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Undesired Substances

MEGGLE USA Products:

- Lactose Monohydrate: GranuLac® 70 US, GranuLac® 140 US, GranuLac® 200 US
- Anhydrous Lactose: DuraLac® H

The substances mentioned in the list on page 2 are neither used as ingredients and technical aids nor are contained in ingredients or technical aids as intentionally added substances in MEGGLE USA Products.

Manufacturing of the MEGGLE USA Products includes refining whereby processing aids (activated carbon and inorganic filter auxiliaries) are added to a hot solution of the unrefined lactose. With cooling, the desired crystals grow and the regular structure of the crystal tends to favour the desired material and exclude other kinds of particles and impurities. Thus, refining is a purification process leading to a higher purity.

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List of Undesired Substances¹

Active pharmaceutical ingredients Polyalcohols¹³ Fatty acids

Polychlorinated Phenoxyphenols Alkyl phenols Flavour enhancers⁶ Amines Flavouring substances⁷ Polysaccharides¹⁴ Aminopolycarboxylic acids (EDTA etc) Flavourings, perfumes Polysorbates

Animal-derived materials² Preservatives¹⁵ Fruits and vegetables, all types8 Antioxidants3 Fumaric acid and its esters Protein, hydrolysed protein, all types

Asbestos Fungi Purine alkaloids Azo dyes Gelatin Pyrrolizidine alkaloids

Azoles4 Hazardous Substances9 Salicylic acid Benzoin Herbs, spices, all types Silanes Benzophenone Human origin material Silicones

Benzyl alcohol Hydrazines Substances prohibited etc. in food16

Bergamot oil lodine Sulfonic acids Biocides⁵ Lanolin Sulfuric acid Biogenic amines Lectines Sulfurous acid **Bisphenols** Sulphur Lysozyme

Boron, boric acid, borates Mica Ester SVHC-substances¹⁷

Coatings Monosaccharides Sweeteners Cocamides **Nitrates** Talc

Colophony Thiocyanates **Nitrites** Colours Oils and fats, vegetable and animal Thiuram disulphides

Oilseeds 10 Coniferyl Alcohol Titanium dioxide

Cyclodextrins Oligo- and polypeptides Tributyltin Organic poly- and their monomers¹¹ Dehydroacetic acid Triglycerides

Diacetyl Peroxides Volatile Organic Compounds Persistant Organic Pollutants 12 Yeast

Disaccharides other than lactose Emulsifiers (Lecithin etc) Peru balsam

Ethanol Phthalates (DEHP etc)

¹ The list includes derived products, e.g. salts, esters etc. as far as applicable The list does not apply to substances under the MEGGLE Monitoring Program. ² Material other than MEGGLE Products themselves derived from any species incl. *Sus* ssp. (pork), *Bos* ssp. (bovine), *Gallus* ssp. (chicken)

All types, e.g. BHA, BHT

Pyrrole, imidazole, pyrazole, triazoles, tetrazole, pentazole, oxazole, isoxozole, oxadiazoles, thiazole, isothiazole, thiadiazoles and the successively reduced analogues (azolines and azolidines).
⁵ All types, e.g. formaldehyde and its donor substances, tributyltin etc

⁶ All types, e.g. glutamate salts
⁷ For EU: incl. substances mentioned in Regulation (EC) No 1334/2008, Annex I (e.g. Vanillin) and Regulation (EC) No 1223/2009, Annex III Ref. numbers 67 – 92.

⁸ incl. carrot, cinnamon, cocoa, coriander, legumes, maize, *umbellifereae*⁹ Hazardous Substances of any type (e.g. CMR substances) as defined according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (European GHS law)
¹⁰ e.g. poppy seed, sunflower seed, linseed.

incl. PE, PP, PVC, PS, PET and their monomers ethene, propene, vinyl chloride, styrene, terephthalic acid, ethylene glycol As mentioned in Regulation (EU) 2019/1021

^{**}As mentioned in Regulation (EU) 2019/1021

All types, e.g. diethylene glycol, ethylene glycol, propylene glycol, glycerol, sorbitol, mannitol

All types e.g. glycogen, chitin, dextran, chitosan, pectin, inulin, xanthan, arabinogalactan, galactomannan, alginate, carrageenan, guar gum, carubin

¹⁵ All types, e.g. benzoic acid, sorbic acid, their salts, parabens, cresols, quaternary ammonium compounds, thiomersal etc.
16 Substances whose use in foods is prohibited, restricted or under community scrutiny (Regulation (EC) 1925/2006, Annex III in the current version)

¹⁷ For EU: current ECHA Candidate L ist of Substances of Very High Concern