

# MINN-DAK GROWERS, LTD.

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## FARINETTATM BUCKWHEAT FLOUR SPECIFICATION

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This product shall comply in every respect with the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, Federal Laws, State laws, and the requirements of this specification.

## **Description**

FARINETTA<sup>TM</sup> buckwheat flour is prepared from the bran of the buckwheat groat.

#### Characteristics

## **Physical**

Color: Beige with dark specks.

Aroma: Typical sweet grain flour aroma. Flavor: Mild, sweet grain flour flavor.

Texture: Free from hard or caked lumps and foreign

substances.

Granulation: 75.0% Minimum thru a U.S. #80 mesh screen

25.0% Minimum thru a U.S. #200 mesh screen

Chemical

Moisture: 14.5% Maximum Protein: 20.0 % Minimum

<u>Microbiological</u>

E. Coli: <10 cfu/g Salmonella Negative /750g

#### Intended Use

This product is intended for use as an ingredient. Further processing is required for food safety.

## **Packaging**

This product is normally packed in 50lb multi-walled paper bags or 4lb poly bags. Product name, brand, and production code identify each bag.

## Storage and Shelf-life:

Minimum shelf life of 24 months from date of manufacture; when transported and stored in a clean, dry, infestation free environment. Product should be stored away from excess heat, moisture, and direct sunlight.

## **Suitability Information**

Non-GMO

**Kosher Pareve** 

Halal Certified

Vegetarian Suitable

Vegan Suitable

Gluten Free Certified\*

#### Precautionary Allergen Statement

Due to the minor risk of cross-contamination from agricultural practices, non-gluten Free products may come in contact with wheat and other grains containing gluten (rye, barley, oats, triticale, Kamut, spelt, and their hybridized strains). We cannot guarantee that the regular product is "Gluten-Free" unless it is a Gluten-Free product. Please confirm with MDGL Sales and QA team for the GF status. Mustard seed and buckwheat seed share some of the same processing equipment.

## Country of Origin

USA

#### Natural

Our products do not contain any animal derivatives, added color, artificial flavors or synthetic substances; nor have they been exposed to ethylene oxide treatment (ETO) or propylene oxide treatment (PPO).

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<sup>\*</sup>Minn-Dak will only provide the WFCF certified Gluten Free products per our customer request. The customer who requests the GF product, needs to notify the MDGL Sales team of the preferred test frequency (ex. Each lot, etc.) on each purchase order (PO).