## **PRODUCT SPECIFICATION – MALT VINEGAR 5ltr**

<u>Description</u>	Malt vinegar produced by a biological double fermentation process from malted barley blended with spirit vinegar and acetic acid.		
<u>Appearance</u>	A brown liquid, common to consumer expectations.		
<u>Country of Origin</u>	Produced in the UK.		
Ingredient Declaration (Those ingredients, which are declarable in the finished product under current EC Legislation) Barley Malt Vinegar Spirit Vinegar Acetic Acid			
Allergen Information (Under Dir 2003/89/EC & 2005/2			
Cereals containing G	luten* Yes (malt vinegar from <b>barley</b> )		
Crustaceans	No		
Fish	No		
Molluscs	No		
Egg	No		
Peanuts	No		
Soya	No		
Milk	No		
Tree Nuts	No		
Celery	No		
Mustard	No		
Sesame Seeds	No		
Sulphites >10mg/kg	No		
Lupin	No		

For allergens, including cereals containing gluten, see ingredients in **bold**.

## **Dietary Information**

Is the product suitable for:

Vegetarians	YES
Vegans	YES
Coeliacs	NO*
Kosher	Not certified
Halal	Not certified

\*Gluten from barley is removed or destroyed during the double biological fermentation process used to make malt vinegar. Detectable levels of gluten in malt vinegar are <5mg/kg but even this very low level may still not be suitable for Coeliacs.

<u>Net Volume</u>	5 litres
<u>Sensory</u>	Malt vinegar has a characteristic sweet, acidic flavour and aroma.
<u>Analytical</u>	Minimum acidity 5.0% (as acetic acid) at vinegar blend.

## **Nutritional Information**

Typical values per 100ml of product:

Energy	156kJ / 36kcal	
Fat	0.2g	
-of which saturates	<0.1g	
Carbohydrates	1.6g	
-of which sugars	o.4g	
Protein	o.6g	
Fibre	<0.1g	
Salt	<0.1g	
<u>Packaging</u>	5ltr HDPE natural jerican.	
	38mm Tamper evident screw cap	
	All materials for food containers comply with "The Materials and Articles in	
	Contact with Food Regulations 1987 (as amended).	
<u>Shelf Life</u>	24 months from date of manufacture (un-opened).	
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<u>Storage</u>	The product can be stored at ambient temperature, clean and dry for the	
	duration of the shelf life. Care should be taken to prevent the ingress of air	
over the product for prolonged periods to avoid spoilage growth in the form of Acetobacter		
Xylinium (or more commonly known as mothering).		
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## **Supplier Declaration**

Drivers Foods LLP declare that this product (including its packaging, container and labels relating to it) as described in this specification conforms fully to the requirements of all current and appropriate UK and EU Food, Hygiene & Packaging, Weights & Measures, Trades Description legislation and any other legislation specific to the product. In addition the company will keep abreast of changes to legislation and will work with all parties to ensure the product remains legally compliant.

Drivers Foods LLP reserve the right to purchase equivalent raw materials from other approved suppliers.

Further to this, we warrant that we have carried out sufficient checks on all food supplied as a diligent supplier would have reasonably carried out, to comply with the above legislation and regulations and from this, it is reasonable for our customers to be able to rely upon these checks.

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