

## **Product Specifications**



AroniaCraft® 7% Std. Aroniaberry Powder 7% (Aronia melanocarpa)

## Product Code: B0190028

**Product Description:** Pure aroniaberry (*Aronia melanocarpa*) extract; processed without organic solvent via physical membrane separation and spray-dried with maltodextrin as an excipient; standardized to a minimum anthocyanin content of 7%

| Product Properties                                     |   |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|
| Color  | Dark red  |  |  |
| Appearance   | Powder, uniform particles, hygroscopic                          |  |  |
| Taste  | Characteristic of aroniaberry                                   |  |  |
| Odor   | Characteristic of aroniaberry                                   |  |  |
| Mesh size  | $> 98\%$ through 60 mesh ( $< 250 \mu m$ )                      |  |  |
| Excipient  | Maltodextrin (not genetically engineered, corn-based)           |  |  |
| Solubility   | Soluble in water and water/alcohol mixtures                     |  |  |
| Identity   | HPLC anthocyanin profile unique to aroniaberry                  |  |  |
| Plant part used  | Berries (fruit)   |  |  |
| Analytical Values                                      | Spec.   |  |  |
| Anthocyanins (Expr. as cyanidin-3-glucoside; pH-Diff.) | 7.00 - 8.80 g/100 g   |  |  |
| Polyphenols (Expr. as catechin; Folin-Ciocalteu)       | 9.00 – 19.00 g/100 g  |  |  |
| Moisture (Loss on drying; 105° C; 30 sec.)             | 2.0-8.0 %   |  |  |
| Total acidity (Expr. as citric acid; anhydr.; pH 8.1)  | 3.50 – 7.50 g/100 g   |  |  |
| Heavy Metals and Pesticides                            | Spec.   |  |  |
| Lead ( <i>ICP-MS</i> )                                 | < 0.6 ppm   |  |  |
| Arsenic (ICP-MS)                                       | < 0.5 ppm   |  |  |
| Cadmium (ICP-MS)                                       | < 1.0 ppm   |  |  |
| Mercury ( <i>ICP-MS</i> )                              | < 0.1 ppm   |  |  |
| Pesticides   | The processed fruit conforms to the pesticide standards defined |  |  |
|  | in the FDA and EPA regulations.                                 |  |  |
| Missohiological Values                                 | Stree   |  |  |
| Microbiological Values                                 | Spec.   |  |  |
| Yeast (Sabouraud Agar, 28°C, 5 d)                      | < 20 CFU/g  |  |  |
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| Total plate count (ISO 4833)       | < 3,000 | CFU/g |
| E. coli (COLI ID Agar, 37°C, 24 h) | 0       | CFU/g |
| Salmonella spp. (ISO 6579)         | Absent  | /25 g |

Country of Origin: Italy (manufacturing), Europe (raw materials)

Packaging: Packed in an aluminum bag in a plastic pail or corrugated box, 7 kg net

**Storage:** The product must be stored in a dark, cool, and dry area. Keep the package well-sealed since the product is hygroscopic. Color may change at the end of shelf life.

Best Used By: 36 months after production date under proper storage conditions

Quality Control

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