

DATA SHEET

Poppy seed - Maanzaad

Part Number: 61234 - BEK009

INCI name:	Papaver Somniferum Seed
Synonyms:	Opium Poppy. Mawseed
Country of Origin:	Australia/ Spain/ China/ Czech Republic/ Holland/ UK/ France
CAS Number:	84650-40-8
EC Number:	283-510-8
Status:	100% Pure & Natural



General Description

Papaver somniferum is an annual herb growing to 100 cm. All parts of the plant are strongly glaucous, giving a greyish-green appearance, and the stem and leaves are sparsely covered with coarse hairs. The leaves are lobed and clasp the stem at the base. The flowers are up to 120mm diameter, normally with four white, mauve or red petals, sometimes with dark markings at the base. The fruit is a hairless, rounded capsule topped with 12–18 radiating stigmatic rays. The small and numerous kidney-shaped seeds are attached to lateral projections from the inner walls of the capsule and vary in colour from whitish to slate.

Extraction

Papaver Somniferum Seed is the seed of the Opium Poppy, Papaver somniferum L., Papaveraceae, although the poppy seeds have no narcotic properties.

Common Uses/Applications

- Decorative/ exfoliating component in cosmetic products.
- Herbal remedies.
- Food applications.

Aromatherapy Actions/Uses

- Considered to have the following properties: Natural exfoliant, anti-inflammatory.
- Regarded to be helpful for: Treating vomiting, diarrhoea and nausea. When made into a paste reduces dark circles and swollen eyelids

Animal Non-Testing Declaration

SoapQueen has never been involved in animal testing or retesting for any of its products, nor has it sanctioned any third party to conduct such testing.

Transmissible/ Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy (T.S.E/B.S.E)

This product does not contain, and is not derived from, specified risk material as defined in Commission Decision 97/534/EC or mechanically recovered meat obtained from the vertebral column of bovine, ovine or caprine animals. During production, storage and transport there is no contact with any extracts of animal (cattle, sheep, goat etc) origin and a cross contamination is excluded. Product is therefore free from Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy (BSE) and Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathy (TSE).

Statement on Genetically Modified Organisms

We confirm to the best of our knowledge that this product does not contain nor has been produced with the aid of any genetically modified organism. In consequence, this product will not contain any detectable residues of protein or DNA resultant from genetic modification.

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