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## Product Specification

### Section 1. General Details

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### Section 2. Product Name and/or description

Assorted Sugar Strands (Natural Colours) – Small sugar strands in an assortment of colours

### Section 3. Country of Origin

UK

### Section 4. Product Formulation

Raw Material	% Breakdown
Sugar	79
Vegetable Oils (blend of Palm, Sal, Shea and Mango Kernels)	18
Glucose Syrup	1
Emulsifier: Soya Lecithin (GM Free)	0.4
Concentrates: Lemon, Safflower, Radish	<0.2
Colours: E162	<0.1

### Section 5. Ingredient Declaration

Sugar (79%), Vegetable Oils (blend of Palm, Sal, Shea and Mango Kernels), Glucose Syrup (**Wheat, Sulphites**), Emulsifier: Soya Lecithin (**Soya**), Concentrate: Lemon, Safflower, Radish, Colours: E162

### Section 6. Nutritional Data (Typical per 100g)

Energy	(kJ)	2071
	(kcal)	493
Total Fat		18.7
• Of which saturates		14.8
Carbohydrate		81.1
• Of which sugars		81.1
Fibre		0
Protein		0
Salt		0
Data Source:		Supplier specification – Energy calculated using conversion factor as stated in Annex XIV of Regulation (EU) 1169/2011

## Section 7. Food Intolerance

Substance	Contains? Yes / No	Comment	Handled on manufacture site Y/N
Cereals containing gluten (wheat, rye, barley, oats, spelt, kamut and their hybridised strains)	Yes	Glucose Syrup derived from wheat	Yes
Crustaceans and products there of	No		No
Egg and products there of	No		No
Fish and products there of	No		No
Peanuts and products there of	No		No
Soybeans and products there of	Yes	Emulsifier: Soya Lecithin	Yes
Milk and products there of	No		No
Nuts and products there of	No		No
Celery and products there of	No		No
Mustard and products there of	No		No
Sesame seed and products there of	No		No
Sulphur Dioxide >10mg/kg as SO <sub>2</sub>	Yes	Sugar 10mg/kg max source of SO <sub>2</sub> = Bulk Sugar Glucose Syrup 200- 400mg/kg	Yes
Lupin and products there of	No		No
Molluscs and products there of	No		No

Suitable for Vegetarians:	Yes
Suitable for Vegans:	Yes
Contains Genetically Modified Organisms:	No

## Section 8. Shelf life & Storage

Total shelf life of product:	18 Months
Storage conditions:	Store in cool dry conditions. Temperature 15-25°C Relative Humidity 50-65% ideally

## Section 9. Quality Standards

### Microbiological Standard

Test	Max
TVC	<2000cfu/g
Coliforms	Not Detected in 1g
E. Coli	Not Detected in 1g
Salmonella	Not Detected in 25g

### Physical Standard

Test	Target
Size and length	2 to 8mm (Typical)
Diameter	1.2 to 1.4 (Typical) (Fat Based)

## Section 10. Packaging

Packaging:	Staple free cardboard outer in food grade poly-liner
Weight per unit:	Please refer to Shepcote Price List
Date Code:	Please see packaging

### Declaration

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The product shall conform to all current UK and EU legislation where appropriate and applicable.

### History of Amendments

Issue No	Issue Date	Authorised by	Reason for Amendment
1	4 <sup>th</sup> January 2010	Andrea Wheatley	First Issue
2	28 <sup>th</sup> October 2014	Andrea Wheatley	Update to comply with FIR & supplier specification update