

PRODUCT SPECIFICATION CACAO BUTTER

Classification: *Theobroma cacao L*

OrganicCrops cacao butter made from hand-selected cacao beans, harvested from mature heirloom Criollo and Trinitario. The beans are fermented then cleaned, roasted and husked to remove the shells. Cacao liquor is then pressed to separate the butter from the cacao solids.



GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS

PRODUCT CLASS.:	Cacao Butter, Theobroma Oil
STYLE:	Homogeneous compacted fat
ORIGIN:	Amazon region, Peru
CULTIVATION:	Organic, Conventional
COLOR CLASS.:	Cream colored, light yellow

PRODUCT TYPES

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CERTIFICATION:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SENASA <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> USDA Organic
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EU <input type="checkbox"/> JAS
	<input type="checkbox"/> Fairtrade FLO <input type="checkbox"/> Kosher
PRODUCT ID:	TCMA1804
HS CODE(S):	1804.00.00.11/2/3

PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

COLOR VISUAL:	Cream
TASTE:	Characteristic
ODOR	Characteristic
FOREIGN MATERIAL:	–
DEFECTS:	–
AVERAGE SIZE:	–
CALIBER:	–
PARTICLE SIZE:	–

CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

ACIDITY (OLEIC ACID):	Max. 1.75%
ASHES:	–
FAT:	–
FERMENTATION:	–
HUMIDITY LEVEL:	Max. 1%
IODINE:	33-44 mEq of I ²
MELTING POINT:	31-35 °C
PEROXIDE:	Max 3 mEq of O ²
PH-LEVEL:	–
SAPONIFICATION:	188-198 mg KOH/g
SOLUBILITY:	–

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Conformation

- This product does not contain genetically modified material.
- This product is free of BSE/TSE.
- The product may contain traces of pits/stalks/shell.
- The product is gluten free.
- This product, whole or in part, has not been subjected to Ionizing Radiation.
- This product has not come into contact with Nandrolone or any of its precursors in any way.

MICROBIOLOGICAL PARAMETERS

AEROBIC MESOPHILIC:	Max. 5000 cfu/g
YEAST:	Max. 10 cfu/g
MOLD:	Max. 10 cfu/g
E. COLI:	< 3 NMP/g
SALMONELLA:	Absent
STAPHYLOC. AUREUS:	–
AFLATOXINS:	–
P. AERUGINOSA:	–
N. ENTEROBACT.:	–
BACILLUS CEREUS:	–

NUTRITION FACTS (100 g POR)

ENERGY:	923 kcal. / KJ 3862
PROTEIN:	0 g
TOTAL FAT:	100 g
SATURATED FAT:	70 g
MONOUNSAT. FAT:	27 g
POLYUNSAT. FAT:	3 g
CARBOHYDRATES:	0 g
	Sugars: 0 g
	Dietary fibers: 0 g
CHOLESTEROL:	0 mg

VITAMINS

BETAINE:	—
CAROTENE:	—
CHOLINE:	0.3 mg
FOLATE (B9):	0 mvg
NIACIN:	0 mg
PANTOTHENIC ACID:	0 mg
RIBOFLAVIN (B2):	0 mg
THIAMIN (B1):	0 mg
VITAMIN A:	0 IU
VITAMIN B12:	0 mcg
VITAMIN B6:	0 mg
VITAMIN C:	0 mg
VITAMIN D:	0 IU
VITAMIN E:	1.8 mg
VITAMIN K:	24.7 mcg

FATTY ACIDS:

C12-0 LAURIC:	—
C13-1-7 TRIDECONOIC:	—
C13-0 TRIDECANOIC:	—
C14-0 MYRSTIC:	—
C15-1-7 PENTADEC:	—
C16-1-9 PALMTOLEIC:	—
C16-0 PALMITIC:	—
C17-1-9 HEPTADEC:	—
C17-0 HEPTADECANOIC:	—
C18-2-9-12 LINOLEIC:	—
C18-1-9 OLEIC:	—
C18-0 STERIC:	—
C19-1-11 NONADEC:	—
C19-0 NONADECANOIC	—
C20-1-15 EISOSENOIC:	—
C22-0 BEHANIC:	—
C24-1-15 NERVONIC:	—
C-24-0 LIGNOCENIC:	—

AMINO ACIDS: per 1 g protein:

ASPARTIC ACID:	—
GLUTAMIC ACID:	—
SERINE:	—
HISTIDINE:	—
GLYCINE:	—
THREONINE:	—
ALANINE:	—
TYROSINE:	—
PHENYLALANINE:	—
VALINE:	—
METHIONINE:	—
ISOLEUCINE:	—
LEUCINE:	—
LYSINE:	—
HO- PROLINE:	—
PROLINE:	—
SARCOSINE:	—

MINERALS

CALCIUM:	0 mg
COPPER:	0 mg
FLUORIDE:	—
IRON:	0 mg
MAGNESIUM:	0 mg
MANGANESE:	0 mg
PHOSPHOROS:	0 mg
POTASSIUM:	0 mg
SELENIUM:	0 mcg
SODIUM:	0 mg
ZINC:	0 mg

OTHER

ARSENIC (AS):	—
ASH:	0 g
CADMIUM (CD):	< 0.7 mg/ppm
CAFFEINE:	0 mg
LEAD (PB):	—
MERCURY (HG):	—

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The product is produced from Non-GMO materials, with steam sterilization and processed in accordance to Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP) & HACCP food safety control. It is edible grade and fit for human consumption.

Typical Usage

Wide-range of consumer products ranging from cosmetic and skin care application to food enhancement and food production. Cacao butter is a primary ingredient in the commercial production of white and milk chocolate.

SHELF-LIFE & STORAGE

SHELF-LIFE:	24 months.
STORAGE:	Store in a temperature/humidity controlled environment, away from sunlight or other heat sources.
STORAGE TEMP.:	15-18 degrees Celsius
HUMIDITY:	50-65% H.R.

ORDER SPECIFICATIONS

PACKAGING/PRES.:	PE bags in a corrugated cardboard, total 25 kg gross or wafers/coins/pallets in a 16 kg box.
SHIPPING:	FOB Callao
MINIMUM ORDER:	1000 kg
DELIVERY DETAIL:	FIFO
LEAD TIME TO FOB:	17 days

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These specifications apply to an average sample covering the goods when they leave the production plant. They are analyzed based on the methods of analysis as described in IOCCC and AOAC.

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PRODUCTION PROCESS FLOW CHART

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