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<b>INGREDIENT SPECIFICATION SPEARMINT LEAVES CUT</b>		Spec. Code: SPEAR535 (10kg) SPEAR535-500 (500g)
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**PRODUCT**

Spearmint Leaves SS - origin: Egypt / Turkey / Morocco

**DESCRIPTION**

The dried, rubbed whole and broken leaves of spearmint (*Mentha spicata / piperita*). This material may contain some degree of stem from the mint plant.

**INGREDIENT LISTING**

Spearmint Leaves

**GMO STATUS**

This product is Non-GM.

**ALLERGEN STATUS**

This product does not contain any known allergens.

**HALAL STATUS**

This product is Halal certified.

**KOSHER STATUS**

This product is Kosher certified.

**CHEMICAL & PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS**

Moisture	≤ 12%
Bulk Index	30 – 50 g/250mL
Particle size	≥ 80% through 5mm
Water activity	≤ 0.690
Purity	≥ 99 %

**ORGANOLEPTICAL REQUIREMENTS**

Colour	Dark green to brown-green, with some seasonal colour variation
Flavour	Strong, clean, sweetish-menthol
Odour	Strong, clean, sweetish-menthol

**MICROBIOLOGICAL REQUIREMENTS**

E.coli	Not detected in 1g
Salmonella	Not detected in 25g

**NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION**

Energy (kJ)	1190
Protein (g)	19.9
Fat (g)	6.0
Saturated Fat (g)	1.6
Total Carbohydrates (g)	52.0
Sugars (g)	0.0
Sodium (mg)	334

*\*Average quantity per 100g (Nutritional Information obtained from USDA, 2023)  
 Average values subject to seasonal variation*

**PACKAGING**

Product is packed multi-walled paper bags with a sewn closure (10kg) or food grade plastic pouches with sealed closure placed into carton (500g). Bag/carton are marked with net weight, product name and code, batch code and best before date.

**PACK SIZE**

10kg / 500g

**STORAGE**

Cool, dry conditions, away from direct sunlight.

**SHELF LIFE**

If stored as requested shelf life is twelve (12) months for 500g packs and eighteen (18) months for 10kg from date of packing.

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<p>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.</p>	