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	Product Specification	

Product Information				
Product Name	Provincial Currants			
Product Description	Greek Provincial Currants			
Ingredient	% in Mixing Bowl	Country of Origin		
Provincial Currants	99.5% Min	Greece		
Sunflower Oil	0.5% Max			
Ingredient Declaration				
Ingredients: Currants, Sunflower Oil				
Pack Size(s) - Bulk	Product Code		Pack Size	
	0507212		12.5kg	
Pack Size(s) - Repacked	Product Code	Pack Size	Product Code	Pack Size
	0507103	3kg	0507314	4 x 3kg
	0507396	6 x 1kg	0507400	10 x 1kg
	0507550HP	12 x 500g		
This list is not exhaustive				

Photograph	
Typical Example of Raw Material	
	

Shelf Life & Storage Conditions		
Maximum Shelf at Packing	365	Days
Minimum Life on Receipt (MLOR)	90	Days
Storage Temperature on Delivery	Ambient	
Storage Instructions	Store in a cool dry place out of direct sunlight	

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Microbiological Standards			
Test	Target	Acceptable	Reject
TVC	<10,000 cfu/g	100,000 cfu/g	>100,000 cfu/g
E.coli	<10 cfu/g	100 cfu/g	>100 cfu/g
S.aureus	<10 cfu/g	100 cfu/g	>100 cfu/g
Enterobacteriaceae	<50 cfu/g	100 cfu/g	>100 cfu/g
Yeasts & Moulds	<1,000 cfu/g	100,000 cfu/g	>100,000 cfu/g
Salmonella	Not Detected in 25g	Not Detected in 25g	Detected in 25g

Chemical Standards			
Test	Target	Acceptable	Reject
Moisture	<17%	17%	>17%
Ochratoxin A	<8 ppb	8 ppb	>8 ppb

Sensory Details	
Appearance	Brown/Blue/Black Currants
Aroma	Typical of vine fruit with no off or objectionable odours
Taste	Typical of vine fruit with no off or objectionable flavours
Texture	Slightly soft

Physical Standards			
Parameter	Target	Acceptable	Reject
Stalks >10 mm (per ton)	Absent	16	>16
Stalks 4 – 10 mm (per 12.5kg)	Absent	1	>1
Pip Count (% per berries)	<3%	3%	>3%
Capstems (% per berries)	<2%	2%	>2%
Damaged Berries (% per berries)	<3%	3%	>3%
Sugared Berries (% per berries)	<4%	4%	>4%
Red Berries	<15%	15%	>15%
Underdeveloped	<0.3%	0.3%	>0.3%
Foreign Seeds (per ton)	Absent	5	>5
EVM (extraneous vegetable matter) (per ton)	Absent	4	>4
Stones (per ton)	Absent	3	>3
Foreign Bodies (per ton)	Absent	3	>3
Infestation	Absent	Absent	Present

Bulk Packaging		
	Primary	Secondary
Material	Food Grade Plastic Liner	Corrugated Cardboard Box
Closure Method	Folded	Tape
Repacked Packaging		
	Primary	Secondary
Material	Clear Food Grade Plastic	Corrugated Cardboard
Closure Method	Heat Seal and/or Clear Sticky Tape	Brown Gum Tape or Clear Sticky Tape

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Nutritional Information	
Parameter	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	1222
Energy (Kcal)	288
Protein (g)	2.3
Available Carbohydrates (g)	67.8
Of Which Sugars (g)	67.8
Fat (g)	0.4
Of Which Saturates (g)	0.1
Salt (g)	0.1
Fibre (g)	1.9
Source: McCance & Widdowson's Seventh Summary Edition (kJ and Kcal calculated in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 1169/2011)	

Allergens				
Component (and products thereof)	Contains (Bulk)	Contains (Repack)	Handled at Shepcote	Comments
Cereals containing gluten	N	MC	☒	
Crustaceans	N	N	☐	
Eggs	N	N	☒	
Fish	N	N	☐	
Peanuts	N	MC	☒	
Soybeans	N	N	☒	
Milk	N	N	☒	
Nuts	N	MC	☒	
Celery	N	N	☒	
Mustard	N	N	☒	
Sesame	N	MC	☒	
Sulphur Dioxide >10 mg/kg	N	N	☒	
Lupin	N	N	☐	
Molluscs	N	N	☐	
Y = Contains, N = Does Not Contain, MC = May Contain				

Suitable for		
Group	Bulk	Repacked
Vegetarian	Yes	Yes
Vegan	Yes	Yes
Kosher (Certified)	No	No
Halal (Certified)	No	No

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Other Intolerances and/or Food Groups			
Component	Contains		Comments
	Yes	No	
Genetically Modified Organisms (GMO)	☐	☒	
Irradiated Materials	☐	☒	
Hydrogenated Fat/Oil	☐	☒	
Palm Oil	☐	☒	
Maize or Maize Derivatives	☐	☒	
Vegetable & Vegetable Derivatives	☐	☒	
Yeast & Yeast Derivatives	☐	☒	
Seeds, Seed Oil & Seed Derivatives	☒	☐	Sunflower Oil
Fruit & Fruit Derivatives	☒	☐	Currants
Flavouring, Colours or Preservatives	☐	☒	
Beef, Pork, Lamb, Poultry & Derivatives	☐	☒	
Gelatine	☐	☒	
Other Animal Derivatives	☐	☒	
Added Sugar	☐	☒	
Added Salt	☐	☒	
Mono Sodium Glutamate (MSG)	☐	☒	
Artificial Colours Including Azo Dyes	☐	☒	
BHA/BHT	☐	☒	
Kiwi	☐	☒	
Cinnamon	☐	☒	
Cocoa	☐	☒	
Coriander	☐	☒	

Signed for and on behalf of			
Name	Position	Signature	Date

Please sign and return a copy of this specification within two weeks of receipt. Failure to do so will be deemed as customer acceptance

Signed for and on behalf of Shepcote Distributors Ltd			
Name	Position	Signature	Date
Jurate Junduliene	Quality Manager		23.09.26