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# **FINAL PRODUCT SPECIFICATION**

Product Code:	CP393CH
Product Name:	Catnip Herb
Version No:	02

### **General Information**

Product Description	Whole or cut aerial parts of Catnip, collected prior to or in flowering period.
Botanical Name	Nepeta Cataria
Country of Origin	USA
Macroscopy	Greenish – brown herb with abundant quadrangular, violet fragments of the stem showing a central pith; the leaves have coarsely serrate margins and are tomentosa pubescent on both surfaces; the finely hairy, light green calyx shows a distinct venation and 5 acute teeth, the 3 three teeth in the front being surmounted by the 2 back ones; yellowish corolla with violet-blue anthers.
Microscopy	The powder is light green to greyish green; the epidermis composed of cells with wavy walls and paracytic stomata; long articulated trichomes having a warty cuticle and collapsed cells; secretory trichomes with a bicellular head; secretory trichomes of lamiaceous type.
Foreign Matter	≤2.0%

### **Chemical Standards**

Test	Units	Specification
Moisture	%	≤12.0
Ash Total	%	≤13.0

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### **Packaging Information**

Item	Material/Description	
Tertiary Packaging	4-way entry pallet, 1200mm x 1000mm	
Label Information	Product Name, Batch Number, Net Weight & Best	
	Before End Date	

### **Storage and Shelf Life Information**

Recommended Storage Conditions	Keep in dry, cool conditions away from direct heat and sunlight
Shelf Life from Manufacture	36 months

### **Suitability Information**

	Suitable (Y/N):	Certified (Y/N):
Vegetarians (In particular, that gelatine is not used in	Yes	No
processing)		
Ovo-lacto Vegetarians	Yes	No
Vegans	Yes	No
Coeliacs	Yes	No
Diabetics	Yes	No
Organic	No	No

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### **Allergen Information**

Allergen	Does the product contain? (Y/N)	Present at Production Site (Y/N)	Shared Process Line (Y/N)	Comments
Cereals containing gluten (i.e. Wheat, rye, barley, oats, spelt, kamut or their hybridised strains) and products thereof	No	No	No	
Crustaceans and products thereof	No	No	No	
Eggs and products thereof	No	No	No	
Fish and products thereof	No	No	No	
Peanuts and products thereof	No	No	No	
Soybeans and products thereof	No	No	No	
Milk and products thereof (including lactose)	No	No	No	
Nuts i.e. Almond, Hazelnut, Walnut, Cashew, Pecan, Brazil nut, Pistachio nut, Macadamia/Queensland nut and products thereof	No	No	No	
Celery and products thereof	No	No	No	
Mustard and products thereof	No	No	No	
Sesame seeds and products thereof	No	No	No	
Sulphur dioxide and sulphites (added) at concentrations of more than 10mg/kg or 10mg/litre expressed as SO2	No	No	No	
Lupin and products thereof	No	No	No	
Mollusc and products thereof	No	No	No	

Camstar Herbs Ltd request that all manufactures take all reasonable and practical precautions to prevent cross contamination of any allergens. Details of allergen management controls relating to the manufacture of this product are available upon request.

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#### **Warranty**

This specification has correct and accurate to the best of our knowledge at the time of completion.

We warrant that we will take all reasonable precautions to ensure that all foods, food products or packaging materials intended for food use meet the requirements of Acts, Regulations and Orders applicable in the EU/UK.

This is including but not limited to the following:

The Food Safety Act 1990' and all relevant amendments and regulations.

The Food & Environment Protection Act 1985' and all relevant amendments and regulations.

The Plastic Materials & Articles in Contact with Food Regulations 1992' and all relevant amendments and regulations.

Camstar Herbs Ltd does not knowingly supply, use or handle any genetically modified ingredients or derivatives. Most of the products we handle are not implicated with regard to GMOs, and we take great care in sourcing ingredients to ensure that we maintain our GM free status.

Camstar Herbs Ltd does not knowingly supply, use or handle any irradiated materials.

#### **Specification Agreement**

Camstar Herbs Ltd		
Signed: Jamas	Name: Iuliana Tamas	
Position: Technical Assistant	Date: 22/04/2021	Please sign and return the signed page of this
<b>Customer Agreement</b>		specification within 14 days
		of receipt. If we do not
Signed:	Name:	receive this page within 14
		days we will deem this
		specification has been
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## **History of Amendments**

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