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Product Specification	Chopped Dates
Authorisation	Quality Manager
Effective Date	Mar 2018
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Product Details	
Product Description	Chopped dates. Free flowing diced to nominal size 8-10mm, coated in rice flour. Medium/dark brown in appearance. Very sweet

Product Codes Specification applies to:

WGB Code	Pack Size
WGB151B	4x3kg

Ingredients Declaration

Ingredients:	% In final product
Dates	97
Rice flour	3

Nutrition Panel

Nutrition Information	Typical Values per 100g
Energy – kJ	1129
Energy – kcals	266
Fat total (g)	0.2
Fat saturates (g)	0.1
Carbohydrate total (g)	64.0
Carbohydrate (sugars) (g)	64.0
Protein (g)	2.0
Salt (g)	0.01

Nutrition Panel: Typical results are shown – as this is an agricultural commodity results may vary across different origin countries, regions and fields. Where the use of this data is critical for the legality or safety of the product then we advise that the analysis is verified by customers own testing systems.

Storage Conditions: Store in cool dry conditions. Optimum temperature 4-8 deg C. Humidity 65%.

Process Description: Removed from packaging/broken down/inspected /weighed/packed /check weighed /metal detected /inspected/ labelled /bagged-/boxed

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Shelf Life: 12 months

Country of Origin: Pakistan/Iran

Physical Properties and Organoleptic Properties:

<i>Property</i>	<i>Tolerances</i>
Size	Nominal 8-10mm
Moisture	~10-18%
Discoloration	1%
Date stone/fragments	5 max/tonne (whole or equivalent pieces)
Live infestation	Absent
Metal contamination	Nil
Shell/septa (EVM)	Max 1 per carton
Mineral stones	Max 1 stone per tonne
Insect Damage	5% max

Microbiological Specification:

Test	Max
Aerobic Plate Count	10 ⁵ cfu/g
Yeasts And Moulds	<1000 cfu/g
<i>Salmonella spp.</i>	Absent in 125g
<i>Coliforms</i>	<100 cfu/g
<i>E.coli</i>	<10 cfu/g
Total Aflatoxin	<4ppb
Aflatoxin B1	<2ppb

Microbiological Testing: As per supplier specification.

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ALLERGEN/INTOLERANCE INFORMATION

Allergen	Contained in Product Yes/No	Used on shared Production Equipment Yes/No	Handled in same production Unit Yes/No	Comments
Peanuts and products thereof	no	no	no	
Nuts (other than peanuts i.e. Almonds, Walnuts, Brazil, Hazel, Cashew, Pistachio, Pecan, Macadamia, Queensland) or products thereof	no	no	no	
Cereals containing gluten	no	no	YES	
Crustaceans and products thereof	no	no	no	
Egg and products thereof	no	no	no	
Fish and products thereof	no	no	no	
Soya beans and products thereof	no	no	no	
Milk and products thereof (including lactose)	no	no	no	
Celery and products thereof	no	no	no	
Mustard and products thereof	no	no	no	
Sesame seeds and products thereof	no	no	YES	
Molluscs and products thereof	no	no	no	
Lupin and products thereof	no	no	no	
Sulphur Dioxide/Sulphites >10ppm	no	no	YES	

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Suitable for:

	Yes/No
Suitable for Vegan	yes
Suitable for Vegetarian	yes
Free from Genetically Modified Organisms and products thereof	yes

Packaging Specification: -

Inner
3kg
Polythene bag

Outer
4x3kg
Cardboard case

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