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### Product Specification

#### Product Information

Product Name	Demerara Sugar
Product Description	A moist demerara sugar
Ingredient	Country of Origin
Sugar	UK, USA, Argentina, Belize, Brazil, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Fiji, Guadeloupe, Guatemala, Guyana, Honduras, Jamaica, Malawi, Mozambique, Nicaragua, Reunion, South Africa, Swaziland, Zambia, Cuba, Paraguay, Mauritius, Swaziland, Algeria, India, Dubai, Belgium, France, Italy, Netherlands, Portugal, Spain

#### Ingredient Declaration

Ingredients: Sugar				
Pack Size(s)	Product Code	Pack Size	Product Code	Pack Size
	5350103HP	3kg	5350312HP	2 x 3kg
	5350750HP	16 x 500g		

#### Shelf Life & Storage Conditions

Shelf Life	Sugar does not require best before date by law
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	<100 cfu/g	100 cfu/g	>1,000 cfu/g
Yeasts & Moulds	<100 cfu/g	100 cfu/g	>500 cfu/g
Salmonella	Not Detected in 25g	Not Detected in 25g	Detected in 25g

#### Chemical Standards

Test	Target	Acceptable	Reject
Colour (ICUMSA Units)	1,200-4,000	-	-
Moisture	<0.5	0.5	>0.5
Lead (mg/kg)	<0.05	0.5	>0.5
Arsenic (mg/kg)	<0.05	1.0	>1.0

#### Sensory Details

Appearance	A moist, light brown sugar crystals
Aroma	Typical of demerara sugar, free from any off or foreign odours
Taste	Sweet and slightly caramelised, free from any off or foreign flavours
Texture	Crunchy

#### Physical Standards

Parameter	Target	Acceptable	Reject
Particle Size (µm)	700	600-1200	Outside Range

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#### Packaging

	Primary	Secondary
Material	Clear Food Grade Plastic	Corrugated Cardboard
Closure Method	Heat Seal and Clear Sticky Tape	Brown Gum Tape or Clear Sticky Tape

#### Nutritional Information

Parameter	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	1687
Energy (Kcal)	397
Protein (g)	0.1
Available Carbohydrates (g)	99.3
Of Which Sugars (g)	99.3
Fat (g)	0.0
Of Which Saturates (g)	0.0
Salt (g)	0.0
Fibre (g)	0.0

Source: Supplier Specification

#### Allergens

Component (and products thereof)	Contains	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	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Soybeans	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Milk	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Nuts	MC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Celery	N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Mustard	N	<input 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

#### 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Product is Sugar
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		25.08.21

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