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Product Specification

Product Information

Product Name	Chopped Mixed Nuts	
Product Description	A blend of chopped peanuts, almonds and walnuts	
Ingredient	% in Mixing Bowl	Country of Origin
Nibbed Peanuts	70%	Argentina, South Africa, USA, China, India, Brazil. Cleaned & Processed in the UK
Nibbed Walnuts	15%	Poland, USA, India, Bulgaria, Ukraine, Moldavia, Chile, Romania, China, Hungary. Cleaned & Processed in the UK
Nibbed Almonds	15%	USA - Processed in Spain

Ingredient Declaration

Ingredients: Blanched Nibbed **Peanuts** (70%), Blanched Nibbed **Almonds** (15%), **Walnut** (15%).

Pack Size(s)	Product Code	Pack Size	Product Code	Pack Size
	0707101	1kg	0707212	12.5kg
	0707396	6 x 1kg	0707400	10 x 1kg
	0707516HP	12 x 160g		

Photograph

Typical Example of Raw Material



Shelf Life & Storage Conditions

Maximum Shelf at Packing	210	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	<50,000 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	<100 cfu/g	1,000 cfu/g	>1,000 cfu/g
Yeasts & Moulds	<500 cfu/g	1,000 cfu/g	>1,000 cfu/g
Salmonella	Not Detected in 25g	Not Detected in 25g	Detected in 25g

Chemical Standards

Test	Target	Acceptable	Reject
Moisture	<6.5%	6.5%	>6.5%
Free Fatty Acids (FFA)	<1.8%	2.5%	>2.5%
Peroxide Value (PV)	<15 meq/kg	15 meq/kg	>15 meq/kg
Aflatoxin Total	<10 ppb	10 ppb	>10 ppb
Aflatoxin B1	<8 ppb	8 ppb	>8 ppb

Sensory Details

Appearance	Pieces of chopped nuts, some with skin present
Aroma	Nutty, with no off or rancid odours
Taste	Nutty, with no off or rancid flavours
Texture	Firm

Physical Standards

Parameter	Target	Acceptable	Reject
Shell (per 12.5kg)	Absent	4	>4
Skin	<3%	3%	>3%
Discolouration	<5%	5%	>5%
Rancid/Bitter/Undesirable Flavours	<1%	1%	>1%
Soft/Rubbery/Hard Texture	<1%	1%	>1%
Rancid Musky Odour	<1%	1%	>1%
Unnatural Foreign Bodies	Absent	Absent	Present
Extraneous Vegetable Matter	Absent	0.1%	>0.1%

Packaging

	Primary	Secondary
Material	Food grade plastic	Corrugated Cardboard
Closure Method	Heat Seal / Folded	Brown Gum Tape or Clear Sticky Tape



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Nutritional Information

Parameter	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	2498
Energy (Kcal)	604
Protein (g)	23.9
Available Carbohydrates (g)	10.2
Of Which Sugars (g)	5.3
Fat	50.9
Of Which Saturates	7.2
Salt (g)	0.1
Fibre (g)	5.9

Source: Calculated

Allergens

Component (and products thereof)	Contains (Repack)	Handled at Shepcote	Comments
Cereals containing gluten	MC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Crustaceans	N	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Eggs	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Fish	N	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Peanuts	Y	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Peanuts
Soybeans	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Milk	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Nuts	Y	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Walnuts, Almonds
Celery	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Mustard	N	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Sesame	MC	<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

Suitable for

Vegetarian	Yes
Vegan	Yes
Kosher (Certified)	No
Halal (Certified)	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 type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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"/>	
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"/>	

Customer			
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		15.09.21

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