



Product Specification

1	Product Name	2	Label			
	Sharkara®		Classic Ayurveda			
5	product category	7	Country of Origin	8	Product code	Batch
	food		India		10401	ASP/7/2013

9	sales unit	10	Packaging
	500 g		cardboard can with aluminium sealing

11	organic/ non organic	12	Certification
	Non organic		-

13	organoleptic	14	product description
	<p>colour/ appearance: white, slightly yellow</p> <p>odour: non specific odour</p> <p>taste: sweet, product typical</p> <p>texture: fine powder, slightly sticky and lumpy</p>		<p>The traditional ayurvedic texts describe eight different types of sugar. The Indian ayurvedic expert, Dr. Kirit Pandya, says: „Sugar can be made from dates, honey, sugar beet, grapes and other fruits, but Sharkara ®, from sugarcane, has very special qualities and is highly valued in Ayurveda.“</p> <p>This royal sugar, produced according to the ancient classical texts, is made in small factories exclusively for AMLA Natur. The special process used for producing Sharkara ® reduces the acid-forming components of the sugarcane. These are mainly found in the joints and roots of the plant. Crystallisation produces large, uneven, light yellow crystals that are sun dried in the heat of the Indian summer. In this way the Sharkara ® „ripens“ and gains its special ayurvedic qualities. In india it is common to bleach the sugar with sulphuric acid. This way the sugar becomes sour and loses its ayurvedic qualities. The origin Sharkara from Classic Ayurveda is not chemically treated and this is shown in the mild yellowgray colour. The pH-value is almost neutral.</p>
This is a natural product, depending on origin and year of harvest deviations in appearance (shape and color) and texture can occur.			

15	sales description
	Ayurvedic cane sugar

16	Ingredients
	name
	100% cane sugar (Sharkara®)

17	Product suitability product is suitable for
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Vegetarians <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ovo-lacto Vegetarians <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Vegans

18	microbiological limits (This product conforms to the guideline values of the German Society for Hygiene and Microbiology (DGHM))			
		limit (cfu/g)	result	Reference
	total plate count	< 1x10 ⁶	complies	recommended by an external accredited laboratory (LEFO-Institute)
	Enterobacteriaceae	< 1x10 ³	complies	recommended by an external accredited laboratory (LEFO-Institute)
	yeast	< 1x10 ⁴	complies	recommended by an external accredited laboratory (LEFO-Institute)
	mould	< 1x10 ⁴	complies	recommended by an external accredited laboratory (LEFO-Institute)
19	maximum limits for heavy metals This product conforms to the requirements of the regulation (EG) Nr. 1881/2006			
		limit (mg/kg)	result	Reference
	arsenic	<0,5	complies	recommended by an external accredited laboratory (LEFO-Institute)
	lead	<3,0	complies	recommended by an external accredited laboratory (LEFO-Institute)
	cadmium	<1,0	complies	recommended by an external accredited laboratory (LEFO-Institute)
	mercury	<0,1	complies	recommended by an external accredited laboratory (LEFO-Institute)



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20	Allergen labelling in accordance to the EU Food Information for Consumers Regulations (EU FIC) No. 1169/2011		
		contains	contains traces
			free from
	Cereals containing gluten and products thereof		
	wheat	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	rye	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	barley	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	oats	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	spelt	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Kamut or their hybridised strains	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Crustaceans and products thereof	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Eggs and products thereof	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Fish and products thereof	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Peanuts and products thereof	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Peanuts and products thereof	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Soybeans and products thereof	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Milk and products thereof	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	lactose	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nuts and products thereof		
	almond	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	hazelnut	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	walnut	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	cashew	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	pecan nut	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	brazil nut	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	pistachio nut	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	macadamia nut	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	queensland nut	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Celeriac and products thereof	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Mustard and products thereof	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Sesame seeds and products thereof	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Sulphur dioxide and sulphites in a concentration from more than 10mg/kg or 10mg/litre expressed as SO ₂	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

21	Nutrition facts per 100g	
	Energy (kJ)	1680 kJ
	Energy(kcal)	401 kcal
	Fat	0 g
	of which saturated fatty acids	0 g
	Carbohydrates	100 g
	of which sugars	
	Protein	0 g
	Fibres	0 g
	Salt	0g



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22	best-before date
	see print on product label
23	storage conditions
	store in cool and dry place away from direct sunlight