



# SLEAFORD QUALITY FOODS LTD

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## PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

Specification Number	Product	Issue Number	Original Issue Date	Current Issue Date
ONKI125	KIBBLED ONION (CH)	3	13/06/2003	16/11/2018

**Description** Produced from sound, mature, selected, hand harvested, clean white onions, free from damage, soil and cuts. Selected fresh onions are peeled, washed, inspected, sliced, air dried, milled and sieved to produce Kibbled Onion.

**Ingredients** Dehydrated Onion

**Allergy Advice: See Ingredients In Bold**

**Allergens** -

**Instructions** Can be added directly to meat foods without prior rehydration. Can be used as an ingredient for mixed soups, dry, canned fresh or frozen vegetable mixes, pizza and fast food.

**Sensory**

Colour	Creamy white.
Flavour & Aroma	Characteristic onion flavour, taste and pungency. Product is free from foreign odour and taints.
Texture	Firm and crisp.

**Analytical**

Moisture	6% maximum
Total Ash	5% maximum
Acid Insoluble Ash	0.5% maximum
Water Activity	0.6 maximum.
Heavy Metals	Lead: <1.0ppm Arsenic: <0.1ppm

**Microbiological**

TVC	500,000/g maximum
Coliforms	500/g maximum
E. coli	Absent
Salmonella	Absent in 25g
Yeasts & Moulds	5,000/g maximum

**Physical**

Foreign Matter	Absent
Rehydration	1kg of dried onion yields approximately 4.5 to 6kg of onion when reconstituted.
Sieve Analysis	On 6.70mm - Trace On 4.75mm - 2% maximum Through 2.36mm - 60% maximum Through 1.70mm - 10% maximum
Defects	2.5% maximum (Root: 0.5% max, other vegetative defects of the onion: 2% max)
Bulk Density	215-350ml/100gms
Packaging	White Plastic multi-layer Bag - Heat Sealed Brown Corrugated Jumbo Box - Sealed with blue tape



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Typical Nutritional Information per 100g		
Energy		373 kcal
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Fat		0.76 g
of which: saturates		0.35 g
monounsaturates		0.23 g
polyunsaturates		0.18 g
Carbohydrate		80.36 g
of which: sugars		5.38 g
Fibre		8.37 g
Protein		11.28 g
Salt		0.15 g
Sodium		59.44 mg

Supplier Source

**Labels** Product name, net weight, batch code and best before date.

**Storage** Store in a cool and dry place, temp below 22°C / 72°F and RH below 75%, free from the risk of contamination and the ingress of moisture. Store away from direct sunlight.

**Shelf Life** 24 months under correct storage conditions.

**Pack Size** 12.5kg

**Additional Information** Country of Origin: India

<b>Approved by:</b>	Natalie Morris
<b>Position:</b>	Technical Supply Co-ordinator
<b>Date Printed:</b>	29/11/2018

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### Specification Amendments

Previous Issue	Previous Issue Date	Current Issue	Current Issue Date	Category Changed	Details Changed
2	13/03/2018	3	16/11/2018	Allergy	Allergen information updated



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## ALLERGY INFORMATION

**PRODUCT:** KIBBLED ONION (CH)

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**Allergy Issue Date:** 16/11/2018

**Allergy Issue No.:** 3

Does the product contain any of the following:	Status	Additive or Ingredient Present
Wheat and Wheat Derivatives	No	
Rye	No	
Barley	No	
Oats / Oat Bran	No	
Triticale	No	
Gluten	No	
Maize and Maize Derivatives	No	
Soya / Soya Products	No	
Modified Starches	No	
Egg and Egg Derivatives	No	
Dairy and Dairy Derivatives (incl. lactose)	No	
Beef Products (from all sources)	No	
Beef Products (from UK sources)	No	
Pork Products	No	
Lamb / Mutton Products	No	
Crustacea and Shellfish	No	
Fish	No	
Gelatine	No	
Any other Animal Products	No	
Artificial Colours (incl. azo dyes)	No	
Added Natural Colours	No	
Artificial Flavours	No	
Natural or NI Flavours	No	
BHA / BHT and Other Antioxidants	No	
Benzoates	No	
Sulphites >10mg/kg	Yes	Onion contains naturally occurring sulphur compounds. The levels can vary due to them being naturally occurring. Suggested maximum level in product: 100ppm
Other Preservatives	No	



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Added MSG	No	
Glutamates	No	
Other Additives	No	
Yeast / Yeast Extract	No	
HVP / TVP	No	
Aspartame	No	
Caffeine	No	
Phenylalanine	No	
Peanuts / Peanut Derivatives	No	
Other Nuts / Nut Derivatives	No	
Nut Oil / Nut Oil Derivatives	No	
Sesame / Sesame Seed Derivatives	No	
Poppy Seeds	No	
Mustard	No	
Other Seeds	No	
Vegetable Oil / Seed Oil	No	
Legumes (or derivatives of)	No	
Celery	No	
Garlic	No	
Lupin	No	
Molluscs	No	
Added Salt	No	
Added Sugar	No	



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Is the product suitable for:	Status	Comments
Ova-lacto Vegetarians	Yes	
Vegans	Yes	
Orthodox Jewish Diet (Kosher)	Yes	
Kosher Certified	Yes	
Muslim Diet (Halal)	Yes	
Halal Certified	Yes	

Is the product:	Status	Details
Free from Genetically Modified ingredients.	Yes	

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