Fine Granulated Sugar

SMBSC's Fine Granulated Sugar, a food grade product, is made by crystallizing a purified and filtered thick juice, which is removed from sugar beets. It is dried and screened prior to shipment. It may be referred to as Fine Granulated Sugar or Extra Fine Granulated Sugar dependent on market locations. It is available in bulk rail and truck, 50-pound bags, and 2000-pound supersacks.

Chemical and Physical Data

Typical Analysis

Sucrose \geq 99.85% Sediment (insoluble or 5 ppm visual

suspended matter)

 $\begin{array}{lll} \text{Ash} & 0.025\% \\ \text{Moisture} & 0.035\% \\ \text{Color} & 45 \text{ IU} \\ \text{Invert} & 0.050\% \\ \text{Sulfite (SO}_2) & <10 \text{ ppm} \end{array}$

Visual Impurities 2 per 500 grams Odor free of foreign odors

Granulation

US Sieve # Maximum

20 2% cumulative retained

100 10% passing

Microbiological Limits

Mesophilic Bacteria 200 cfu/10g max Yeast 10 cfu/10g max Mold 10 cfu/10g max

Product Specification

Uses

Jams, jellies, meats, chewing gum, dairy products, condiments, pickles, bakery products, cereals, liquid sugar, powdered sugar, candies, and powdered sugar drink mixes.

Packaging

Bags and supersacks are palletized with lot number and item number identified. Bags are stretch wrapped.

Regulatory/Labeling

United States

GRAS Affirmation CFR 21 184.1854 Labeling Sucrose/Sugar

Canada

FDR B.18.001 Labeling Sugar

Shelf Life and Storage Conditions

Product should be stored in cool, dry environment. Sugar stored for over 24 months should be periodically evaluated for fitness of use.



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