



**RATH & CO-TRADING PTY LTD**

Suite 3C, level 2, 58 Victor Crescent  
Narre Warren 3805

**Product Specification**

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|------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|
| <b>Origin</b>          | AMERICA                          | <b>Date of issue</b> | 4.7.2024  |
| <b>Product Code(s)</b> | DF2514-S, DF2514-SP,<br>DF2514-L | <b>Supersedes</b>    | 25.7.2023 |
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**Product Description:**

Natural Walnut Kernels free from excessive defects and foreign odours or flavour.

**Organoleptic properties:**

Colour from light/light amber as defined by the USDA standards.

Odour clean from offending odours

Taste clean, fresh typical walnut flavour, free from rancid or offending flavours

**Physical /Grade Parameters:**

| Product description | Size   | Defects tolerances  |
|---------------------|--|---|
| Light Large Pieces  | Falls through a 5/8 inch (15.88mm) round screen. | Colour Light 85% min<br>Darker then light 15% max<br>Darker then light amber 2%   |
| Medium Pieces       | Falls through a 1/2 inch (12.7mm) round screen.  | Conforms to US No. 1 tolerance<br>Total defects 5%<br>Serious damage 2%<br><small>(please see USDA spec for more detailed tolerances)</small> |
| Combination Nuggets | Falls through a 3/8 inch (9.5mm) screen.         | - Per USDA definitions<br><small>(please see USDA spec for more detailed tolerances)</small>  |

**Microbial Parameters:**

| Parameters        | Quality Standard. |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| Salmonella        | Absent in 25g     |
| Listeria          | Absent in 25g     |
| E. Coli           | <10cfu/g          |
| Total Plate count | <500,000cfu/g     |
| Yeast and Mould   | <5000cfu/g        |



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| <b>Nutrition Information</b> |              |              |  |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--|
| Servings per package: 100.00 |              |              |  |
| Serving size: 100.00 g       |              |              |  |
|                              | Average      | Average      |  |
|                              | Quantity per | Quantity per |  |
|                              | Serving      | 100 g        |  |
| Energy                       | 2910 kJ      | 2910 kJ      |  |
| Protein                      | 14.4 g       | 14.4 g       |  |
| Fat, total                   | 69.2 g       | 69.2 g       |  |
| - saturated                  | 4.4 g        | 4.4 g        |  |
| Carbohydrate                 | 3.0 g        | 3.0 g        |  |
| - sugars                     | 2.7 g        | 2.7 g        |  |
| Sodium                       | 3 mg         | 3 mg         |  |

**Nutritional Information:**

Nutritional information is to be used as an average representative example only.

**Shelf Life:**

Product shelf life is 12 months when stored under the correct conditions. The shelf life can be increased to 18 months if the goods are refrigerated.

**Storage and Handling:**


Product may be stored at ambient temperatures for up to 30 days without damage. Upon receipt, recommended storage conditions for shelled walnuts is 4-6 degrees Celsius at 45%-50% humidity to maintain quality. It is also recommended to ensure walnuts are stored away from any products that may omit odours, as walnuts will easily absorb odours.

**Allergen**

**Present in Product**

**YES / NO**

|  |     |
|--|-----|
| Cereals containing gluten & their products (wheat,rye,barley,oats,spelt) | No  |
| Crustacea & Crustacea products   | No  |
| Egg & egg products   | No  |
| Fish & Fish Products (including molluscs w/out shells & fish oils)       | No  |
| Lupin & Lupin products   | No  |
| Milk & Milk products   | No  |
| Peanuts & Peanut Products  | No  |
| Sesame Seeds & sesame products   | No  |
| Soy & soybean products   | No  |
| Tree nuts & tree nut products  | YES |
| Sulphites, present in ingredients, additives or processing aids*         | NO  |

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**Packaging/Weight:**

Carton with inner plastic liner. Target nett weight 11.34kg or 13.608kg, depending on carton size and walnut bulk density.

**Intended Use:**

Food supplied as an ingredient in further manufacturing or processing.

**Non Irradiation & Ethylene Oxide Statement:**

This product is declared free from exposure or treatment from sources of irradiation and ethylene oxide.

**Genetic Modification:**

This product and any processing aids used in the preparation of this product are declared free from genetic modification.

**Coding:**

To comply with Commonwealth of Australia Regulations (food Standards Code, Quarantine, Department of Primary Industry), all external packaging will be labelled with:-

1. Product Name
2. Batch code or lot number (if coded, interpretation must be supplied.)
3. Production and Best before date
4. Net weight
5. Country of Origin