

## **PRODUCT SPECIFICATION**

**Product:** Organic Diced Apricots

**Country of Origin:** Turkey

**Description:** Sound Ripe fruit of *Prunus armenica* (var.vulgaris), dried, mechanically diced, coated with heat-treated rice flour, laser/camera sorted, hand picked on tables, packed and metal detected.

**Taste:** Characteristic flavour of diced apricots free from foreign flavours.

**Texture:** Soft to firm mouth feel, but not hard, sticky or mushy.

**Colour:** Dull brownish orange to light brown with a white coating of rice flour.

### **Ingredients:**

(In descending order by weight)

Apricots\* (97%), Rice Flour\* (3%)

\* Produced to Organic Standards

**Packaging (including labelling):** 12.5kg corrugated cardboard cases with blue polythene inner liner. Labelling includes Product description, country of origin, organic certification details, net weight, date of production & lot number.

Dimensions (W x L x H) mm: 280 x 400 x 165

### **Physical Examination**

Dirt (>2mm)	3.0% max
Prior Infestation	0.5% max
Mineral Stones	1 per MT max.
Pit Fragments	1 piece per 50kg max.
EVM	1 per 25kg max
Foreign Matter (wood, metal, plastic)	Absent
Size	6– 8 mm nominal

### **Chemical Analysis:**

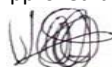
Moisture	23% max
Aflatoxin B <sub>1</sub>	2ppb max
Total Aflatoxin	4ppb max
Sulphur Dioxide	Not detected

### **Microbiological Analysis**

TVC	10,000 cfu /g max
Coliforms	100 cfu /g max
<i>E.coli</i>	Absent in 1g
<i>Salmonella spp.</i>	Absent in 25g
Yeasts	2,000 cfu /g max
Moulds	10,000 cfu /g max

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**Nutritional Information (per 100g):**

Energy, kJ	276
Energy, kcal	1166
Protein	4.8g
Fat	0.7g
Of which saturates	0.1g
Carbohydrate	58g
Of which sugars	58g
Sodium	0.02g
Fibre (Englyst)	9.0g

**Metal Detection:** 1.0mm Ferrous, 1.5mm non Ferrous 1.0 mm Stainless Steel

**Shelf Life from date of delivery:** 12 months in a cool, dry Atmosphere, away from direct sunlight.

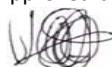
Major Serious Allergens							
Allergen (Including derivatives of the named allergen)	Present in Product	Present on Line	Present in Factory	Allergen (Including derivatives of the named allergen)	Present in Product	Present on Line	Present in Factory
Peanuts	NO	NO	NO	Egg	NO	NO	NO
Nuts	NO	NO	NO	Celery	NO	NO	NO
Sesame Seeds	NO	NO	NO	Mustard	NO	NO	NO
Crustaceans	NO	NO	NO	Soya	NO	NO	NO
Fish	NO	NO	NO	Wheat, barley, rye, oats etc.	NO	NO	NO
Milk/Dairy/ All types	NO	NO	NO	Lupin	NO	NO	NO
Molluscs	NO	NO	NO	Sulphur dioxides inc SO <sub>2</sub>	NO	YES	YES

**NB: Any allergen stated present or on line or in factory, control cross contamination procedures are in place.**

Intolerance Data			
Ingredients/Additives	Present in Product	Ingredients/Additives	Present in Product
Hydrogenated Fat/Oil	NO	BHA/BHT	NO
Palm Oil	NO	Aspartame	NO
All Animal Products	NO	Natural Colours	NO
Yeast/Yeast Derivatives	NO	Artificial Colours	NO
Kiwi/Kiwi Derivatives	NO	Preservatives	NO
Additives	NO	Antioxidants	NO
Azo and Coal Tar Dyes	NO	MSG (added)	NO
Glutamates	NO	MSG (naturally occurring)	NO
Benzoates	NO	Latex	NO

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**Dietary Information:**

Is the product suitable for:	Yes	No
Ovo – Lacto Vegetarians	X	
Vegans	X	
Orthodox Jewish Diet (Kosher certified)	X	

**GMO Declaration:**

Does it Contain:	YES	NO	COMMENTS
Genetic modification (Product & Ingredients)		X	
Soya components (Ingredients/Derivatives/Additives or Flavourings – including Carriers)?		X	
Maize components (Ingredients/Derivatives/Additives or Flavourings – including Carriers)?		X	
Other ingredients which could be derived from a GM source, other than Maize or Soya (e.g Fermentation or Biotechnology products, other GM crops etc)		X	
Requires GM labelling to comply with EC Regulations?		X	

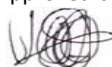
**Quality:** This product shall be free from live infestation and evidence of infestation by rodents or birds. It shall not contain pathogens at levels injurious to human health and will comply with the requirements of the Food Safety Act 1990 and all pertinent regulations made thereunder.

**Conditions of Sale:** All sales are made under Conditions of Sale (available on request). All specifications herein shall not contradict the same

**Specification review:** This specification is an uncontrolled document. The source and the origin of the product covered in this specification may change in time, therefore it is important that the customer reviews the specification to accommodate any changes accordingly.

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