



QUALITY SPECIFICATION

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BROWN MUSTARD SEED - *Brassica nigra*



PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Colour	brown to dark brown
Taste	typical for mustard seed, pungent, without other foreign taste
Smell	typical for mustard seed, without other foreign odours
Content of foreign matter (stones, glass, plastic)	n.a.
Content of extraneous matter (other parts of the same plant)	max 1%
Content of organic material (admixtures, parts of other plants that are no threat to safety of the product)	max 0,5%
Moisture	max 10 %
Pesticide residues	In accordance with EU Reg. for pesticides residues no 396/2005 and its amendments
Heavy metal, aflatoxins content	In accordance with EU Reg. no 1881/2006 and its amendments

MICROBIOLOGICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Salmonella in 25g	absent
TPC	max 1x10 ⁶ cfu/g
E.coli	absent
Moulds	max 1x10 ⁵ cfu/g
OTHER CHARACTERISTICS	
Packaging	Paper bags, PP bags or another packaging, which meets the requirements of packaging for food contact with European Regulations N°1935/2004 and 10/2011 and their subsequent amendments
Use	Consumer use. Foodstuff. Component for production of dishes, spices.
Transport conditions	Transport meets sanitary and hygienic requirements for food transport, without any impurities and odours after earlier shipments
GMO status	Product is not, neither contains and has not been produced from GMO's according to the EC Regulations N°1829/2003 and 1830/2003
Shelf life	In original closed packing, min 75% expiry date in delivery date
Irradiation	Product has not been treated with ionizing radiation