

IDENTITY

Inactive dried bacterial cells of astaxanthin-rich *Paracoccus carotinifaciens* (*paracoccus* pigment).

Main components : Natural lipids and proteins produced by *Paracoccus* cells.

Primary pigment : Natural astaxanthin

Secondary pigment : Natural adonirubin, natural canthaxanthin

APPEARANCE

Dark-red granular solid

APPROVAL

EU, Norway, USA, Canada, Chile

TYPICAL ANALYSIS

Carotenoids

Astaxanthin	•	21 g/kg
Adonirubin	•	8 g/kg
Canthaxanthin	•	2 g/kg

Major Components

Moisture	•	3.5 %w/w
Crude Protein	•	52.5 %w/w
Crude Fat	•	1.9 %w/w
Crude Fibre	•	<0.1 %w/w
Crude Ash	•	3.9 %w/w
Nitrogen-free extract	•	38.2 %w/w

STORAGE CONDITIONS

Store unopened bags in a cool and dry place (<25°C). Once the bag is open, it can be stored up to one month if all air is removed from the bag prior to sealing and it is then stored at <25°C.

PACKING

20kg (10kg x2 units), 500kg

Two year shelf life (exceptions may apply to local regulations)