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INGREDIENT SPECIFICATION
BAY LEAVES SEMI SELECTED

Spec. Code:
BAYL014 (10kg)
BAYL014-9 (9kg)
BAYL014–1 (1kg)
BAYL014-500 (500g)
BAYL014-0500-K (500g)
BAYL014-0250 (250g)
BAYL014-250 (10x250g)

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PRODUCT
Bay Leaves Semi Selected – origin: Turkey

DESCRIPTION
The whole, dried leaves of *Laurus nobilis*. Green to brown-green leaves with a flavor typical of bay leaves.

INGREDIENT LISTING
Bay 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	10% maximum
Water activity	0.69 maximum
Stems, discoloured leaves	20% maximum
Broken leaves	15% maximum
Extraneous matter	0.75% w/w maximum

ORGANOLEPTICAL REQUIREMENTS

Colour	Green to brown - green, with some seasonal colour variation
Flavour	Bitter and aromatic
Aroma	Typical of bay leaves, aromatic

MICROBIOLOGICAL REQUIREMENTS

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

NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION*

Energy (kJ)		1312
Protein (g)		7.61
Fat:	- Total (g)	8.36
	- Saturated (g)	2.28
Carbohydrates:	- Total (g)	74.97
	- Sugar (g)	48.67
Sodium (mg)		23

**Average quantity per 100g (Nutritional Information obtained from USDA website, May 2016)*
Avergae values subkect to seasonal variations

PACKAGING
Product is packed in cardboard carton (10kg/9kg) or food grade plastic pouch with heat seal (1kg/500 /250g). Carton/pouch are marked with net weight, product name and code, batch number and best before date.

PACK SIZE
10kg / 9kg / 1kg / 500g / 10 x 250g / 250g

STORAGE
Cool, dry conditions, away from direct sunlight.

SHELF LIFE
If stored as advised, shelf life is eighteen (18) for 10kg/9kg packs and tweleve (12) months for 1kg/500g/250g packs from date of packing.

QUALITY	PURCHASING

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