



## RESPONSE TO REQUESTS FOR MEDICAL INFORMATION RELATIVE TO FOOD PRODUCTS

With increasing frequency over the past few years, we at Maschio's Food Services, Inc. ("Maschio's") have received various requests from parents and other interested parties relative to both the ingredients of the food products we prepare and serve, and the medical significance of those food ingredients. Most of these requests for such information have come from interested parents/guardians who are concerned about their child's medical condition and the role that diet and nutrition plays.

We are pleased to assist inquiring parties to the maximum extent that we can, such as providing copies of our menus for the meals we prepare and serve. Please note, however, there are limitations on the responses that we can furnish. Below are several of Maschio's guidelines that may be helpful.

- Maschio's does not independently perform ingredient testing for the products we prepare and serve, nor are we required to by the terms of the agreement between Maschio's and your child's school district.
- Maschio's is happy to provide literature furnished by food manufacturers and/or suppliers we
  work with. To note, this literature is not independently verified and may or may not be
  accurate. Please note that we are unable to affirm the accuracy of that information or even
  suggest or recommend that it be relied upon by parents/guardians, school nurses, and/or
  school district representatives.
- Maschio's representatives are unable to provide medical or nutritional advice regarding the
  food products we prepare and serve. Accordingly, we are unable to provide any opinions or
  conclusions regarding the impact any such food product may have on any existing medical
  condition. Medical opinions or conclusions must be secured from the child's physician or other
  healthcare professional. These services are beyond the scope of the service which we provide
  to your school district.

We at Maschio's Food Services, Inc., remain committed to providing safe and nutritious meals for your child(ren) and we look forward to continuing to serve as a partner to keep your children safe.



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## **Product Specification**

Description: Gluten Free Bagels, Plain

Brand: Little Northern Bakehouse

Country of Origin: Product of Canada

Claims: ✓ Gluten Free (Canada: GFCP / USA: GFCO)

√ Kosher (Kosher Check)

✓ Non-GMO (Non-GMO Project verified)

✓ Vegan (Vegan Action certified)

✓ Non-Glyphosate (Biochecked)

**Microbiological Requirements:** 

Total Aerobic Plate Count Less than 50,000

per g

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**Physical Requirements:** 

Net Weight Meets or exceeds label declarations.

400g / 4 pack

Piece Weight (per bun) 100 +/- 2 grams Piece Count Target:4 /pack

Dimensions (per bun) Height: 1.18 +/- 0.06 ins (30.45 +/-1.67 mm)

Width: 4.0 +/- 0.2 ins (104 +/- 5.0 mm)

**Sensory Requirements:** 

Appearance: Baked round bagel with slightly golden

brown exterior and off-white crumb

Aroma: Baked good, neutral aroma

Taste: Slightly sweet, slightly yeasty, no off-

flavours, hint of cereal

Texture: Slightly firm and dense bite, no graininess Ingredients: Water, Gluten free flour blend (modified

tapioca starch, brown rice flour, potato starch, corn starch), Sugars (cane sugar), Sunflower oil, Psyllium husk, Baking powder, Pea fibre, Salt, Modified cellulose, Rice bran, Cultured cane sugar, Yeast,

Cellulose gum.

Allergen Statement: No known allergens.

**Packaging:** Pre-printed plastic poly bag with printed label and closed with a Kwik Lok.

**Storage & Transport:** The product shall be transported and stored frozen at a temperature less than

or equal to -18°C / 0°F, (before it is thawed and served into store).

**Shelf Life:** 9 days after being thawed for consumer, 365 days frozen storage. **Lot Code:** 8-digit code; time xxxx (24 hr. format), Julian date xxx, year x

e.g. 21152706 (9:15 pm; Sept 26, 2016)

Silver Hills Bakery guarantees the finished product meets the requirements of this specification and all applicable federal, state and municipal food and health regulation requirements in Canada and USA.

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## **Product Specification**

Calories 260	% Daily Value % valeur quotidienne
Fat / Lipides 6 g	8 %
Saturated / saturés 0.5 g + Trans / trans 0 g Polyunsaturated / polyinsaturés 1.5 g	
Monounsaturated / monoinsaturés 3	9
Carbohydrate / Glucides 53 g	40.0/
Fibre / Fibres 5 g Sugars / Sucres 6 g	18 % 6 %
Protein / Protéines 2 g	
Cholesterol / Cholestérol 0 mg	
Sodium 450 mg	20 %
Potassium 75 mg	2 %
Calcium 100 mg	8 %
Iron / Fer 0.75 mg	4 %
Vitamin D / Vitamine D 0 µg	0 %

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