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	CARDAMOM GROUND	Issue No:	AFGC-S-9
		Change Notice No:	8
		Date Issued:	5/2/2024

Product Identification

Product Name	Cardamom Ground
Country of Origin	Processed in Australia from Imported Ingredient, Origin: Guatemala
Description	The mature, good quality ground fruit pods Ellettaria Cardamom
Intended Use	Food supplied as an ingredient for use in further manufacturing or processing
Ingredient List	Cardamom Ground (100%).

Personal Diet & Regulations

Allergens due to ingredient nature	Cardamom Ground contains no known allergens, and/or derivatives thereof.
Allergen cross-contact statement	No known allergens.
GMO statement	Cardamom Ground is a non GM product.
Halal accreditation	Cardamom Ground is Halal suitable (validation means: Certified).
Kosher accreditation	Cardamom Ground is Kosher suitable (validation means: Certified).

Nutritional Information

Nutrient	Average quantity per 100g	Units
Total Ash	8.5	%
Moisture	11.8	%
Energy	1236	kJ
Protein	10.8	g
Fat	6.7	g
	2.2	g
Carbohydrate	34.4	g
	4.4	g
Dietary Fibre	28	g
Sodium	18	mg

Data from theoretical source (FSANZ + USDA + Supplier Database).

Organoleptic Specification(s)

Test / Parameter	Specification
Colour	Tan to light brown
Flavour	Typical of cardamom
Aroma	Clean, true to type

Physical Specification(s)		
Test / Parameter	Specification	Units
Extraneous Material	≤ 0.1	%
Bulk Index	100 - 140	g / 250 mL
Size	≥ 90 % through 600 µm	N/A

Microbiological Specification(s)		
Test / Parameter	Specification	Units
Salmonella	Not Detected	25g
E. Coli	≤ 10	cfu/g

Chemical Specification(s)		
Test / Parameter	Specification	Units
Water Activity	≤ 0.65	N/A

Packaging description:	Multi-wall paper bag with inner polyethylene liner and sewn closure (25 kg), food grade heat sealed pouch or jar. No staples, wire closure or castrating rings to be used.
Traceability comments:	
Delivery temperature:	Delivery temperature is ambient temperature.
Pack size:	25 or 1 or 0.44kg
Storage and shelf life:	Before opening, the product should be stored in ambient conditions. Additionally, store in a cool, dry place, away from direct sunlight. If stored as advised, the shelf life in original, unopened packaging should be 18* months from the date of production.

The information contained in this specification is based on data considered to be accurate and reliable as at the date of the specification to the best of the supplier's knowledge and belief. It is user's obligation to determine the safe use of the product for its own applications or suitability for use since the conditions of use, handling, storage and disposal are beyond the supplier's control. The user should therefore take all necessary precautions to ensure the safe and suitable use of the product described in the specification.

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