



Olam Spices and Vegetable Ingredients  
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### 415014 NEW MEXICO ORGANIC DARK CHILI PEPPER, STM

**PRODUCT PROFILE:** This product is prepared from USA organically grown, dried, matured fruit of chili peppers. The chili peppers were grown, harvested, and processed in New Mexico. The material is in compliance with USDA Natural Organic Standards.  
 Scientific Name *Capsicum annuum L.*

#### SPECIFICATIONS:

**Raw Materials:** Shall be free from decay, sunburn/sunscald, insect damage, disease, foreign material or any other deleterious damage or materials.

**Attributes:**

Flavor:	Mild to moderately pungent, typical of chili pepper
Aroma:	Mild to moderately pungent, typical of chili pepper
Appearance:	A deep red to darkish red, free flowing powder

**Ingredients:** Organic Chili Pepper

**Treatment:** Product contains no ethoxyquin, and has not been treated with either ethylene oxide or irradiation. Product contains components treated with steam.

**Physical:** Granulation 90.0% minimum through US #20

**Chemical:**

Extractable Color	110 ASTA maximum
Pungency	800- 1600 HPLC Scoville Heat Units
Moisture	12.0% maximum
Water Activity	0.610 maximum

#### Microbiological\*:

Standard Plate Count (CFU/g)	300,000 maximum
Yeast (CFU/g)	500 maximum
Mold (CFU/g)	500 maximum
Coliform (CFU/g)	500 maximum
<i>E.Coli</i> / 25g (CFU/g)	None Detected
<i>Salmonella</i> / 375g (x 2)	None Detected

\*The specific micro testing methodology is located in the OSVI Micro Testing Matrix.

**Kosher Parve:** Certificate # PP5YW-8TE5G is available using the following link <http://www.koshercertificate.com>





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**NUTRITIONAL COMPOSITION**

<i>Nutrient</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Amount per 100-grams of ingredient.</i>
Water	grams	9.28
Calories	kcal	373.24
Protein	grams	13.83
Fat	grams	9.53
Saturated Fat	grams	2.07
Trans-fatty acid	grams	0.03
Cholesterol	mg	0.83
Carbohydrates, Total	grams	58.77
Fiber	grams	33.47
Sugars	grams	8.95
Added sugars	grams	0.00
Ash	grams	8.59
Calcium	mg	235.61
Iron	mg	12.79
Sodium	mg	89.45
Folate	mcg	53.17
Vitamin A	mcg	1600.36
Vitamin C	mg	7.01
Vitamin D	mcg	0.00
Potassium	mg	2517.29

Values provided are calculated from analytical data.

**SHELF LIFE AND STORAGE GUIDELINES**

<b>STORAGE TEMPERATURE</b>		<b>RECOMMENDED MAXIMUM SHELF LIFE</b>	
<b>FOR PRODUCTS WITH MODIFIED ATMOSPHERE PACKAGING (MAP), UNTIL OPENED</b>			
°F	°C	(with MAP)	(without MAP)
< 38	<3	18 months	12 months
38-54	3-12	12 months	6 months
55-80	13-27	9 months	4 months

Store in cool dry conditions away from direct sunlight.

**AFTER OPENING** – Product should be used soon after opening to minimize product color loss.

**PRODUCT DISCLAIMER**

This specification is provided in good faith. Some product variability is inherent and natural in agricultural based products such as Olam GardenFrost & 100% frozen purees and dehydrated vegetable products. Processing controls are put in place to minimize natural variability but it cannot be fully controlled. Climate, change in weather patterns, and other natural factors can contribute to variability in raw materials, also affecting finished goods. We cannot guarantee these values are accurate for any specific lots of product supplied.



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### ALLERGEN STATEMENT

Known Allergens, to include the major eight, are not permitted in our Olam facilities that produce Dehydrated Onion, Garlic, Vegetables, and Capsicums.

### GMO STATUS

Olam only purchases and uses ingredients that comply with the U.S. Department of Agriculture Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) and U.S. Health and Human Services Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regulations for food safety and nutrition. Both the EPA and the FDA have concluded GM foods approved for human and/or animal consumption are equally safe and nutritious as other foods of similar kind and origin.

Olam ingredients are grown or purchased from non-GM sources and can be considered non-GM, however no further tracking or testing is conducted. In all cases, food safety and quality are the main criteria of concern.

### REGULATORY & CERTIFICATION:

This product complies with Current Good Manufacturing Practices and shall conform to the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetics Act and its amendments. Olam will ensure compliance with all regulations of the Bioterrorism Preparedness and Response Act of 2002, as well as any regulatory requirements implemented by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regarding Facility and Food Security. We have been actively engaged with the Administration during the specific rule making process and have implemented policies and procedures to conform to all finalized regulations. For traceability purposes, Olam can determine the plant location, date of manufacture, production line, and quality of a product from the lot number.

### LOT NUMBER FORMAT:

Olam standard lot number format is a 10-digit code which groups product together for each batch, shift or twenty-four hour production period. The lot number is printed on the adhesive label affixed to each container or stamped directly onto the container. For palletized containers, the lot number is also printed on the adhesive pallet tag affixed to the pallet. All lot numbers are fully traceable via our electronic database system. Contact Customer Operations if you have any questions regarding lot numbering.

Lot # 6182008014

6182 Julian date code for July 1, 2016, 6 refers to the year 2016, 182 refers to the 182nd day of that year

008014 The computer assigned number for that product for that particular day/shift/batch.