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## Product Specification

# Icing Sugar with Maize Starch

### Alternative names:

Icing Sugar, Icing sugar with maize starch, Cane icing sugar with maize starch, Cane icing sugar.

### Product Description:

A free flowing blend of white powdered sugar and maize starch. It can be used for baking and decorative dusting.

**Ingredient Declaration:** Sugar (97%), Maize starch.

**Botanical Source of sugar:** Sugar cane.

### Chemical and Physical Characteristics

Sucrose	96.5% min.	Invert	0.04% max.
Colour			45 IU max.
Target MA			Typically 20 – 25 micron.
Starch			3.0% +/- 0.5%.

### Microbiological Characteristics

Mesophilic Bacteria/g	40 cfu max.
Yeasts/g	2 cfu max.
Moulds	2 cfu max.
Salmonellae	not detected in 25g
E Coli	not detected in 1g
Staph. Aureus	not detected in 1g

### Food Safety

SO <sub>2</sub>	1 mg/kg max.
Lead	0.1 mg/kg max.
Arsenic	1 mg/kg max.
Copper	2 mg/kg max.

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### Packaging

The product is available in 3kg, 25kg.

**Shelf Life:** Icing sugar will remain in good condition if stored in a cool, dry place. Once opened the product should be stored in an airtight container to avoid lumpiness. Sugar, especially milled sugars, can absorb odours so should not be stored next to products with strong odours.

We suggest use within 2 months of receipt for industrial packed products and avoid double stacking pallets.

Retail packed products are given a 3 year durability date from manufacture.

**Storage Conditions:** Store in dry, ambient conditions, avoiding extremes in temperature and humidity.

**Allergen Status:** This product is Allergen free as defined by European Regulation (EU) 1169/2011 and European Commission Regulation (EC) 41/2009 (Gluten  $\leq$  20ppm).

**GMO Status:** This product is not derived from a genetically modified crop and does not contain GM materials as defined by European commission Regulations 2003/1829/EC and 2003/1830/EC.

**Place of Production/ Packaging:** This product is produced in the UK using raw cane sugar and maize starch of nonUK origin.

**Origin of primary production:** Cane sugar is non-UK origin (See Country of origin statement).

**Religious certification:** Kosher Pareve (non Passover), Halal.

### Mandatory Nutritional Information (per 100g)

Energy (KJ)	1700
Energy (Kcal)	400
Fat (g)	0
of which saturates	0
Carbohydrate (g)	100
of which Sugars	97
Protein (g)	0
Salt* (g)	<0.02

*\*salt content is exclusively due to the presence of naturally occurring sodium*

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#### Additional Nutritional Information (per 100g)

Water (g)	0.4
Fibre (g)	0
Sodium (mg)	6.8

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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

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Name	Position	Signature	Date
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