

# Demerara Sugar ~ for sticks and sachets

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Alternative names: Brown sugar.

Product Description: - A free-flowing sugar with light brown colour and a subtle caramel taste. Ideal for use in coffee

and beverages.

Ingredient Declaration: Demerara sugar, Brown sugar or Cane sugar.

Botanical Source of sugar: Sugar cane.

#### **Chemical and Physical Characteristics**

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 98.0° min.

 Colour\*
 1000 - 3500 IU

 Moisture
 0.2% max

 MA (mean aperture)
 0.6 - 1.20mm

## Microbiology

Mesophilic bacteria/g 500 cfu max.
Yeasts/g 100 cfu max.
Moulds/g 100 cfu max.
Salmonellae Not detected in 25g.
E. Coli Not detected in 1g.
Staph Aureus Not detected in 1g.

#### **Food Safety**

 $SO_2$  10 mg/kg max. Lead 0.5 mg/kg max. Arsenic 0.5 mg/kg max.

Remarks Raw sugars may contain trace quantities of insoluble matter

#### **Packaging**

This product is available as sticks and sachets.

#### **Shelf Life**

Cane sugar will remain in good condition if stored in a cool, dry place. However it can go hard.

Retailer and wholesale pack sized product does not carry a durability code. Each case is marked with a batch number for traceability purposes.

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<sup>\*</sup>Colour by ICUMSA raw sugar method GS1/3-7

# **Product Specification**



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**Allergen Status:** This product is Allergen free as defined by European Regulation (EU) 1169/2011 and European Commission Regulation (EC) 41/2009 (Gluten ≤ 20ppm).

**GMO Status:** This product is not derived from a genetically modified crop and does not contain GM materials as defined by European Commission Regulations (EC) 1829/2003 and (EC) 1830/2003.

**Place of production/ Packaging:** This product is produced in Belize, UK, Portugal, Malawi, Mauritius, Reunion, Eswatini, Colombia, Paraguay, Argentina, Guatemala, El Salvador, and Nicaragua. It is packed in the UK and EU.

Origin of primary production: Cane sugar is non-UK origin (See Country of origin statement).

**Fair Trade:** This product is available as Fair Trade.

Religious certification: Kosher Pareve (non-Passover).

#### Mandatory Nutritional Information (per 100g)\*

Energy (kJ)	1709
Energy (kcal)	402
Fat (g)	0
of which saturates	0
Carbohydrate (g)	100
of which Sugars	100
Protein (g)	0.5
Salt (g)	0.01

## Additional Nutritional Information (per 100g)\*

Fibre (g)	0
Sodium (mg)	5

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<sup>\*</sup> Reference regarding nutrition data: Nutrient values from sugar industry standard data and McCance and Widdowson 8th Edition. Energy values are calculated from these figures.