

CAROB POWDER (inv-AYAA)

### DESCRIPTION

Our Carob Powder is manufactured in the USA, from the clean, dried, cut, and sifted pods (with seeds removed) of the Mediterranean evergreen tree; Ceratonio Siliqua.

#### **INGREDIENT STATEMENT**

100% Carob Pods Without Seeds. Carob powder is a single ingredient produced without the use of processing aids, preservatives, excipients or additives of any kind on equipment that is EXCLUSIVE to carob production. 100% NATURAL and Kosher certified. GMO, BSE and TSE free.

PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS	METHOD	SPECIFICATION Certonia Siliqua
Plant Part	Visual	Pods
Appearance, Color, Aroma, and Taste	Organoleptic	Fine Powder. Light tan to dark brown in color with characteristic chocolate-like aroma and taste.
PHYSICAL PROFILE		
Particle Size (% THROUGH USS SIEVE)	TCSM 729	NLT 98% through 200 USS Sieve
CHEMICAL PROFILE		
Moisture	AOAC 964.22	NMT 5.0%
Heavy Metals		
Arsenic	ICP-MS	NMT 1 ppm
Lead (AS Pb)	ICP-MS	NMT 5 ppm
Mercury	ICP-MS	NMT 1 ppm
Cadmium	ICP-MS	NMT 1 ppm
MICROBIOLOGICAL PROFILE		
Total Aerobic Plate Count (CFU /g)	AOAC 966.23	1,000/gram maximum
Yeast (CFU /g)	FDA - BAM 7th ed.	50/gram maximum
Mold (CFU /g)	FDA - BAM 7th ed.	50/gram maximum
Salmonella (/375g)	AOAC 2004.03	Negative
E. Coli (3 tube MPN)	AOAC 966.24	< 3.0

#### PACKAGING AND STORAGE

RECOMMENDED: Cool 50-700F, dry <50% relative humidity, off the floor and away from outer walls. Under these conditions, estimated 36 months from manufacturing.

## SHELF LIFE

AMBIENT CONDITIONS: Under ambient storage conditions (if not within above parameters), estimated 24 months from manufacturing date.



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POSSIBLE ALLERGENS	PRESENCE	ABSENCE	PROCESSED ON SAME EQUIPMENT	PROCESSIN SAME FACILITY or COMMENTS
Nuts, including peanuts and tree nuts		Х	NO	NO
Sesame Seeds and derivatives		Х	NO	NO
Dairy		Х	NO	NO
Egg or rice derivatives		Х	NO	NO
Wheat or wheat derivatives		Х	NO	NO
Corn or corn derivatives		Х	NO	NO
Soy or soy derivatives		Х	NO	NO
Gluten		Х	NO	NO
Starch		Х	NO	NO
Oat or oat derivatives		Х	NO	NO
Barley or barley derivatives		Х	NO	NO
Fruit or fruit derivatives		Х	NO	YES
Yeast or yeast derivatives		Х	NO	NO
Vegetable or vegetable derivatives		Х	NO	NO
Fish		Х	NO	NO
Shellfish, including crustaceans, mollusks and their derivatives		х	NO	NO
Artificial flavorings, colors, or preservatives		Х	NO	NO
Coal Tar Dyes		Х	NO	NO
MSG		Х	NO	STORED ONLY
Benzoates		Х	NO	NO
Sulphites or metasulphites		Х	NO	NO
BHA/BHT or related compounds		Х	NO	NO
Artificial Sweeteners		Х	NO	NO
Sugar		Х	NO	NO
Sugar Alcohols		Х	NO	NO
Alcohol		Х	NO	NO
Beef and Pork derivatives		Х	NO	NO
Lamb and lamb derivatives		Х	NO	NO
Animal derived gelatin		Х	NO	NO
Other animal derivatives		Х	NO	NO
Lactose		Х	NO	NO
Sodium		Х	NO	NO
Mustard		Х	NO	STORED ONLY
Celery		Х	NO	YES



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NUTRIENT	UNITS	PER 100 g
PROXIMATES		
Water	g	3.58
Engery	kcal	222
Engery	kJ	929
Protein	g	4.62
Total Lipids (fat)	g	0.65
Ash	g	2.27
Carbohydrate, by difference	g	88.88
Fiber, total dietary	g	39.8
Sugars, total	g	49.08
MINERALS		
Calcium	mg	348
Iron, Fe	mg	2.94
Magnesium, Mg	mg	54
Phosphorus, P	mg	79
Potassium, K	mg	827
Sodium, Na	mg	35
Zinc, Zn	mg	0.92
Cooper, Cu	mg	0.571
Manganese, Mn	mg	0.508
Selenium, Se	mg	5.3
VITAMINS		
Vitamin C, total ascorbic acid	mg	0.2
Thiamin	mg	0.053
Riboflavin	mg	0.461
Niacin	mg	13.897
Pantothenic acid	mg	0.047
Vitamin B-6	mg	0.366
Folate, total	mcg	29
Folate, food	mcg	29
Folate, DFE	mch_DFE	29
Choline, total	mg	11.9
Vitamin A, RAE	mcg_RAE	1
Carotene, beta	mcg_beta	89
Vitamin A, IU	IU	14
Vitamin E (alpha-tocopherol)	mg	0.63



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LIPIDS					
Fatty Acids, total saturated	g	0.09			
Fatty Acids, total monounsaturated	g	0.197			
Fatty Acids, total polyunsaturated	g	0.216			
Fatty Acids, total trans	g	0.000			
OTHER					
Alcohol, ethyl	g	0.0			
Caffeine	mg	0			
Theobromine	mg	0			
Cholesterol	mg	0			
GLUTEN	g	0			
AMINO ACIDS					
Tryptophan	g	0.048			
Threonine	g	0.271			
Isoleucine	g	0.209			
Leucine	g	0.442			
Lysine	g	0.196			
Methionine	g	0.081			
Cystine	g	0.029			
Phenylalanine	g	0.151			
Tyrosine	g	0.12			
Valine	g	0.446			
Arginine	g	0.13			
Histidine	g	0.122			
Alanine	g	0.584			
Aspartic Acid	g	0.503			
Glutamic Acid	g	0.362			
Glycine	g	0.267			
Proline	g	0.354			
Serine	g	0.304			