

# FINISHED PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

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PRODUCT	Peppermint and Chamomile Complex
CODE/SIZE	E1038B/500 ml
BRAND	Optima Aloe Pura
REASON FOR REVISION	Amendment of micro and chemical parameters,
	and revision of template.

### **Ingredients**

Aloe Vera (Aloe Barbadensis) Juice Blend (Water, Aloe Vera Juice, Concentrated Aloe Vera Juice) (99.25%), Botanical Blend (Peppermint, Papaya, Chamomile, Fennel, Bromelain) (0.3%), Antioxidant (Ascorbic Acid) (0.25%), Preservative (Potassium Sorbate) (0.2%).

Label Claims	
Active Ingredient	Target Value per 25 ml
Aloe vera juice	24.7 ml
Botanical blend	75 mg

Chemical			
Test	Target Value	<b>Test Frequency</b>	
pН	3 - 4.5	Every batch	
Lead	$\leq$ 3.0 mg/kg	Annual	
Cadmium	≤ 1.0 mg/kg	Annual	
Mercury	≤ 0.1 mg/kg	Annual	

Microbiological			
Test	Target Value	Limit	<b>Test Frequency</b>
Aerobic Plate Count	≤ 20	100 cfu/g	Every batch
Coagulase Positive	≤ 20 cfu/g	≤ 20 cfu/g	Every batch
Staphylococcus			
Escherichia Coli	≤ 20 cfu/g	$\leq 20 \text{ cfu/g}$	Every batch
Yeast	≤ 20 cfu/g	$\leq 20 \text{ cfu/g}$	Every batch
Moulds	≤ 20 cfu/g	$\leq$ 50 cfu/g	Every batch
Presumptive	≤ 20 cfu/g	≤ 20 cfu/g	Every batch
Enterobacteriaceae			
Presumptive Lactic Acid	$\leq 20 \text{ cfu/g}$	$\leq$ 20 cfu/g	Every batch
Bacteria			
Salmonella	ND in 25 g	ND in 25 g	Every batch

Organoleptic		
Test	Target	Test Frequency
Colour	Straw – beige	Every batch
Appearance	Cloudy liquid with evidence of particulate	Every batch
Odour	Characteristic of Aloe vera with herbal notes	Every batch
Flavour	Bitter, acidic and characteristic of Aloe and peppermint	Every batch



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Gross weight	
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547.32 g	Every batch

Allergen Statement		
Contains	Yes/No	
Celery	No	
Cereals containing gluten	No	
Crustaceans	No	
Eggs	No	
Fish	No	
Lupin	No	
Milk or milk products	No	
Molluscs	No	
Mustard	No	
Tree nuts	No	
Peanuts	No	
Sesame beans	No	
Soya beans	No	
Sulphur dioxide and sulphites (concentration of	No	
> 10 ppm)		

General Information	
Free from irradiated material	Yes
Free from genetically modified material	Yes
Suitable for vegetarians	Yes
Suitable for vegans	Yes
Formulation complies with all applicable UK	Yes
and EU legislation	

# **Storage Conditions and Shelf Life**

Shelf life: 24 months from date of manufacture when stored at a temperature of 5°C - 25°C, and away from moisture and direct sunlight.

### Note

Ingredients of natural origin vary in both physical and organoleptic properties, consequently the taste and appearance of products containing these may vary from batch to batch. Content and design of finished product label is the responsibility of the brand-holder.

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