## PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

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**General information** 

Product name	Cracked Black pepper portions
Design Code	Various
Product description	Sachets and sticks of Pepper

**Ingredient declaration** 

Ingredients:	Piper Nigrum	- Black Pepper
Other remarks:		

Allergen information

According to EU-legislation 2003/89 — allergens (including EU-legislation 2005/26 & 2006/142)	Presence Yes / No
Cereals containing gluten and products thereof (e.g. wheat, rye, barley, oats, kamut or their hybridised strains)	No
Crustaceans and products thereof	No
Eggs and products thereof	No
Fish and products thereof	No
Peanuts and products thereof	No
Soybeans and products thereof	No
Milk and products thereof (including lactose)	No
Nuts (almonds, pistachio, hazelnuts, walnuts, Brazil nuts, cashew nuts, pecan, Macadamia, pine nuts) and products thereof	No
Celery and products thereof	No
Mustard and products thereof	No
Sesame seeds and products thereof	No
Sulphur dioxide and sulphites at concentrations of more than 10 mg/kg or 10 mg/litre expressed as SO <sub>2</sub>	No
Lupine and products thereof	No
Shellfish and products thereof	No

Nutritional value per 100 gram

Parameter	Level	Unit
Energy value (kilojoule)	1050	kJ
Energy value (kilocalorie)	251	kcal
Total protein	10.39	Gram
Total carbohydrate	63.95	Gram
Total fat	3.3	Gram
Fibre	25.3	Gram

Nutritional values are based upon specifications given by the suppliers of the raw materials.

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Physical and chemical properties

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Legislation	Every product shall comply with all relevant national and EU-legislation.
Physical contamination	Every product shall be free from visible product foreign bodies (e.g. glass, rope, wood, metal parts).
Particle size	90% through 1400 micron sieve
Water content	12.0%

Microbiological values

Micro exception	Level	Unit	Method
Micro-organism		The second second second second	
Total plate count	Max. 100	cfu / gram	ISO 4833
Yeasts & moulds	Max. 100	cfu / gram	ISO 7954
Salmonella	Absent	cfu / 25 gram	ISO 6579
Enterobacteriaceae	Max. 100	cfu / gram	ISO 21528

Other quality items

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Best before date	1.5 year after packing
Storage conditions	Cool, dry and dark storage.
Quality systems	The quality system of Nutshell Packaging is based on HACCP-, ISO 9001:2000-, BRC- and IFS-certified systems.
Irradiation	The product is not irradiated.
GMO-status	The product is free from GMO-substances or ingredients which are produced by means of genetically modified organisms.
Intolerance	Suitable for vegans, vegetarians.

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