

Bennett Opie Ltd

Finished Product Specification

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| 6x227g OPIES MINI GHERKINS | | Code No: D410 |
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| Manufacturing Site: Bennett Opie Ltd Chalkwell Road Sittingbourne Kent ME10 2LE United Kingdom | Contacts: Jana Petrovic Tel No: 01795 413784 E-Mail: jana.petrovic@b-opie.com |
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Packaging Format:

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| Units Per Pack: | 6 |
| Packs Per Outer: | 1 |
| Outers Per Layers: | 45 |
| Layers Per Pallet: | 9 |

Weights:

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| Net Weight (e): | 227g |
| Drained Weight: | 115g |

Storage Description:

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| Store in cool dry place. Once opened, keep refrigerated and use within 8 weeks. |
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Shelf Life:

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| Recommended: | 24 months |
| Once opened: | 8 weeks |

Label Details:

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| Body label Barcode: | 5010392004109 |
| Case Label barcode: | 05010392064103 |

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Ingredient Declaration (Allergens highlighted in bold):

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| Gherkins, Water, Sugar, Spirit Vinegar, Salt, Acidity regulator: Acetic acid, Firming agent: Calcium Chloride, Natural Spice Flavouring, Preservative Sulphur Dioxide . |
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Attributes:

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| Appearance/Colour: | Khaki green gherkins in clear vinegar |
| Aroma: | Typical Gherkin in vinegar |
| Flavour: | Typical gherkin flavour with strong acid and slightly sweet vinegar |
| Texture: | Firm with crisp bite, easy snap |

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Analytical info:

| Test | Tolerance | Units | Frequency of Testing |
|-----------------|-----------|----------|----------------------|
| Acidity | 1.3-2.1 | % | Each batch |
| pH | 3.1-3.7 | pH units | Each batch |
| Salt | 2.5-4.4 | % | Each batch |
| SO ₂ | 0-100 | ppm | Each batch |
| Brix | 6-9 | % | Each batch |

Microbiological info:

| Test | Tolerance | Units | Frequency of Testing |
|-------|-----------|-------|----------------------------|
| TVC | <1000 | cfu/g | Annually per product group |
| Yeast | <21 | cfu/g | Annually per product group |
| Mould | <21 | cfu/g | Annually per product group |

Nutrition info:

| Parameter | Typical values per 100g |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| Energy | 95 kJ |
| Energy | 23 kcal |
| Total Fat | 0.6 g |
| <i>of which saturates</i> | 0.2 g |
| Carbohydrate total | 2.7 g |
| <i>of which sugars</i> | 2.9 g |
| Fibre (optional) | 1.4 g |
| Protein | 1.0 g |
| Salt | 2.2 g |

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Allergens & Sensitive Questions (Claims / Warnings):

| Intolerance Information | Present: Yes/No | Source: |
|---|--------------------|--|
| Peanuts, Peanut Oil or Derivatives of Peanuts | NO | |
| Tree nuts (almond, hazelnut, walnut, cashew, pecan nut, Brazil nut, pistachio nut, macadamia nut and Queensland nut) or derivatives of nuts | NO | |
| Shellfish e.g. prawns, crabs, lobster, crayfish | NO | |
| Fish or fish derivatives | NO | |
| Molluscs e.g. clams, mussels, whelks, oysters, snails, squid | NO | |
| Cereals e.g. wheat (spelt or Khorasan wheat), rye, barley, malted barley, oats | No | |
| Gluten >20ppm | NO | |
| Sulphur dioxide and sulphites at level above 10mg/kg or 10mg/litre expresses as SO ₂ | YES | Preservative: Sulphur Dioxide. |
| Sesame Seeds | NO | |
| Egg/Egg Derivatives | NO | |
| Milk and Dairy Products | NO | |
| Corn/maize and derivatives | NO | |
| Soya /Soya Derivatives | NO | |
| Mustard | NO | |
| Celery including celeriac | NO | |
| Lupin | NO | |
| This product is suitable for Vegetarians | YES | |
| This product is suitable for Vegans | YES | |
| This product is suitable for Coeliac | YES | |
| Is the product Kosher certified? | NO | |
| Is the product Halal certified? | NO | |
| Is the product Organic certified? | NO | |
| This product contains Genetically Modified Ingredient | NO | |
| Additives | YES | Acidity regulator: Acetic acid, Firming agent: Calcium Chloride, Preservative Sulphur Dioxide. |
| Artificial colours | NO | |
| Artificial flavours | NO | |

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PRODUCT WARRANTY / SPECIFICATION AGREEMENT

The product defined within this specification complies with all aspects of current United Kingdom and European Commission legislations.

Please sign and return it to Jana Petrovic (jana.petrovic@b-opie.com) Acknowledgment and acceptance will be assumed if we do not hear from you within 28 days.

DECLARATION

I agree the specification for the above product & can confirm I represent the organisation below which authorises me to accept this specification.

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| Company Name: | |
| Customer Representative Name: | |
| Position: | |
| Signature: | |
| Date: | |

| SPECIFICATION HISTORY OF AMENDMENTS | | |
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| ISSUE NUMBER | REASON FOR ISSUE | DATE OF ISSUE |
| V8 | Specification review. No changes made. | 08/12/2020 |
| V9 | Specification review. Allergens & Sensitive questions updated contains cereals (barley) | 08/06/2021 |
| V10 | Specification updated due to recipe change distilled malt vinegar replaced with spirit vinegar | 30/09/2022 |

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