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### Product Specification

#### Product Information

|                        |                            |
|------------------------|----------------------------|
| Product Name           | Citron Slices              |
| Product Description    | Citron slices with glucose |
| Ingredient             | Country of Origin          |
| Citron Slices          | Italy - Sicily             |
| Glucose-Fructose Syrup |                            |
| Citric Acid            |                            |

#### Ingredient Declaration

Ingredients: Citron Slices, Glucose-Fructose Syrup, Citric Acid

|                     |              |           |
|---------------------|--------------|-----------|
| Pack Size(s) - Bulk | Product Code | Pack Size |
|                     | 0622407      | 2.7kg     |

#### Shelf Life & Storage Conditions

|                                 |  |      |
|---------------------------------|--|------|
| Maximum Shelf at Packing        | 730  | 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 |      |

#### Microbiological Standards

| Test               | Target              | Acceptable          | Reject          |
|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| TVC                | <10,000 cfu/g       | 50,000 cfu/g        | >50,000 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    | <500 cfu/g          | 2,000 cfu/g         | >2,000 cfu/g    |
| Salmonella         | Not Detected in 25g | Not Detected in 25g | Detected in 25g |

#### Chemical Standards

| Test                        | Target | Acceptable | Reject        |
|-----------------------------|--------|------------|---------------|
| Brix refractometric at 20°C | 75.5   | 74 - 77    | Outside Range |
| PH                          | 3.8    | 3.6-4.0    | Outside Range |
| Moisture Content            | 17%    | 12 - 22%   | Outside Range |

#### Sensory Details

|            |  |
|------------|--|
| Appearance | Citron slices with glucose   |
| Aroma      | Sweet, citrus, free from off or foreign odours                             |
| Taste      | Sweet. citrus, typical of citrus fruits, free from off or foreign flavours |
| Texture    | Firm   |

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| Physical Standards             |        |            |         |
|--------------------------------|--------|------------|---------|
| Parameter                      | Target | Acceptable | Reject  |
| Stalks (per 10kg)              | <10    | 10         | >10     |
| Peduncles (per 10kg)           | <15    | 15         | >15     |
| Part Peduncles (per 10kg)      | <15    | 15         | >15     |
| Leaves/ Part Leaves (per 10kg) | <3     | 3          | >3      |
| Blemished Pieces               | <1%    | 1%         | >1%     |
| Stone / Pips                   | Absent | Absent     | Present |
| Foreign Materials              | Absent | Absent     | Present |

| Bulk Packaging |                  |                          |
|----------------|------------------|--------------------------|
|                | Primary          | Secondary                |
| Material       | Food Grade Liner | Corrugated Cardboard Box |
| Closure Method | Folded           | Sticky Tape              |

| Nutritional Information     |          |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| Parameter                   | Per 100g |
| Energy (kJ)                 | 1422     |
| Energy (Kcal)               | 335      |
| Protein (g)                 | 0.2      |
| Available Carbohydrates (g) | 81.5     |
| Of Which Sugars (g)         | 79.0     |
| Fat (g)                     | 0.2      |
| Of Which Saturates (g)      | 0.0      |
| Salt (g)                    | 0.15     |
| Fibre (g)                   | 3.2      |

Source: Supplier Specification

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

Y = Contains, N = Does Not Contain, MC = May Contain

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| Suitable for       |      |
|--------------------|------|
| Group              | Bulk |
| Vegetarian         | Yes  |
| Vegan              | Yes  |
| Kosher (Certified) | Yes  |
| Halal (Certified)  | Yes  |

| 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"/>            | Citron Slices          |
| 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Glucose-Fructose Syrup |
| Added Salt                              | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |                        |
| 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 |          | Signature | Date |
|-----------------------------|----------|-----------|------|
| Name                        | Position |           |      |
|                             |          |           |      |

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 |           | 03.05.22 |

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