

## **TECHNICAL FACT SHEET**

| PRODUCT CATEGORY                  | RAW DRY PRODUCT   |
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| PRODUCT NAME                      | SESAME SEEDS  |
| TRADE NAME                        | SESAME SEEDS, UNHULLED  |
| PRODUCTION                        | <ul> <li>Grown by groups of smallholder farmers, emphasis on women</li> <li>Drying on well-appointed drying areas in the open air</li> <li>Storage in certified organic stores in accordance with package lists established to ensure traceability of the product</li> <li>Packaging in 50kg bags, according to the customer's request, on pallets</li> </ul> |
| VARIETY                           | S42 WHITE   |
|                                   | S42 BIGARRE (mixed, higher oil content)   |
| QUALITY PARAMETERS                | <ul> <li>Purity: 98% standard and 99,95% upon request</li> <li>Oil content: 48-51%</li> <li>Humidity: 7% max</li> <li>Mix (Sesame pure without mixture): -3%</li> <li>Pesticide residue: 0%</li> <li>Salmonella: 0%</li> </ul>  |
| PROPERTIES                        | Excellent sources of fibre, also contain healthy fats, many important vitamins, minerals and antioxidants. When consumed as part of a healthy diet, <b>seeds</b> can help reduce blood sugar, cholesterol and blood pressure.   |
|                                   | Sesame is one of the foods richest in antioxidants. These antioxidants have the ability to protect the body's cells from the harmful effect of free radicals. They are involved in the development of age-related diseases, certain cancers and cardiovascular diseases.  |
| Use                               | Sesame is considered a particularly healthy food, they perfume countless culinary preparations  |
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