



Product Specification

Pure Lemon Paste

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Company Name: Nielsen-Massey Vanillas Inc.

Address of Supplier: 1550 Shields Drive, Waukegan, IL 60085

Remit to Address: 6521 Eagle Way, Chicago, IL 60678-1065

Product Name: Lemon Pure Paste

Product Code: RLEPASTE4M or RLEPASTE18M

Product Description: Pure Lemon Paste

UnitGTIN (UPC): 4 ounce – 025638854047 18 ounce – 025638854184

Case GTIN: 4 ounce – 10025638854044 18 ounce – 10025638854181

Country of Manufacture: USA

Ingredient Statement: Cane Sugar, Water, Pure Lemon Extract, Gum Tragacanth (a natural thickener)

Country of Origin for Raw Materials:

Cane Sugar – USA

Pure Lemon Extract – USA

Gum Tragacanth – Switzerland and Germany

Preparation/Storage Instructions: Product is ready to use. Store at room temperature, away from direct sunlight and heat.

Email Contacts:

Customer Service – info@nielsenmassey.com

Sales – sales@nielsenmassey.com

Samples – samples@nielsenmassey.com

Technical Documents – documents@nielsenmassey.com

NUTRITIONAL & DIETARY COMPONENTS:

Based on 100g un-rounded analysis

Calories:	198.77	Protein:	0.20 g
Calories from Total Fat:	0.09	Folate:	not tested
Total Fat:	0.01 g	Vitamin A:	not tested
Saturated Fat:	0 g	Vitamin C:	not tested
Polyunsaturated Fat:	0 g	Vitamin D:	not tested
Monounsaturated Fat:	0 g	Calcium:	14.05 mg
Trans Fatty Acids:	0 g	Iron:	0.13 mg
Total Carbohydrates:	49.47 g	Potassium:	4.48 mg
Dietary Fiber:	0.6 g	Ash:	<0.01 g
Sugars (Total):	48.87 g	Cholesterol:	<1 mg
Sugars (Added):	48.87 g	Sodium:	2.49 mg

GENERAL ALLERGEN STATEMENT:

Nielsen-Massey Vanillas maintains a strict allergen control program to carefully exclude all major food allergens defined by FALCPA, the Food Allergen Labeling and Consumer Protection Act of 2003.

Our program has three pillars:

- 1) **Careful selection of suppliers/manufacturers of ingredients:** Our ingredients are the highest quality producers can provide to us. We require reliable information about any risks involving allergens in raw materials. See the chart below for details.
- 2) **Eliminating cross contamination risks:** Incoming inspection is key to preventing unintentional sources of allergens from entering the plant by shipping contamination. Our personnel carefully inspect trucks and packages to prevent unknown or unclean materials from entering the plant.
- 3) **Maintenance of a dedicated plant:** We operate a dedicated facility which does not process any raw material containing common allergens. This virtually eliminates the risk of processing cross contamination in our operation.

ALLERGENS:

Test	Present in Product	Present in Other Products Manufactured on the Same Line	Present in the Same Manufacturing Facility
Tree nuts, oil, meats, etc.	NO	NO	NO
Peanuts: oil, meats	NO	NO	NO
Milk or milk products	NO	NO	NO
Eggs or egg product	NO	NO	NO
Gluten products	NO	NO	NO
Soy products	NO	NO	NO
Shellfish and Crustaceans	NO	NO	NO
Sulfites/BHA/BHT	NO	NO	NO
Sesame	NO	NO	NO
Fish	NO	NO	NO
Artificial colors	NO	NO	NO

MICROBIOLOGICAL LIMITS:

Test	Method	Tolerance Level
Total Plate Count	FDA BAM	< 45,000 CFU/g
Coliform	FDA BAM	< 1 CFU/g
Yeast & Mold	FDA BAM	< 10 CFU/g
<i>Salmonella</i>	FDA BAM	Negative/25 g
<i>E. Coli</i>	FDA BAM	< 1 CFU/g

PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL SPECIFICATION:

Test	Method	Tolerance Level
Density		1.216 ± 0.03 g/mL

ORGANOLEPTIC SPECIFICATION:

Characteristic	Description
Appearance/Color	Light Yellow
Flavor	Lemon
Aroma	Lemon
Texture	Viscous

INTENDED USE STATEMENT:

Product contains no known allergens and is intended for use by the general public as a flavoring agent. Product can be consumed directly from the container (at full strength), but is recommended to be used as a flavoring agent in RTE food and beverage applications.

SHIPPING& STORAGE:

Pack Size: 4 ounce or 18 ounce

Packaging Material: HDPE bottle or glass bottle

Case Pack Size: 6 units/case

Unit Dimension (in.): Varies

UnitWeight(Gross–lbs.):

Varies **Case Dimensions(in.):**

varies **Case Cube (cubic feet):**

varies

Case Weight (Gross – lbs., [approx..): varies

Cases per Layer: varies

Layers per Full Skid: varies

Cases per Full Skid: varies

Units per Full Skid: varies

Shipping Temperature: Product shall be shipped to maintain ambient temperatures (60 – 80°F).

Storage Temperature: Product shall be stored to maintain ambient temperatures (60 – 80°F).

LOT CODE DESCRIPTION:

Nielsen-Massey Vanillas lot code, i.e., 27864, is a numeric code placed on each product label at the time of production. It is directly related to a unique worksheet that is used to produce the specific product. These worksheets are sequentially numbered and provide procedures and material lots used to produce this product.

For industrial products, code dating is indicated by a Manufacture date month and year, i.e. Feb 2017, on the case. For retail products/food service, code dating is indicated by a Best By month and year, i.e. Feb 2017, on the bottle.

PRODUCT LABEL:



PRODUCT CERTIFICATES:

		Certifying Body
SQF Food Safety Code For Manufacturing		Eurofins
Kosher Certification		CRC
Gluten Free		Gluten Free Certification Organization (GFCO)
Non-GMO		Non-GMO Project



PRODUCT CLAIMS:

		Description
Vegan/Vegetarian Suitable		No animal products, by-products, or dairy products used in the production of flavored extracts.

CHANGE & UPDATE LOG:

Date	Description of Change/Update	Approved/Change By
06.05.2020	New	PF
11.22.2021	Updated ingredient nomenclature- "Natural based thickener"	NM
07.06.22	Product title nomenclature and label update	NM
08.18.22	Updated country of origin Gum Tragacanth	NM