

# Product Specification

## Organic Black Peppercorns

Item Number: 300101



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| Ingredients:       | organic black pepper                                             |
| Botanical Name:    | <i>Piper nigrum</i>                                              |
| Country of Origin: | Sri Lanka, Vietnam                                               |
| Treatment:         | Spiral/Steam                                                     |
| Appearance:        | Brownish-black whole peppercorns                                 |
| Flavor Profile:    | Distinctly spicy, slightly hot, with notes of pine and sweetness |
| Storage:           | Cool and dry, away from direct light                             |
| Shelf Life:        | 12-24 months under optimal conditions                            |

Product Certifications:



| Microbiological & Chemical Properties | Parameters            | Method                     |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Coliform:                             | <10 CFU/g or <3 MPN/g | FDA BAM or AOAC Equivalent |
| E. Coli:                              | <10 CFU/g or <3 MPN/g | FDA BAM or AOAC Equivalent |
| Salmonella:                           | Negative              | FDA BAM or AOAC Equivalent |
| Moisture:                             | 15% Maximum           |                            |

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