

Finished Product Specification

Product code FTEB-T-10X100

| Date issued | 23/01/2024 | | |
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| Version Number | 1 (New format) | | |
| Product Name | Birchall English Breakfast Tea - 100 Tagged Tea Bags (FT) | | |
| Product description | Birchall English Breakfast Tea - 100 Tagged Tea Bags (FT) | | |
| Tea code | CAT01FTPR | | |
| Unit Bar code | 5 021418 00206 1 | | |
| Case bar code | 5 021418 00439 3 | | |

Ingredients

| Ingredients Black Tea | % | coo |
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| Black Tea | 100 | COO Kenya |
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On pack ingredients declaration Black Tea (100%)

Allergens

| Allergen | Presence of allergen in product | Declared | Comments |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|----------------------------|
| Celery | Not present | N/A | |
| Cereals containing gluten | Not present | N/A | |
| Crustaceans | Not present | N/A | |
| Eggs | Not present | N/A | |
| Fish | Not present | N/A | |
| Lupin | Not present | N/A | |
| Milk/ dairy | Not present | N/A | |
| Molluscs | Not present | N/A | |
| Mustard | Not present | N/A | |
| Nuts | Not present | N/A | Site operates a 'nut free' |
| Peanuts | Not present | N/A | status |
| Sesame | Not present | N/A | |
| Soya | Not present | N/A | |
| Sulphur dioxide/ Sulphites | Not present | N/A | |

Contains

| This product contains | Presence of allergen in product | Declared | Comments |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Additives | Not present | N/A | |
| Preservatives | Not present | N/A | |
| Natural Colours | Not present | N/A | |
| Artificial Colours | Not present | N/A | |
| Flavour Enhancers | Not present | N/A | |
| Sweeteners | Not present | N/A | |
| HVP (Hydrolysed Vegetable Protein) | Not present | N/A | |
| Natural Flavouring | Not present | N/A | |
| Flavouring Substances | Not present | N/A | |
| Animal Product | Not present | N/A | |

| | Alcohol | Not present | N/A | |
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Suitable For

| Suitable for | Suitable for | Comments |
|--|---------------------|----------|
| This product is suitable for Vegetarians | Yes | |
| This product is suitable for Coeliacs | Yes | |
| This product is suitable for Vegans | Yes | |
| This product suitable diabetics | Yes | |
| This product suitable for Kosher diet | Yes - Not certified | |
| This product suitable for Halal diet | Yes - Not certified | |

Sustainability Certification

| Sustainability Certification | Status | Comments |
|--------------------------------|--------|----------|
| Rain Forest Alliance Certified | Yes | |
| Fair Trade Certified | Yes | |
| Organic certified | No | |

Weight Information

| Net weight of tea in bag (g) | 2.5g |
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| Net weight of unit (g) | 250g |
| Gross weight of unit (g) | 326g |
| No. units per a case | 10 |
| Gross weight of unit (Kg) | 3.59kg |

Nutritional Information

| Nutrient | Per 100ml of infusion | Per a portion (1 tea bag per 200ml) | Method |
|------------------------|-----------------------|--|------------|
| Energy (kJ) | 3.5 | 7.0 | Calculated |
| Energy (kcal) | 1.0 | 2.0 | Calculated |
| Protein (g) | 0.0 | 0.0 | Calculated |
| Fat (g) | 0.0 | 0.0 | Calculated |
| Of which saturates (g) | 0.0 | 0.0 | Calculated |
| Carbohydrate (g) | <0.5 | <0.5 | Calculated |
| Sugar (g) | <0.5 | <0.5 | Calculated |
| Sodium (mg) | 0.0 | 0.0 | Calculated |
| Salt (g) | 0.0 | 0.0 | Calculated |

NB: Camellia sinensis, Herbal and fruit infusions are exempt from mandatory nutritional labelling according to Regulation(EU)No 1169/2011

Microbiological Standards

| Microbiological Test | Target | Unacceptable | Method & Frequency |
|----------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| | | | UKAS accredited method/ |
| E.coli | <1.0E+2 cfu/g | >1.0E+2 cfu/g | Based on risk assessment |
| | | | UKAS accredited method/ |
| Salmonella spp. | Absent in 125g | Present in 125g | Based on risk assessment |
| | | | UKAS accredited method/ |
| Yeast | <1.0E+4 cfu/g | >1.0E+4 cfu/g | Based on risk assessment |
| | | | UKAS accredited method/ |
| Mould | <1.0E+5 cfu/g | >1.0E+5 cfu/g | Based on risk assessment |
| | | | UKAS accredited method/ |
| Aerobic Plate Count | <1.0E+7 cfu/g | >1.0E+7 cfu/g | Based on risk assessment |

Chemical Standards

| Chemical Test | Target | Unacceptable | Method & Frequency |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | | UKAS accredited method/ |
| Moisture | <6.50% | >6.50% | Based on risk assessment |
| | | | UKAS accredited method/ |
| Metal Cadmium (Cd) | Max 1.0 mg / kg | >1.0 mg / kg | Based on risk assessment |
| | | | UKAS accredited method/ |
| Lead (Pb) | Max 5.0 mg /kg | >5.0 mg /kg | Based on risk assessment |
| Aflatoxin B1 | Max 2 | | UKAS accredited method/ |
| | μg / kg | >2 μg /kg | Based on risk assessment |
| | | | UKAS accredited method/ |
| Aflatoxin B1, B2, G1, G2 (as sum) | Max 4 μg / kg | >4 μg /kg | Based on risk assessment |
| | Within UK & EU legislation | Out of UK & EU legislation | Based on risk assessment |
| Pesticides | limits | limits | /UKAS accredited method |

Storage Instructions

| Storage Instructions | Keep sealed in a dry, ambient, environment away from direct sunlight and strong | |
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| | odours | |
| Total Shelf life | 3 Years from date of pack | |
| Minimum Life on Delivery | 6 Months | |
| Shelf Life once opened, if stored as | We recommend 3 months from date of opening for the tea to be at its best or until | |
| per storage instructions | displayed date code, which ever is shorter. | |
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Packaging Information

| Component | Material | Recyclable/ Compostable |
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| | | |
| Tea paper | Abaca & cellulosic fibres | Industrially compostable |
| Yarn | Cotton | Compostable |
| Tag | Paper | Recyclable |
| Printed carton | Virgin Fibre Board (Derived from wood pulp) | Recyclable |
| Over film | NatureFlex TM NK (Derived from wood pulp) | Industrially compostable |
| Outer case | Cardboard/Derived from wood pulp | Recyclable |
| Outer case Label | Paper | Recyclable |
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| Unit Dimensions (cm) | 15X19X6.5 |
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| Case Dimensions (cm) | 20X32X34.5 |
| Cadina Information | |

Coding Information

| Product code method | Printed date code and batch details or applied label with printed date and batch details | |
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| Product code location | At the bottom of the unit / on side | |
| Traceability code | Batch number or B/N | |
| Coding example | BBE: 05/2022 | |

| Spec Version | 1 (New format) | |
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