

Product Technical Dossier

| Product | Psyllium Husks Powder (min 85%) (Steam Sterilised) |
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| CCL Product Code | P11990 |

Specification Details

| | Specification | |
|-------------------------|---|--|
| Means of Identification | Specification A-Mounted in cresol-cells viewed microscopically are composed of polygonal prismatic cells having 4 to a straight or slightly wavy walls B-Mounted in alcohol and irrigated with water viewed microscopically, the mucilage in the outer part of the epidermal cells swells rapidly and goes into solution. | |
| Purity | Min 85% | |
| Appearance | Powder | |
| Colour | Pale to Medium Buff with Slight Pinkish Tinge | |
| Aroma | Characteristic | |
| Flavour | Characteristic | |
| Sieve Analysis % passed | Min 95% pass through 40 mesh | |
| Loss on Drying | Max 12% | |
| Ash | Max 4% | |
| Acid Insoluble Ash | Max 1.0% | |
| Bulk Density | Min 0.60g/ml | |
| Tapped Density | Min 0.65g/ml | |
| Swell Volume | Min 40ml/g | |
| Light Extraneous Matter | Max 5% | |
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Microbiological Limits

Insect Fragments/25g

| Total Viable Count | Max 10,000cfu/g |
|--------------------|-----------------|
| Yeasts & Moulds | Max 1,000cfu/g |
| E. Coli | Absent/g |
| Salmonella | Absent/10g |

Heavy Metal Limits

| Lead (Pb) | Max 3ppm |
|--------------|------------|
| Cadmium (Cd) | Max 1ppm |
| Mercury (Hg) | Max 0.1ppm |
| Arsenic (As) | Max 1ppm |

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Max 400/25g



Additional Technical Information

| Raw Material Full Botanical / Chemical Name | Plantago ovata |
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| Part Used | Seeds |
| The material is Food Grade | Yes |
| Country of Origin | India |
| Country of Manufacture | India |
| Shelf Life from Date of Manufacture | Min 2 Years |
| Pharmacopeia Standard Used | USP |
| Suitable for Vegetarians? | Yes |
| Suitable for Vegans? | Yes |
| Storage Conditions | This material is to be stored in a tightly sealed bag/container and to be kept in a cool place away from moisture and direct sunlight. |

Composition Origin, Function and Percentages

| Ingredients | Function | % composition | Source |
|----------------------|----------|---------------|-------------------------|
| Psyllium Husk Powder | / | 100% | Seeds of Plantago ovata |

Nutritional Data*

| Test | Value per 100g |
|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Energy kJ / Kcal | 806 KJ / 192 Kcal |
| Fat (g) | 0.6g |
| -Of which Saturates (g) | 0.1g |
| Carbohydrate (g) | 2.7g |
| -Of which Sugars (g) | <1.0g |
| Fibre (g) | 86g |
| Protein (g) | 1.2g |
| Salt (g) | 0.25g |

^{*}Calculated based on tested nutrition information provided by supplier (adjustments made to make the information suitable for the EU market)

Please note that surveillance testing may mean that not all the parameters stated on this specification are tested for every batch.

The allergen information is supplied by the manufacturer, we have not tested for each individual allergen to ensure they are not present. The information given is based on a documented risk assessment and is accurate to the best of our knowledge. If you intend to make a voluntary "free from" claim on your pack, additional testing may need to be carried out. For technical and labelling guidance, you should always speak to the competent authority for the market or member state in which the final products are placed.

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| Allergens | Product Contains YES/NO | Listed Item on Site at Manufacturer YES/NO | Where applicable, is there risk of cross- contamination? YES/NO or N/A |
|---|-------------------------------|---|---|
| Peanuts and Peanut Derivatives (including possible cross contamination) | No | No | N/A |
| Nut and Nut Derivatives Almond (Amygdalus communis L.), Hazelnut (Corylus avellana), Walnut (Juglans regia), Cashew (Anacardium occidentale), Pecan nut (Carya illinoiesis (Wangenh.) K. Koch), Brazil nut (Bertholletia excelsa), Pistachio nut (Pistacia vera), Macadamia nut and Queensland nut (Macadamia ternifolia) | No | No | N/A |
| Sesame Seeds and Sesame Seed Derivatives | May Contain | No | Yes, This material may contain sesame due to growing in the same fields |
| Milk and Milk Derivatives (including lactose) | No | No | N/A |
| Egg and Egg Derivatives | No | No | N/A |
| Cereals and Derivatives containing OR POTENTIALLY CONTAMINATED WITHGluten (wheat, wheatgrass, faro, freekeh, spelt, kamut, rye, oats, barley, barley grass) | No | No | N/A |
| Soya and Soya Derivatives | No | No | N/A |
| Lupin and Lupin Derivatives | No | No | N/A |
| Mustard and Mustard Derivatives | May Contain | No | Yes, This material may contain Mustard due to growing in the same fields |
| Celery or Celery Derivatives (including Celeriac) | No | No | N/A |
| Fish and Fish Derivatives | No | No | N/A |
| Molluscs and their Derivatives | No | No | N/A |
| Crustaceans and their Derivatives | No | No | N/A |
| Sulphur Dioxide and Sulphites (E220, E228) at levels > 10mg/kg or 10mg/litre | No | No | N/A |

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| Additives / Contaminants / Dietary Requirements / Intolerances | Product Contains YES/NO | Listed Item on Site at Manufacturer YES/NO | Where applicable, is there risk of cross- contamination? YES/NO or N/A |
|--|-------------------------------|---|---|
| Additives / E Numbers | No | No | N/A |
| Antioxidants | No | No | N/A |
| Ethylene Oxide | No | No | N/A |
| Gelatine | No | No | N/A |
| Flavourings (Artificial / Nature Identical / Natural / Smoked) | No | No | N/A |
| Maize / Corn and any Derivatives | No | No | N/A |
| Legumes / Pulses | No | No | N/A |
| Rice and Rice Derivatives | No | No | N/A |
| Added Salt | No | No | N/A |
| Added Sugar / artificial or natural sweeteners | No | No | N/A |
| Aspartame | No | No | N/A |
| BHA / BHT (E320 / E321) | No | No | N/A |
| Caffeine | No | No | N/A |
| Colours (Artificial / Nature Identical / Natural / Smoked) | No | No | N/A |
| Dextrose | No | No | N/A |
| other Seeds and Seed Derivatives (Poppy Seeds, Cotton Seeds, Sunflower Seeds) | Yes | Yes | Product originates from seeds of Plantago ovata |
| Kiwi fruit | No | No | N/A |
| Polyols (sugar alcohols) | No | No | N/A |
| Grapefruit | No | No | N/A |
| Sorbic Acid (E200, E203) | No | No | N/A |
| Any other Preservatives | No | No | N/A |
| Ethanol | No | No | N/A |
| Honey | No | No | N/A |
| Lactose | No | No | N/A |
| Yeast and Yeast Derivatives | No | No | N/A |
| All Animal Products (Beef, Pork, Poultry or other) and Derivatives (which may include growth/yield hormones, antibiotics etc.) | No | No | N/A |
| Bovine Products or Derivatives (which may include growth/yield hormones, antibiotics etc.) | No | No | N/A |

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Statements

| Confirmation of BSE / TSE Status This is to certify that this product complies with all relevant current UK and EU Legislative requirements in regard to Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies (TSE) and Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy (BSE) for human food, and so is free of TSE/BSE. | Yes |
|---|-----|
| This is also to certify that, during the course of their manufacture, the above-mentioned product did not come into contact with any materials, which could be derived from TSE/BSE risk materials. | Yes |
| Confirmation of GM Status This is to certify that this product is not manufactured from GM raw materials and is therefore not subject to labelling under current regulations. | Yes |
| Confirmation of Non-Irradiation Status This is to certify that this product, whole or in part, has not been subjected to Ionising Radiation as per European Directives. | Yes |
| Confirmation of Nandrolone Status This is to certify that this product, whole or in part, has not come into contact with Nandrolone or any of its precursors in any way. | Yes |
| Confirmation of IOC Product Status This is to certify that this product, whole or in part, has not come into contact with any product/s, which is banned by the IOC (International Olympics Committee) and or WADA. | Yes |
| Confirmation of Animal Testing Status This is to certify that all the products sold by Cambridge Commodities have not been tested on animals in any part of its manufacture in accordance with current regulations. | Yes |
| Confirmation of Pesticides Status This is to certify that the above-mentioned product complies with the EU max residue limits (MRLs) on pesticides. | Yes |
| Confirmation of Nanoparticles Status This is to certify that unless otherwise stated, the above-mentioned product is free of nanoparticles. Commission Recommendation, defines as follows: "Nanomaterial" means a natural, incidental or manufactured material containing particles, in an unbound state or as an aggregate or as an agglomerate and where, for 50 % or more of the particles in the number size distribution, one or more external dimensions is in the size range 1 nm - 100 nm". | Yes |
| Packaging Status We hereby certify that the packaging used in the above-mentioned material conforms to EU regulations and subsequent amendments on food grade packaging | Yes |
| Confirmation of PAH status This is to certify that the above-mentioned product complies with the max PAH limits set by the EU regulations | Yes |

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Product Flow Chart

Receipt of Raw Material from Supplier Psyllium Seeds Feed to hopper (Raw Material) → Magnet Pre-Cleaning through various screen & Sieves → Magnet Wastage ← ↓ Polisher Scarified with Aspiration system Wastage ← ↓ Main Cleaning through various sieves, Aspirator, Destoner and Precision Air classifier → Magnet Wastage ← ↓ Cleaned Seeds Elevated Storage Seeds Grinding (re-grinding if not as per requirements) \rightarrow Magnet Husk Sieve Shaker → Magnet Gravity Separator, if required Wastage ← Winnowing Graded Husk bagging (Semi-finished product) Blending Packing Materials $\leftarrow \downarrow \rightarrow$ Sampling and in-house testing Primary Sieving → Magnet Transfer to powder plant Powdering by powder plant machinery Final sieving (CCP-01) Final packing \rightarrow Magnet (**) Fumigation, if required Dispatch

(**) Potential Fumigants Europe= Aluminium Phosphide & CO2 Rest of the World = Methyl Bromide

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Material Safety Data Sheet

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The Information provided in this document is subject to change and the batch specific certificate of analysis should always be referenced.

To be used as per local legislation.

Change History

| Version | Change | Customer Notification required Yes / No |
|---------|--|---|
| 1 | First Issue | N/A |
| 2 | Amended the additives table due to a clerical error | Yes |
| 3 | Changed Purity from Min 85% to Min 95%, Sieve analysis from 95% through a 60 Mesh to Min 95% Pass through 40 mesh, Bulk Density from ~0.5g/ml to Min 0.60g/ml, Tapped Density from ~0.7g/ml to Min 0.65g/ml & Yeast & Moulds from Max 50,000cfu/g to Max 1,000cfu/g Added Acid Insoluble Ash Max 1.0%, Light Extraneous Matter Max 5%, Insect Fragments Max 400/25g Updated Nutritional Data for Energy kJ / Kcal and Carbohydrates & Allergens table from product contains Sesame seeds & Mustard to | Yes |
| | May Contain | |
| 4 | Changed Purity from Min 95% to Min 85%, Sieve Analysis % passed from Min 95% Pass through 40 mesh to Min 95% Pass through 60 mesh, Swell Volume from Min 40ml/g to Min 35ml/g & Light Extraneous Matter from Max 5% to Max 15% | Yes |
| | Removed Pharmacopeia Standard Used- USP | |
| 5 | Amended nutritional table to match suppliers information | Yes |

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Change History

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| | Amended sieve analysis from Min 95% Pass through 60 mesh to Min 95% pass through 40 mesh, swell volume from Min 35ml/g to Min 40ml/g, Light Extraneous Matter from Max 15% to Max 5%, Total Viable Count from Max 500,000cfu/g to Max 10,000cfu/g, colour description from "Pale to Medium Buff with Slight Pinkish Tinge" to "Pale Buff Coloured". Removed solubility in Alcohol and Water and updated nutrition table. Added confirmation product complies with limits set within USP. | Yes |

Document Approval

| Originator | | Approver | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|--|
| John Feethann X 3105/2024 15:52 | Alan Feetham QA Technician | Ash Bayne | Ash Bayne Senior Quality Specialist |

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