

Product specification
Open star 4 cm



General information	
Group name:	Dark chocolate
Intrastat number:	18069090
Article number:	1013001

Ingredients			
	%	Origin	Source
cocoa mass	42,3	CI,CM,GH,NG,DO,EC,PE	cocoa bean
sugar	41,4	AT,BE,FR,DE,NL,PL,GB,AR,BR,CO,IN,MU,MZ,RE,ZM	Beet/cane
cocoa butter	15,7	CI,CM,GH,NG,DO,EC,PE	cocoa bean
flavour - natural vanilla flavour	< 1	MG,PG	vanilla beans
emulsifier - E322 (sunflower)	< 1	AR,FR,DE,UA	sunflower

Allergens		
gluten	-	(definitions following EC directives 1169/2011/EC)
crustaceans	-	+: contains as ingredient
eggs	-	-: free from
fish	-	?: may contain traces or unknown
peanuts	-	
soya	?	
milk	?	
nuts	-	
celery	-	
mustard	-	
sesame	-	
sulphur dioxide and sulphites >10mg/kg	-	
lupin	-	
molluscs	-	

Nutritional value	(per 100g)
energy	571,0 kcal
energy	2379,0 kJ
fat	38,9 g
saturates fat	23,3 g
carbohydrates	46,1 g
sugars	41,6 g
protein	5,4 g
salt	0,01 g

Physical parameters	
AW-value	<0.55
Moisture	Max. 1 %

Chemical parameters		
Parameters	Value	Bias
total dry cocoa solids	57,7 %	Min.
dry non-fat cocoa solids	19,3 %	Min
cocoa butter	38,4 %	Min.
dry milk solids	0,0 %	+/- 1
dry non-fat milk solids	0,0 %	
milk fat	0,0 %	+/- 0,5

Microbiological parameters		
	Max. value	Method
E.Coli	<10 CFU/g	3M 01/08 - 06/01
Listeria	0 CFU/25 g	AFNOR BRD 07/4 - 08/98
Salmonella	0 CFU/25 g	AFNOR BRD 07/11-12/05
TPC	<5 000 CFU/g	AFNOR 3M 01/1-09/89
Y&M	<100 CFU/g	AFNOR 3M 01/13-07/14

Organoleptic parameters	
Taste	Bitter - typical dark chocolate taste
Arôme	Sweet - typical dark chocolate scent
Structure	Crispy - melts in the mouth

Physical control	
Metal detection	Fe:1,5mm;non-Fe:1,75mm;SS: 2,0mm

Shelflife and storage	
Shelflife	36 Month
Storage	15-20°C no fluctuations, dry(<65% RH), free from sunlight and foreign odours

Packaging	
Unit/Box	220
Box/pallet	256
Net weight (+/-)	0,218 KG
Gross weight (+/-)	0,530 KG

Packaging	Material	Direct contact	Weight	Dimensions
label		no	0,000 KG	80,0x 50,0x 0,0 cm
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box		no	0,089 KG	280,0x190,0x 75,0 mm
Mousse		yes	0,002 KG	275,0x185,0x 2,0 mm
Paper		no	0,013 KG	275,0x185,0x 5,0 mm
Blister		yes	0,013 KG	275,0x175,0x 0,2 mm

Additional information	
Halal	Not certified
Kosher	Suitable possible on demand
RFA	Possible on demand
RSPO	Not certified
Fairtrade	Possible on demand
Bio	Not certified
Vegan	Suitable
Vegetarian	Suitable

Certificates	
• BRC certificate	We, Leman Decorations Belgium and Leman Decorations Thailand, hereby declare that we are BRC certified.
• Self checking certificate FASFC (FAVV-AFSCA)	We, Leman Decorations Belgium, hereby declare that we are certified for GO22 and GO39.
• GMP, HACCP	We, Leman Decorations Thailand, hereby declare that we are GMP and HACCP certified.
• HACCP	We, Leman Decorations Mauritius, hereby declare that we are HACCP certified.

Statements	
#• GMO-statement	As far as we know and based on statements from our suppliers, we, Leman Decorations, herewith declare that this product does not contain any GMO ingredients or additives, according to the EC Directive 1829/2003 & 1830/2003. Therefore the product must not be labeled as being of GMO origin.
• Ionizing radiation statement	As far as we know and based on statements from our suppliers, we, Leman Decorations, herewith declare that this product and its ingredients are not submitted to ionizing radiation energy.
• Contamination statement	As far as we know and based on statements from our suppliers, we, Leman Decorations, herewith declare that this product is in accordance with the European legislation concerning pesticides (396/2005), concerning heavy metals (2023/915) and concerning dioxins and PCB (1259/2011).
• Nano-materials statement	As far as we know and based on statements from our suppliers, we, Leman Decorations, herewith declare that this product does not contain intentionally produced nano-materials or is not produced with nano-technology. The products are in compliance with regulation 1169/2011.
• Packaging statement	As far as we know and based on statements from our suppliers, we, Leman Decorations, hereby declare that the packaging of this product is in accordance with the European legislation 1935/2004 and 10/2011.
• Food additives statement	As far as we know and based on statements from our suppliers, we, Leman Decorations, hereby declare that the food additives used in this product are in compliance with the European legislation 1333/2008.
• Natural vanilla flavour statement	As far as we know and based on statements from our suppliers, we, Leman Decorations, hereby declare that the natural vanilla flavour, if used in this product, is in compliance with the European legislation 1334/2008.
• Bisphenol statement	As far as we know and based on statements from our suppliers, we, Leman Decorations, hereby declare that the packaging does not contain bisphenol A.
• Soy lecithin statement	As far as we know and based on statements from our suppliers, we, Leman Decorations, hereby declare that the soy lecithin, if used in this product, is IP.

Issued by: Thomas Ketels
Function: Quality manager
Date: 28/05/25

