

ANNATTO EXTRACT Code: NC012959A

Description Red brown dark liquid produced by extraction of norbixin pigment from the seeds of the

annatto tree, alkalised and standardised for colour strength.

Appearance Dark brown liquid

Suitable for: Vegetarian Vegan Kosher Halal GM Free Palm Free

Uses

Food colour compliant to the Regulation 2012/231

Usage rate As required according to local legislation

Product identification E160b (ii) Annatto Extract (Norbixin)

Ingredients Annatto extract, Water, Potassium hydroxide

Major Allergens

Celery and its derivatives Absent Crustaceans and their derivatives Absent Egg and its derivatives Absent Fish and their derivatives Absent Gluten Absent Lupins and their derivatives Absent Milk and its derivatives Absent Molluscs and their derivatives Absent Mustard and its derivatives Absent Nuts, their oils and other derivatives Absent Peanuts, their oils and other derivatives Absent Sesame seeds, their oils and other derivatives Absent Soya and its derivatives Absent Sulphur dioxide Absent (and sulphites at levels above 10mg/kg or 10mg/l, expressed as SO2)

Chemical

рH	13 - 14		Verification using pH meter
Lead	1 ppm	max	
Arsenic	2 ppm	max	
Mercury	1 ppm	max	
Cadmium	0.5 ppm	max	

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Nutrition

Energy kJ	kCal	Carbohyd.	Sugars	Fibre	Sodium	Salt
30 7		7 1.8 g/100g		0.0 g/100g	0.0 mg/100g	g/100g
Fat	Saturated	Unsaturat	Polvunsat.	Monounsat.	Trans	Protein
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Nutritional results are based upon calculation only, not specific product testing, unless otherwise notified.

Physical

Absorption (Water pH13) 40 - 46

DEcmc <1.5

100% Passes Sieve Mesh 1mm **Bulk density** 0.94 g/l

Colour Method: Norbixin Value: 1.4-1.6% Nanometre: 482

Organoleptic **Passes**

Microbiological

1000 cfu/g	max
100 cfu/g	max
100 cfu/g	max
0 cfu/g	max
0 cfu/g	max
Not Detected in 25g	max
Not Detected in 25g	max
1000 cfu/g	max
	100 cfu/g 100 cfu/g 0 cfu/g 0 cfu/g Not Detected in 25g Not Detected in 25g

Recommended to store chilled (4-6C) to avoid/minimise colour degradation Storage

Shelf life 9 Months on opening: 1 Months

Packaging UN approved HDPE drum

Handling Product contains Potassium Hydroxide < 2%, PPE recommended gloves and goggles.

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