

	PRODUCT SPECIFICATION	Specification No.: GGUS123
	NIGERIAN GINGER TEA BAG CUT 14# - 60#	Version: 01

Product Identification

Product	:	Nigerian Ginger Tea Bag Cut 14# - 60#	
Ingredient	:	Ginger is the dried, peeled or unpeeled rhizome of <i>Zingiber officinale</i>	
Olam Sample Code	:	GGUS123	Customer ref :
Treatment	:	Steam Treated (HTST)/ ETO	

Physical Characteristics	Target	Unit	Method
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Particle size	:	10% on 14# (1.40 mm)	% w/w, max	ASTA 10.0
	:	10% thru 60# (0.25 mm)	% w/w, max	ASTA 10.0
Aroma	:	Slightly sharp, pungent, fresh, and lemony		
Color	:	Yellowish-white		

Chemical Characteristics	Target	Unit	Method
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Moisture	:	12.0	% v/w, max	ASTA 2.0
Volatile oil	:	1.5	% v/w, min	ASTA 5.0
AIA	:	2.0	% w/w, max	ASTA 4.0
Total Ash	:	8.0	% w/w, max	ASTA 3.0

Microbiological Characteristics	Target	Unit	Method
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TPC	:	100,000	cfu/g, max	FDA BAM
Salmonella	:	Negative	/25 g	FDA BAM
E. coli	:	< 10	cfu/g	FDA BAM
Coliforms	:	100	cfu/g, max	FDA BAM
Yeast & Mold	:	1,000	cfu/g, max	FDA BAM

Mycotoxins	Target	Unit	Method
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Aflatoxin Total (B1, B2, G1, G2) (Every lot)	:	20.0	ppb, max	AOAC or equivalent
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Packing

45 Lbs, Packing
PE bags (thick) – heat sealed and covered with Kraft Paper Bags.

Health and Safety

The product is manufactured, packaged, stored and shipped in accordance with Global Standard Food Safety (BRC). The product is considered 'KOSHER' under the criteria established by the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America.
The product is free from GMO and Purposeful Irradiation.
The product is free of Allergens.

Storage and Shelf-Life

Storage Recommendation: Product should be stored in cool and dry place at ambient temperature
Best before: 2 Years (24 Months)

Abbreviations

w/w: volume/weight w/w: weight/weight cfu/g: colony forming units / gram
ppb: parts per billion AIA: Acid Insoluble Ash

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