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Product Information Form



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Product Name MasterFoods™ Professional Gluten Free Gherkin Relish 2.7kg

1.1 Company Information

Company Logo



Company Name Mars Australia Pty Ltd

Trading Name Mars Food Australia

Business Address

Street Number 4	Street Name Corella Close	Suburb/City Berkeley Vale
State/Territory NSW	Country Australia	Postcode 2261

Postal Address

Post Address 4 Corella Close	Suburb/City Berkeley Vale	
State/Territory NSW	Country Australia	Postcode 2261

Key Contact for inquiries

Name Consumer Services	Position Title Consumer Services
Email Address contact@auf.mars.com	Phone 1800 816 016

Manufacturer Information

Company Name	Street Number	Street Name	Suburb	State/Territory	Country	Postcode
Mars Australia Pty Ltd	4	Corella Close	Berkeley Vale	NSW	Australia	2261



2. Product Information

Product Name

MasterFoods™ Professional Gluten Free Gherkin Relish 2.7kg

Product Code

ZREP: 157422 TDU: 10022311

Barcode - Product

9310012416067

GTIN

19310012416064

Product Description

MasterFoods™ Professional Gluten Free Gherkin Relish 2.7kg

Legal Description

Relish

Suggested Labelling Description

Gherkin Relish

Are you selling this item to a health facility
(e.g. hospital, aged care, mental health
facility, nursing home)? (Y/N)

N (No)

2.1 Ingredient Declaration

Ingredient Summary

Substance Type	Compound Ingredient Name	Name of Ingredient, Food Additive, Vitamin or Mineral, Processing Aid	Ingredient List Name Link	% of total Average (Enter either a number or NS for Not Specified)	Characterising Component (%)	Food Standards Code Additive No or EC (as applicable)	Permitted class name
I	Gherkins	Diced Gherkins, Water, Salt, Acetic Acid, Calcium Chloride, Sodium Metabisulphite	Gherkins	38	38		
Characterising Component (Y/N) - Y Non GM variety used - Y							
I		Sugar	Sugar	NS			
Characterising Component (Y/N) - N No approved GM varieties available - Y Non GM variety used - Y							
I		Water	Water	NS			
Characterising Component (Y/N) - N No approved GM varieties available - Y							
FA		Modified Cornstarch	Modified Cornstarch	NS		1422	Thickener
Characterising Component (Y/N) - N Identity preservation program in place - Y Non GM variety used - Y							
I		Salt	Salt	NS			
Characterising Component (Y/N) - N Non GM variety used - Y							
FA		Acetic Acid	Acetic Acid	NS		260	Acidity Regulator
Characterising Component (Y/N) - N No approved GM varieties available - Y							
FA		Chlorophyll - Copper Complex and Riboflavin	Chlorophyll - Copper Complex and Riboflavin	NS		141, 101	Colour
Characterising Component (Y/N) - N No approved GM varieties available - Y							
I		Spice Extract	Spice Extract	NS			
Characterising Component (Y/N) - N No approved GM varieties available - Y							

Ingredient List

Gherkins (Diced Gherkins, Water, Salt, Acidity Regulator (Acetic Acid), Firming Agent (Calcium Chloride), Preservative (Sodium Metabisulphite)) (Sulphites) 38%, Sugar, Water, Thickener (Modified Cornstarch), Salt, Acidity Regulator (Acetic Acid), Colour (Chlorophyll - Copper Complex and Riboflavin), Spice Extract.

Addition Check

38.000

Code Standards Compliance

This product complies with the Australia New Zealand food Standards Code; and in addition to the information provided specifically in this form, and without limitation to compliance with any other part of the Code, the product complies with the following Standards where applicable:

Standard 1.4.1 - Contaminants & Natural
Toxicants

Y (Yes)

Standard 1.4.2 - Maximum Residue Limits in Food (In Australia), or Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural Compounds, Mandatory Food Standard 1999 (and subsequent amendments) issued under sections 11C and 11Z of the Food Act 1981 in New Zealand
 Y (Yes)

Standard 1.4.4 - Prohibited & Restricted Plants & Fungi where applicable, and that where such certification relies on third party audits, analysis, industry codes, or equivalence of international standards to demonstrate compliance, that certificates are current and available
 NA (Not Applicable)

2.2 Country of Origin

Country of Origin Summary						
Name of Ingredient, Food Additive, Vitamin or Mineral, Processing Aid	Percentage of Total (Average)	Country of Origin (1)	Country of Origin (2)	Country of Origin (3)	Country of Origin (4)	Minimum Australian Ingredients (%)
Diced Gherkins, Water, Salt, Acetic Acid, Calcium Chloride, Sodium Metabisulphite	NS	India				0
Sugar	NS	Australia				100
Water	NS	Australia				100
Modified Cornstarch	NS	Various Unspecified				0
Salt	NS	Australia				100
Acetic Acid	NS	Australia	Various Unspecified			24.5
Chlorophyll - Copper Complex and Riboflavin	NS	Germany	India	Spain	Belgium	0
Spice Extract	NS	Various Unspecified				0

Is the Product to be sold in Australia?
 Y (Yes)

What is the total minimum % of Australian ingredients in this product?
 50.000

Comments
 
 Made in Australia from at least 50% Australian ingredients.

3.1 Composition Information

Mandatory Advisory Statements	
Refer to the list in Schedule S9-2 in the ANZ Food Standards Code click here and Standard 1.2.3	
If an advisory statement required, list the food (Column 1 S9-2 and Standard 1.2.3) and advisory statement (Column 2 S9-2 and Standard 1.2.3) below	
Bee pollen	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
A food containing bee pollen as an ingredient	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
A beverage made from cereals, nuts, seeds, or a combination of these ingredients, and that contains less than 3% m/m protein.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
An evaporated and dried products made from cereals, nuts, or seeds, or a combination of those ingredients, and that when reconstituted as a beverage according to directions for direct consumption, contains less than 3% m/m protein.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
A beverage made from cereals, nuts, seeds, or a combination of those ingredients, and that contains: no less than 3% m/m protein; and no more than 2.5% m/m fat.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
An evaporated and dried products made from cereals, nuts, or seeds, or a combination of those ingredients, and that when reconstituted as a beverage according to directions for direct consumption, contains: no less than 3% m/m protein; and no more than 2.5% m/m fat.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
Milk, or an analogue beverage made from soy, that contains no more than 2.5 m/m fat.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)

Evaporated milk, dried milk or an equivalent product made from soy, that, when reconstituted as a beverage according to directions for direct consumption, contains no more than 2.5% m/m fat.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
A food that contains aspartame or aspartame-acesulphame salt.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
A food that contains quinine.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
A food that contains guarana or extracts of guarana.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
A food that contains added phytosterols, phytostanols or their esters.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
A cola beverage that contains added caffeine.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
A food that contains a cola beverage that also contains added caffeine as an ingredient.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
Propolis.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
A food that contains propolis as an ingredient.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
Unpasteurised egg products.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
Unpasteurised milk.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
Unpasteurised liquid milk products.	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)
Polyols, Isomalts, Polydextrose (Lactitol, Maltitol, Maltitol syrup, Mannitol, Xylitol, Erythritol, Isomalt, Polydextrose, Sorbitol)	Is an advisory statement required about the food or ingredient? N (No)

Mandatory warning statement - royal jelly

Is the food or does the food contain royal jelly (Y/N) N (No)

3.2.1 Allergens

Allergens Summary

Name of Allergenic Ingredient, Food Additive, Vitamin or Mineral, Processing Aid	Linked to ingredient list entry	Allergen Type	Labelling exemption text	Source Name	Derivative name	Added sulphites (mg/kg)
Diced Gherkins, Water, Salt, Acetic Acid, Calcium Chloride, Sodium Metabisulphite	Gherkins	Added Sulphites (in concentrations of 10mg/kg or more)	No Labelling Exemption	Sodium Metabisulphite (223)	Sulphites	Approximately 200
Is the allergen a substrate or feedstock in a metabolic process which results in this product? (Y/N) - N						

Allergens to be declared:		Type	Values
Allergen	ANZ		Diced Gherkins, Water, Salt, Acetic Acid, Calcium Chloride, Sodium Metabisulphite Added Sulphites (in concentrations of 10mg/kg or more)

Comments  Contains: Sulphites.

3.2.2 Cross Contact Allergens

Cross Contact Allergens Summary

Facility	Allergen Type	Allergen Sub-type	Labelling exemption	Labelling exemption text	Form	Present in same facility	Present on same line	Cross contact from other sources - growing, harvesting, transport, storage etc	What are the procedures in place to prevent cross contact where allergens are used in the same facility or present on the same line?	Source Food	Derivative Name	Total Protein (ppm)
Mars Australia Pty Ltd	Egg		999	No Labelling Exemption	Readily dispersible	Y	Y	NA	Validated cleaning procedures, production scheduling, documented procedures and controls, raw material sourcing and tracing, staff training. Egg not present on H&S processing line	Egg	Egg	Unavailable
Mars Australia Pty Ltd	Cereals (including hybridised strains thereof) if they contain gluten	Wheat (and its hybridised strains) (deprecated)	999	No Labelling Exemption	Readily dispersible	Y	Y	NA	Validated cleaning procedures, Production scheduling, documented procedures and controls, raw material sourcing and tracing, staff training.	Wheat and Gluten	Many Derivatives	Unavailable
Mars Australia Pty Ltd	Crustacea		999	No Labelling Exemption	Readily dispersible	Y	Y	NA	Validated cleaning procedures, production scheduling, documented procedures and controls, raw material sourcing and tracing, staff training. Crustacea not present on H&S processing line	Crustacea	Belachan Powder	Unavailable
Mars Australia Pty Ltd	Fish		999	No Labelling Exemption	Readily dispersible	Y	Y	NA	Validated cleaning procedures, production scheduling, documented procedures and controls, raw material sourcing and tracing, staff training. Fish not	Fish products	Fish Sauce	Unavailable

Mars Australia Pty Ltd	Milk	999	No Labelling Exemption	Readily dispersible	Y	Y	NA	present on H&S processing line Validated cleaning procedures, production scheduling, documented procedures and controls, raw material sourcing and tracing, staff training. Milk not present on H&S processing line	Milk products	Many Derivatives	Unavailable
Mars Australia Pty Ltd	Soybean	999	No Labelling Exemption	Readily dispersible	Y	Y	NA	Validated cleaning procedures, production scheduling, documented procedures and controls, raw material sourcing and tracing, staff training.	Soy Products	Many Derivatives	
Mars Australia Pty Ltd	Sesame Seed	999	No Labelling Exemption	Particulate	Y	Y	H&S Line cross contact only	Validated cleaning procedures, Production scheduling, documented procedures and controls, raw material sourcing and tracing, staff training.	Sesame Products	Sesame Oil Sesame Seeds on H&S line only	Unavailable
Mars Australia Pty Ltd	Peanut	999	No Labelling Exemption	Particulate	Y	Y	NA	Validated cleaning procedures, production scheduling, documented procedures and controls, raw material sourcing and tracing, staff training. Peanut not present on H&S processing line	Peanut Products	Peanut Paste	Unavailable



If you wish to conduct a VITAL® risk assessment for cross contact allergens please click on the following link which will take you to the Allergen Bureau website: [click here](https://www.allergenbureau.com)

Have you conducted a VITAL® risk
assessment for cross contact allergens
(Y/N)? **N (No)**

If No, is a precautionary allergen
statement appropriate for this product?
(Y/N) **Y (Yes)**

If Yes, Provide the precautionary allergen
statement **May Contain: Peanut.**

3.3 Additional Information Requirements

Palm Oil

Does this material contain Palm Oil or Derivatives of Palm Oil?
N (No)

Food/Component

Sub-Food/ Component

Gelatine

Beef - collagen

Present?
N (No)

Other source

Present?
N (No)

Antioxidants

Butylated hydroxyanisole

Present?
N (No)

Butylated hydroxytoluene

Present?
N (No)

Other Antioxidants

Present?
N (No)

Alcohol (Residual) and ethanol

Present?
N (No)

Added fats and oils

Animal

Present?
N (No)

Vegetable

Present?
N (No)

Hydrolysed vegetable proteins

Acid hydrolysed

Present?
N (No)

Enzyme hydrolysed

Present?
N (No)

Added colours

Present?
Y (Yes)

Natural
N (No)

Artificial
N (No)

Not defined
Y (Yes)

Specify Additive Number/s
141 (ii), 101 (ii)

Added flavours

Present?
N (No)

Added salt

If product is salt, then respond "yes" to added salt.

Present? (1)

Amount added (milligram/100g)

Y (Yes)

2849

Added sugar

If product is sugar then respond "yes" to added sugar.

Present? (1)

Amount added (g/100g)

Y (Yes)

36.86

Type

Sugar

Any Other Component

- 4.1 Novel Foods (no responses in section)
- 4.2 Food Produced using Gene Technology (no responses in section)
- 4.3 Quarantine Information (no responses in section)
5. Nutrition Information

Nutrient List

Serving Size:

Amount

Unit of Measure

20.000

1 serve

g

Number of servings per package:

135.000

Nutrition Details

Moisture content in finished product (required in grams/100g)
19.880

Note: Complete Energy and Nutrient tables below. For Ingredients and flavours, only the average quantity per 100g/100mL is required to be completed.

Energy

Energy		Average Quantity per serve	Average Quantity per serve (optional)	Average Quantity per 100 g/mL	Average Quantity per 100 g/mL (optional)	% Daily Intake per serve	% Daily Intake per serve (optional)
-	Approximately	140 kJ		700 kJ		2	

Nutrients

Note: Gluten is a Required Field if a gluten free or low gluten claim is made

		Average Quantity Per Serve	Average Quantity per 100 g/mL	% Daily Intake per serve
Protein, total (g)	Approximately	0.06	0.3	0.1
- Gluten	Not Detected			
Fat, total (g)	Less than or <	0.02	0.1	0
-saturated (g)	Less than or <	0.02	0.1	0
-trans (g)				
-polyunsaturated (g)				
-monounsaturated (g)				
Cholesterol (mg)				
Carbohydrate (g)	Approximately	8	40	3
-sugars (g)	Approximately	7.38	36.9	8
Dietary fibre, total (g)				
Sodium (mg)	Approximately	228	1139	10
Potassium (mg)				
Phosphorus (mg)				

Target Population

Information about the food or product

Information about the nutrition information

Please nominate the source or method used to develop the nutrition information

Other commercial software

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6.1 Nutrition, Health and Related Claims

Are you making a Nutrition content and/or
Health claim in relation to this product?
(Y/N) N (No)

6.1.2 Nutrient Profile Score (NPS) or Health Star Rating (HSR) calculation information (no responses in section)

6.2 Front of Pack Labelling

6.2.1 Health Star Rating

If you wish to calculate a Health Star Rating for this product, follow this link: [click here](#)

Have you calculated a Health Star Rating
for this Product? (Y/N) N (No)

6.2.2 Daily Intake Guide

If you wish to determine the Daily Intake Guide (DIG) amounts for this product, follow this link: [click here](#)

Have you calculated the Daily Intake
Guide (DIG) for this Product? (Y/N) N (No)

6.3 Certification, Endorsement and Other Claims

This table is to be completed to provide information to assist your customer to determine the suitability of the product for use in certain products or to make certain claims.

Claim Type

6.3.1 Nutrition and Health Logos and Symbols

Gluten Free

Claim can be made? (Y/N)	If yes, how has this been validated/substantiated?
Y (Yes)	Recipe development, manufacturing controls and analytical verification data
A Gluten Free logo will be used (Y/N)	
N (No)	

The Glycaemic Index (GI)

GI logo will be or can be used
(Y/N)
N (No)

Treatwise

Will the "Be Treatwise" logo be used? (Y/N)
N (No)

Other logo or symbol? (Y/N)
N (No)

6.3.2 Religious

Halal

Specify if suitable for Halal (Y/N) Y (Yes)	Claim can be made? (Y/N) Y (Yes)	Specify Particular Claim Halal Certified	How has this been validated/substantiated? Halal Certification
Certificate Available? (Y/N) Y (Yes)			

Certifying Body

Halal Authority of Australia	Certificate Number	Certificate Expiry date
☒	186/9/1	31/12/2025

Additional information 
Halal revision annually

Kosher Suitable: Ingredients are Kosher suitable or certified however
finished goods manufacturing processes have not been certified.

Kosher

Specify if suitable for Kosher? Claim can be made? (Y/N)
Y (Yes) **N (No)**

6.3.3 Dietary Choice

Ovo-lacto-vegetarian

Specify if suitable for Ovo-lacto-vegetarian (Y/N)
Y (Yes) **N (No)**

Lacto-vegetarian

Specify if suitable for Lacto-vegetarian (Y/N)
Y (Yes) **N (No)**

Vegan

Specify if suitable for Vegan (Y/N)
Y (Yes) **Claim can be made? (Y/N)** **Specify Particular Claim**
Y (Yes) **Y (Yes)** **Vegan Suitable**

How has this been validated/substantiated?
Cleaning and testing procedures are in place and there is an absence of animal products from recipe formulation to support this claim

6.3.4 Free

Hormone free

Specify if suitable for "Hormone Free"
No **Claim can be made?**
No

6.3.5 Sustainability claim

Organic

Specify if suitable for Organic
No **Claim can be made?**
No

Biodynamic

Specify if suitable for Biodynamic
No **Claim can be made?**
No

RSPO

Specify if suitable for RSPO
No **Claim can be made?**
No

Rainforest Alliance

Specify if suitable for Rainforest Alliance
No **Claim can be made?**
No

6.3.6 Animal welfare

Animal Welfare Approved Scheme

Specify if suitable for Animal Welfare Approved Scheme
No **Claim can be made?**
No

Marine Stewardship

Specify if suitable for Marine Stewardship
No **Claim can be made?**
No

Dolphin Friendly

Specify if suitable for Dolphin Friendly
No **Claim can be made?**
No

Sow stall free

Specify if suitable for Sow stall free
No **Claim can be made?**
No

Free range

Specify if suitable for Free Range

No

Claim can be made?

No

6.3.7 Other

Derived from naturally occurring ingredients

Specify if suitable for Derived from naturally occurring ingredients

No

Claim can be made?

No

Derived from a natural process without chemical modification

Specify if suitable for Derived from a natural process without chemical modification

No

Claim can be made?

No

Additional Claim

Specify if suitable for Additional Claim

Yes

Claim can be made?

Yes

Specify Particular Claim

No Artificial Flavours

How has this been validated/substantiated?

Absence of artificial flavours from recipe formulation.

Certificate Available? (Y/N)

N (No)

7. Shelf Life

Link to the AFGC Date Marking Guide:

click here

Product as supplied - Unopened pack or bulk container

Type of date mark applied

Best Before

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Specify Shelf Life

365

Period

Days

Temperature control required during storage?

N (No)

Temperature control required during transport?

N (No)

Product once in use - Resealable pack or bulk container

Temperature control required during storage?

Y (Yes)

If yes, select from dropdown

1 (Never Warmer than)

Temperature

Refrigeration temperature

Temperature control required during transport?

N (No)

AFGC Cold Chain Guideline rules:"NEVER WARMER THAN" temperature in degrees Celsius"MAX OUT OF REFRIGERATION TIME" time in minutes"KEEP ABOVE" optional, temperature in degrees Celsius

Comments



Refrigerate after opening.

8. Traceability

8.1. Please specify the following details for the primary code on the product as applicable:

Unit

Type of primary coding

Date Code

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Method of Coding

Inkjet

Location of Code

Label on Jar

Example of code format

BEST BEFORE DD/MM/YYYY

HH:MM JJJ PD DD/MM/YYYY

Code translation

DD = Day MM = Month YYYY = Year

HH:MM = time (24hr time)

JJJ = Day number of the year

PD = Production Date

SHIPPER (if applicable)

Type of primary coding

Date Code



Method of Coding
EAN Sticker & Inkjet

Location of Code
2 sides of shipper

Example of code format
[Product Name] [TDU] 6x [declared weight] BEST BEFORE
DD/MM/YYYY

Code translation
DD = Day MM = Month YYYY = Year

8.2 Please provide any general comments about the traceability coding applied to the product:

9. Measurement Marking

Select the method of trade measurement marking used 1 (Average Quantity System (AQS))

If AQS used, what is the statistical variance in the fill measurement? NS

Package size 2.700 Unit of Measure kg

10. Potential Safety Hazards

Are there any potential hazards associated with the product? (Y/N)? N (No)

11.0 Product Packaging & 11.1 Packaging Materials

Is the product packaged? Y (Yes)

Packaging stewardship

Is your business a signatory to the Australian Packaging Covenant or other packaging stewardship program?

Link to Packaging Covenant[click here](#)

Sealing

What is the method of sealing the primary packaging?



What is the method of sealing the Secondary packaging?



Tamper evident

Is the packaging tamper evident? Y (Yes)

If yes, describe the nature of the tamper evident feature Tamper evident plastic cap

Colour

Is packaging clear to assist with monitoring potential product contamination? Y (Yes)

Pack Size

Pack size: 2.700 Unit of Measure kg

Dimensions (external)

Primary Pack

Height 250.000 Unit of Measure mm

Width 122.000 Unit of Measure mm

Depth 122.000 Unit of Measure mm

Weight 2.938 Unit of Measure kg

Pack Name
RSU 1 x 2.7kg jar

Secondary Pack

Height	Unit of Measure
263.000	mm
Width	Unit of Measure
254.000	mm
Depth	Unit of Measure
376.000	mm
Weight	Unit of Measure
18.032	kg

Pack Name
TDU Shipper 6x2.7kg

11. 1 Packaging Materials

Materials List

Materials List	PE	PET	Is the material(s) used in the packaging for this product approved for direct food contact?	If yes, specify approval agency or source	Are engineered nanoparticles present?	Bottle	Further details information	Recycling: Specify coding number	Recycle content (%)
Clear Plastic container with plastic closure	Y	Y	Y	In compliance with AS 2070-1999, section 4.1.1 (a) , FDA 21 CFR 177.1520 9c) 3.1a	N	Y	Clear PET Plastic bottle	5	0

11.2 Pallet Configuration

Is the product delivered on a pallet? Y (Yes)

Gross weight of loaded pallet (kg) 960.664

Stack height of loaded pallet (cm) 120.200

Specify the type of pallet (material)

Wood

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What is the pallet pattern?

Other

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Number of units per shipper 6

Number of shippers per pallet 52

Number of layers per pallet 4

12. Specifications for Compliance

Test Methods are mandatory and must quote AOAC methods or recognised independent Australian or International standards. Where a suppliers internal test method is quoted a copy must be attached. Also state if Certificate of Analysis (C of A) or Certificate of Conformance (C of C) can be provided.

12.1 Organoleptic Specifications

Test/Parameter	Specification	Test Method	C of A Available?
Flavour	Gherkin flavour with acidic backnotes.	Organoleptic assessment	N
Odour	Typical of standard	Organoleptic assessment	N
Colour	Deep green.	Organoleptic assessment	N
Appearance	Thick green sauce with diced gherkin pieces.	Organoleptic assessment	N
Texture	Firm gherkin pieces in a thick sauce.	Organoleptic assessment	N

12.2 Physical Specifications

Test/Parameter	Specification	Test Method	C of A Available?	How often provided?
Consistency	4.0 - 8.0 cm	Bostwick Consistency 30 sec at 25oC	Y	On request

12.3 Microbiological Specifications

Test/Parameter	Specification	Test Method	C of A Available?
Total Plate Count	< 1000 cfu/g	No Testing on Finished Goods	N
Yeast and Mould	< 100 cfu/g	No Testing on Finished Goods	N
E. coli	< 10 cfu/g	No Testing on Finished Goods	N
Salmonella	Not detected in 25g	No Testing on Finished Goods	N

12.4 Chemical Specifications

Test/Parameter	Specification	Test Method	C of A Available?
Acidity Blended (Acetic)	1.9 - 2.4 %	Titration	N
Salt Blended	2.6 - 3.4 %	Titration	N
pH	2.8 - 3.2	pH meter	N
Soluble solids	42.5 - 46.5	Soluble solids meter	N

13. Company Specific

Company Specific Comments

The Food Safety Program been independently audited and certified. Certifying Body: LRQA

14. Extra Comments and Attachments (no responses in section)

15. Summary of Statements and Claims

Summary of Statements and Claims	Type	Values
	Ingredients List	Gherkins (Diced Gherkins, Water, Salt, Acidity Regulator (Acetic Acid), Firming Agent (Calcium Chloride), Preservative (Sodium Metabisulphite)) (Sulphites) 38%, Sugar, Water, Thickener (Modified Cornstarch), Salt, Acidity Regulator (Acetic Acid), Colour (Chlorophyll - Copper Complex and Riboflavin), Spice Extract.
	% Australian content	50.000
	Characterising Component	Diced Gherkins, Water, Salt, Acetic Acid, Calcium Chloride, Sodium Metabisulphite
	Characterising Component Percentage	38.000
	Allergens	Are there allergens formulated into the product? - Yes.
	Display field for Allergens	Diced Gherkins, Water, Salt, Acetic Acid, Calcium Chloride, Sodium Metabisulphite Added Sulphites (in concentrations of 10mg/kg or more)
	Cross Contact Allergens	Are there potential Cross Contact Allergens listed? - Yes
	Cross Contact Allergens - Where no VITAL assessment conducted, you may provide a precautionary statement	May Contain: Peanut.
	Novel Foods	No Novel Food(s) Declared.
	Nutritive Substances	No Nutritive Substance(s) Declared.
	GM Cross Contact	No GM Cross Contact Ingredients Declared.
	Quarantine treatment applied	No Quarantine Treatments Declared.
	Palm Oil	No Palm Oil or Derivatives Declared.
	Halal Claim	Halal Certified
	Vegan	Vegan Suitable
	Ovo-lacto-vegetarian	Ovo-lacto-vegetarian Suitable
	Lacto-vegetarian	Lacto-vegetarian Suitable
	Additional Claim	No Artificial Flavours

16. Checklist

PIF Status	Final
Summary of Attachments	
Empty Mandatory Field	[3.2.1 Allergens Details]
	Total sulphites (mg/kg)

Reference Imported v5

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