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COCOA NIBS

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Pack types
0186C40

Barcode
00071818100510



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PRODUCT INFORMATION

Form	Nibs
Cacao	100%
Color	Darkest brown
Flavor	Roasted chocolate with mild bitterness
Country of Origin	USA
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NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION

NUTRIENT	Per 100 g
(Moisture)	0.7 g
Calories	508.4
Total Fat	54.0 g
Saturated Fat	32.5 g
Trans Fat	0 g
Cholesterol	0 mg
Sodium	14 mg
Total Carbohydrates	29.1 g
Dietary Fiber	15.8 g
Total Sugars	0.6 g
Added Sugars	0 g
Protein	10.6 g
Vitamin D	0 mcg
Calcium	76 mg
Iron	16.8 mg
Potassium	857 mg

INGREDIENTS

Cacao nibs

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Made in a peanut-free, tree nut-free, & gluten-free manufacturing facility.

This applies to sealed product in original Guittard packaging and does not automatically transfer to other product uses and labeling. Be aware these allergens may be present in your facility.

STORAGE & SHELF LIFE

60 - 70 degrees F (less than 50% relative humidity), well ventilated with no strong odors.

Shelf Life: 24 months (730 days) in sealed, original Guittard packaging

Caution: Exposure to heat or temperature fluctuations can cause surface bloom (hazy or cloudy appearance)

LOT CODE

A-BBB-CD

where A = production shift,

BBB = Julian calendar date,

C = last digit of the year,

D = production line designation (when used)

ANALYTICAL PARAMETERS

PARAMETERS	SPECIFICATIONS	METHODS
Alcohol Content	0	Formulation
Fat content	54 +/- 1%	PNMR



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BIOLOGICAL PARAMETERS

PARAMETERS	SPECIFICATIONS	METHODS
Aerobic Plate Count	25,000/gm. maximum	AOAC/BAM
Coliform	Less than 3/gm. (MPN)	MPN, AOAC/BAM
<i>E. coli</i>	Less than 3/gm. (MPN)	MPN, AOAC/BAM
<i>Salmonella spp.</i>	Negative in 750 grams	AOAC/BAM
Mold Count	100/gm. maximum	AOAC/BAM
Yeast Count	100/gm. maximum	AOAC/BAM
HACCP	Verified every 2 hours	CCP 1B - Bean roasting time and temperature for effective kill of pathogens

CHEMICAL HAZARDS (THIS IS NOT A HAZARD ANALYSIS)

ALLERGENS	DIRECTLY ADDED TO THE PRODUCT?	PRESENT ON SHARED EQUIPMENT?	PRESENT IN THE MANUFACTURING FACILITY?	PROTEIN IS PRESENT IN THE PRODUCT?	SOURCE
Tree Nuts	No	No	No	No	
Dairy Products (Milk)	No	No	Yes	No	Bovine
Soy	No	No	Yes	No	Lecithin
Peanuts	No	No	No	No	
Crustaceans, Shellfish	No	No	No	No	
Eggs	No	No	No	No	
Wheat	No	No	No	No	
Fish	No	No	No	No	
Sesame	No	No	No	No	
SENSITIZERS	DIRECTLY ADDED TO THE PRODUCT?	PRESENT ON SHARED EQUIPMENT?	PRESENT IN THE MANUFACTURING FACILITY?	SOURCE	
Chocolate Derivatives	Yes	Yes	Yes	Cocoa	
Artificial Sweetener	No	No	Yes	Sucralose	
Sugar Alcohols	No	No	Yes	Maltitol	
Lecithin	No	No	Yes	Soy	
	No	No	Yes	Sunflower	
Artificial Colors	No	No	Yes	FD&C colors	
Natural Flavors	No	No	Yes	Vanilla	
Artificial Flavors	No	No	Yes	Vanillin	
Corn	No	No	Yes	Corn starch, Corn syrup, Non-GMO dextrose (derived from corn)	
Alcohol	No				
Preservatives	No				

ITEMS NOT HANDLED IN GUITTARD PRODUCT/LINE/PLANT

BHA	Onion	Yeast	Wheat
Licorice	Mustard	Latex	Enzymes
Bee pollen	Rubber	Chili	MSG
Coconut	Quinine	Gelatin	Honey & its derivatives
Garlic	Maize	Royal Jelly	Phytosterols or their esters
Sulphites	Tocopherols	Celery	Barley
Oats	Rye		

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Method used for verification - Neo-gen rapid test, every change over.

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HEAVY METALS

Please see separate document.

PESTICIDE CONTROL

Pesticide storage	Pesticides, fumigants and insecticides are stored separately and accessed by trained personnel.
Type of pesticides / quantity used	Used outside facility. Occasional indoor fogging with Evergreen.
Applicator License / Certification	Alvin Oey. QAC License# 85361

PHYSICAL HAZARDS (THIS IS NOT A HAZARD ANALYSIS)

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EXTRANEOUS OBJECTS CONTROL	USED / NOT	SPECIFICATIONS
Metal detection	No	n/a
Magnet detection	Yes	After sieving, before bagging
Sifter Dry systems	Yes - every 8 hours	Stainless steel, Screen size - 100 mesh
Screen	Yes - every 8 hours	Screen size - 100 Unit
Filter	No	N/A
Extraneous materials	Yes	Bean cleaning and shell removal
Irradiation, X-ray	No	
Glass	No	No glass permitted in production areas, Fluorescent lamps have safety sleeves to retain any breakage, Incandescent lamps have shatter resistant bulbs.

CERTIFICATES AND ATTRIBUTES

SQF Level 2 Certification	Yes
Allergen Policy	Yes
Kosher certification	Pareve
Organic certification	No
Non-GMO certification by FDA voluntary labeling guidelines	Yes
Halal certification	No
RSPO certification	No
Fair Trade certification	No
Vegan Friendly	Yes

PACKAGING

Pack types	0186C40
Pack	40 lb. carton Polyethylene liner inside corrugated carton
Closure type	Tape
Net weight	40 lbs
Gross weight	41 lbs
Outer Case Dimensions (LxWxH)	n/a
Unit UPC Code	00071818100510

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SAMPLE LABEL

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Non-GMO



BEST BEFORE 02/12/2026

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