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Product Specification

Product Information

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| Product Name | Whole & Broken Natural Purple Anthocyanin (E163) Cherries | |
| Product Description | Natural whole pitted glace cherries | |
| Ingredient | % in Mixing Bowl | Country of Origin |
| Cherries | 84% | Spain |
| Glucose Fructose Syrup | 15.4% | |
| Anthocyanins | 0.5% | |
| Citric Acid E330 | 0.1% | |
| Sulphur Dioxide E220 | <100 ppm | |

Ingredient Declaration

Ingredients: Cherries (84%), Glucose-Fructose Syrup, Acidity Regulator: Citric Acid, Colour: Anthocyanin; Stabiliser: **Sulphur Dioxide**.

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| Pack Size(s) - Bulk | Product Code | | Pack Size | |
| | 0678110 | | 10kg | |
| Pack Size(s) - Repacked | Product Code | Pack Size | Product Code | Pack Size |
| | 0678396 | 6 x 1kg | 0678400 | 10 x 1kg |

Photograph

Typical Example of Raw Material



Shelf Life & Storage Conditions

| | | |
|---------------------------------|--|------|
| Maximum Shelf at Packing | 540 | 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 | 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 | 75 | 73 - 77 | Outside Range |
| Total Reducing Sugars | 55% | 50 - 60% | Outside Range |
| PH | 3.75 | 3.5 - 4.0 | Outside Range |
| Sulphur Dioxide | <100 ppm | 100 ppm | >100 ppm |

Sensory Details

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| Appearance | Whole and broken purple glace cherries |
| Aroma | Sweet. Typical of Glace cherries, free from off or foreign odours |
| Taste | Sweet. Typical of Glace cherries, free from off or foreign flavours |
| Texture | Firm flesh but not tough |

Physical Standards

| Parameter | Target | Acceptable | Reject |
|-----------------------------|------------|------------|---------------|
| Free Syrup | <3% | 3% | >3% |
| Stones (per 10kg) | <1 | 1 | >1 |
| Stones Fragments (per 10kg) | <2 | 2 | >2 |
| Foreign Material | Absent | Absent | Absent |
| Stalks (per 10kg) | <2 | 2 | >2 |
| Stained/Blemished Cherries | Approx 20% | - | - |
| Whole Cherries | 75% | 65% - 85% | Outside Range |
| Broken Cherries | 25% | 15% - 35% | Outside Range |

Bulk Packaging

| | Primary | Secondary |
|----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Material | Food Grade Polythene Bag | Corrugated Cardboard Box |
| Closure Method | Folded / Heat Sealed | Clear Sticky Tape |

Repacked Packaging (Bags)

| | Primary | Secondary |
|----------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Material | Clear food grade plastic | Corrugated Cardboard |
| Closure Method | Heat Seal | Brown Gum Tape or Clear Sticky Tape |



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| Nutritional Information | |
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| Parameter | Per 100g |
| Energy (kJ) | 1306 |
| Energy (Kcal) | 307 |
| Protein (g) | 0.0 |
| Available Carbohydrates (g) | 76.4 |
| Of Which Sugars (g) | 54.4 |
| Fat (g) | 0.0 |
| Of Which Saturates (g) | 0.0 |
| Salt (g) | 0.2 |
| Fibre (g) | 1.0 |

Source: Supplier Specification

| 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 | Y | Y | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Preservative <100 ppm |
| Lupin | N | N | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Molluscs | N | N | <input type="checkbox"/> | |

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

| Group | Suitable for | |
|--------------------|--------------|----------|
| | 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) | <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"/> | Cherries |
| Flavouring, Colours or Preservatives | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Sulphur Dioxide, Anthocyanins |
| 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 | | |
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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 | | | |
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| Name | Position | Signature | Date |
| Jurate Junduliene | Quality Manager | | 12.03.24 |

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