	1.0%	
	Moisture (max)	6.5% (target 4%)	
MICROBIOLOGICAL:	TVC (max)	100,000 cfu/gram	
	E Coli (max)	10 cfu/gram	
	Coliform (max)	10 cfu/gram	
	Yeasts and Moulds (max)	10 000 cfu/gram	
	Salmonella (max)	Absent in 25 grams	
	Entrobactericæ (max)	100 cfu/gram	
NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION per 100g Serving	<b>Nutrient</b>	<b>Amount</b>	
	Energy	2623 kJ / 634 kcals	
	Fat	53g	
	Of which saturates	4.19g	
	Carbohydrate	7.9g	
	Of which sugar	4.4g	
	Fiber	10.2g	
	Protein	25g	
	Salt	0.004g	
GLASS:	Product should be completely free of glass fragment or particles.		
PACKAGING:	New clean food grade polythene liners contained in new strong sealed cardboard outers each 25kg. Complies with all relevant legislation and to be clean and free from damage. Packaging to be free from metal or plastic ties, staples or string.		
LABELLING:	Outers to be marked with: - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Net weight</li> </ul>		



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Material type and/or lot no./batch code</li> <li>Date of packing and use by date</li> <li>Country of origin</li> </ul>
FUMIGATION:	Product to be fumigated prior to shipment.
GM STATUS:	Product is free from GMO.
IRRADIATION	Product is free from Irradiation.
STORAGE:	Cool & dry place away from sunlight.
DURABILITY DATE:	12 months when stored at ambient and less than 65% relative humidity.

<b><u>Allergens:-</u></b> When purchased in bulk size original packaging, manufacturer allergen policy will apply. When purchased in quantities that need re-packaging, our allergen policies will apply.						
Component	Manufacturer			Nuts in Bulk ( Applies when bought in small quantities that need re-packaging )		
	In Product	Processed in Same Equipment	Handled on Site	In Product	Processed in Same Equipment	Handled on Site
Cereals containing GLUTEN and products thereof	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES
EGGS or its derivatives	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
FISH or its derivatives	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
CRUSTACEANS / SHELLFISH	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
MOLLUSCS	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
PEANUTS or derivatives	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES
SOYA BEANS or derivatives	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES
MILK (LACTOSE) or its derivatives	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES
NUTS , tree nuts:	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
CELERY, including celeriac and its derivatives	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES
MUSTARD, referring to all parts of the plant and derivatives thereof	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES
SESAME SEEDS or derivatives	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES
SULPHITES >10ppm – Sulphite quantity to be given in ppm	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES
LUPIN seeds or derivatives	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO

Approval Acceptance			
		Supplier	
Name		Name	
Position	TM	Position	
Date	10/11/2022	Date	