



AROMANTIC
Natural Skin Care

Specifications and Product Information

Burdock Root Organic
INCI Name: *Arctium lappa*

Product Information

Botanical name	Arctium lappa
Part of Plant	Root
Typical country of origin*	Poland *Please note that country of origin may differ from that specified.
Status	Organic

Organoleptic Description

Appearance	Dark brown outer root with light brown/cream inner cortex/ Various cut sized pieces
Texture	Hard root with fluffy fibres
Flavour	Mild, earthy, astringent, slightly sweet and bitter
Odour	Earthy, slightly sweet

Processing

Drying method	Warm air
Further processing*	*Heat treatment may have been undertaken on a batch-specific basis

Analysis

Products are subject to routine organoleptic and microbiological analysis including aflatoxin and ochratoxin testing. Certificates of Conformance (Certificates of Analysis) are available on request.

Maximum microbiological limits (cfu/g)		Mycotoxins (Aflatoxin and Ochratoxin)		
			B1	Total
TVC	<5 x 10 ⁷	Aflatoxin Limits µg/kg	5	10
Salmonella	absent in 25g		A	
E. coli	<10 ³	Ochratoxin	15	
Yeast and mould	<5 x 10 ⁵	Applies to: tree and vine fruit, chillies, ginger root, turmeric, nutmeg, liquorice root, paprika and peppercorns		
Enterobacteriaceae	<10 ⁴			

Typical Nutritional Data per 100g
(Literature values from USDA National Nutrient Database)

Energy (kJ)	301 (calculated)
Energy (kcal)	72
Carbohydrate (g)	17.34
of which sugars (g)	2.9
Fat (g)	0.15
of which saturates (g)	0.025
Protein (g)	1.53
Fibre (g)	3.3
Sodium (mg)	5

Dietary suitability

This product is considered to be suitable for vegetarians and vegans.

Metal detection

All products are subject to routine metal detection.

Metal detector sensitivity	
Fe	3.5mm
Non-Fe	5.5mm
S/S	5.0mm

Shelf Life Guidance

Products are supplied with a minimum of 6 months to recommended Best Before End date (shown on pack).

To maintain the product in best condition it is advisable to protect from exposure to pests and extremes of moisture, light, temperature and resealed after use.

Allergen and Additive information

To the best of our knowledge this product is free from the following:

Any bovine products or by products (including milk and milk derivatives)
Eggs or egg derivatives
Fish/crustaceans/molluscs and their derivatives
Cochineal
Gluten, wheat or wheat derivatives
Maize or maize derivatives
Soya or soya derivatives
Artificial colours and artificial flavourings
Added natural colours and natural flavourings
Preservatives (including benzoates, sulphur dioxide and/or sulphites at concentrations of more than 10mg/kg or 10mg/L (litre) etc)
Antioxidants
MSG and other glutamates
Yeast or yeast extract
Added salt and added sugars
Peanuts, Peanut Oil or derivatives
Other nuts and their derivatives including cold pressed nut derived oils
Sesame seeds, sesame seed oil or derivatives
Other seeds (with the exception of the species referred to on this specification) and their derivatives including cold pressed seed derived oils
Added mustard including derivatives

Added Celery including derivatives

Lupin and Lupin derivatives

Allergen advice: celery and mustard are handled on site.

GM declaration

To the best of our knowledge this product is non-GM and does not contain GM processing agents. This has been verified by organic certification and by traceability/identity preservation systems including adequate separation.

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