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Product Specification

Product Information

Product Name	Dried Figs	
Product Description	Naturally Sun Dried Figs	
Ingredient	% in Mixing Bowl	Country of Origin
Figs	100%	Turkey

Ingredient Declaration

Ingredients: Figs

Pack Size(s) - Bulk	Product Code	Pack Size	Product Code	Pack Size
	0514110	10kg	0514212	12.5kg
Pack Size(s) - Repacked	Product Code	Pack Size	Product Code	Pack Size
	0514101	1kg	0514103	3kg
	0514314	4 x 3kg	0514396	6 x 1kg
0514400	10 x 1kg	0514525HP	12 x 250g	

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	50,000 cfu/g	>50,000 cfu/g
Salmonella	Not Detected in 25g	Not Detected in 25g	Detected in 25g

Chemical Standards

Test	Target	Acceptable	Reject
Moisture	<26%	26%	>26%
Ochratoxin A	<8 ppb	8ppb	>8 ppb
Aflatoxin Total	<10 ppb	10 ppb	>10 ppb
Aflatoxin B1	<6 ppb	6 ppb	>6 ppb

Sensory Details

Appearance	Light to medium Brown, uniform figs
Aroma	Sweet & fruity with no off odours
Taste	Sweet & fruity with no off flavours
Texture	Soft to firm, but not tough

Physical Standards

Parameter	Target	Acceptable	Reject
Dead Infestation	<0.5%	3%	>3%
Insect Damage	<16%	16%	>16%
Split, Torn, Sunscald, Excessively Torn	<10%	25%	>25%
Mouldy and/or Fermented	<4%	5%	>5%
Dirty	<2%	2%	>2%
Undeveloped	<4%	4%	>4%
Sugared (New Crop Prior to December)	<3%	3%	>3%
Sugared (December – March)	<6%	6%	>6%
Sugared (After March)	<50%	50%	>50%
Stones <2mm	<2	2	>2
Stones >2mm	Absent	Absent	Present
EVM	Absent	0.5%	0.5%
Live Infestation	Absent	Absent	Present

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Size			
Parameter	Target		
Number of whole fruit/kg	Large	1	<41
		2	41-45
		3	46-50
		4	51-55
	Medium	5	56-60
		6	61-65
		7	66-70
	Small	8	71-80
		9	81-100
		10	101-120
		11	>120

Bulk Packaging		
	Primary	Secondary
Material	Food Grade LDPE/PE	Corrugated Cardboard Box
Closure Method	Folded	Tape
Repacked Packaging		
	Primary	Secondary
Material	Clear food grade plastic	Corrugated Cardboard
Closure Method	Heat Seal	Brown Gum Tape or Clear Sticky Tape

Nutritional Information	
Parameter	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	993
Energy (Kcal)	235
Protein (g)	3.3
Available Carbohydrates (g)	48.6
Of Which Sugars (g)	48.6
Fat (g)	1.5
Of Which Saturates (g)	0.1
Salt (g)	0.2
Fibre (g)	6.9

Source: McCance & Widdowson's Seventh Summary Edition
 (kJ and Kcal calculated in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 1169/2011)



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Allergens				
Component (and products thereof)	Contains (Bulk)	Contains (Repack)	Handled at Shepcote	Comments
Cereals containing gluten	N	MC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Crustaceans	N	N	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Eggs	N	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Fish	N	N	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Peanuts	N	MC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Soybeans	N	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Milk	N	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Nuts	N	MC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Celery	N	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Mustard	N	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Sesame	N	MC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Sulphur Dioxide >10 mg/kg	N	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Lupin	N	N	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Molluscs	N	N	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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

Other Intolerances and/or Food Groups			
Component	Contains		Comments
	Yes	No	
Genetically Modified Organisms (GMO)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Irradiated Materials	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Hydrogenated Fat/Oil	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Palm Oil	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Maize or Maize Derivatives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Vegetable & Vegetable Derivatives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Yeast & Yeast Derivatives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Seeds, Seed Oil & Seed Derivatives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Fruit & Fruit Derivatives	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Product is Figs
Flavouring, Colours or Preservatives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Beef, Pork, Lamb, Poultry & Derivatives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Gelatine	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Other Animal Derivatives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Added Sugar	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Added Salt	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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Mono Sodium Glutamate (MSG)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Artificial Colours Including Azo Dyes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
BHA/BHT	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Kiwi	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Cinnamon	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Cocoa	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Coriander	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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

Shepcote Distributors Ltd			
Name	Position	Signature	Date
Jurate Junduliene	Quality Manager		10.11.23