Product Data Sheet - Animal Feeds



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Product Specifications	
Feed Stuff	Sunflower Expellers
Trading Name	Sunflower Expellers (can be Hi Pro or Lo Pro)
Image- Typical Image of Sunflower Expellers **	



	**(product may vary in appearance depending on suppliers)	
Product Description	Product of the manufacture of sugar consisting of water-extracted and dried slices of sugar beet.	
	Sugar Beet pulp is a by-product of the sugar industry. The sugar is removed from the beet pulp	
	leaving the cellular residue. This is then dried and pelletised.	
Specification*	Protein: ~34%	
	Oil: ~12%	
	Fibre: ~16%	
	Moisture: ~5-10% (*Values are not contractual)	
General Use	Due to its high protein content, sunflower expeller made from hulled seeds is a valuable feedstuff	
	for all kinds of animals. The crude protein content is increased by hulling the seeds.	
Packaging &	Bulk	
Transport		
Labelling	According to EU legislation 767/2009	
Storage	Dry cool and dark storage. Product can oxidise in storage. Favourable travel temperature: 5 -	
	25°C. Continuous temperature measurements should be taken during loading of the cargo.	
Legal Demands	The product complies with all applicable legislation. Most important elements are:	
	Animal Feed Legislation	
	Directive 2002/32/EG on undesirable substances in animal feed.	
	Regulation 396/2005 on maximum residue levels of pesticides in or on food or feed	
	Regulation (EC) No. 183/2005 concerning animal feed hygiene	
	Commission Recommendation- EC 2006/576/EC	
	Where applicable The Animal Feed (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations Statutory	
	Instruments (Scotland, England, Wales and Northern Ireland)	
	Where applicable The Feed (Sampling and Analysis and Specified Undesirable substances)	
	Regulations 2010. (SI for Scotland 354, Northern Ireland 323, Wales 2287 & England 2280)	
Undesirable	The maximum determined contents for undesirable substances in feedstuff, such as established	
substances	in:	
	Directive 2002/32/EG on undesirable substances in animal feed;	
	GMP+FSA; Appendix 1 (Product standards, including residue standards) GMP+FSA; Appendix 1 (Product standards, including residue standards)	
	Regulation 396/2005 on maximum residue levels of pesticides in or on food or feed.	
Specific analysis and standard tolerances		
Salmonella	Absent in 25g	
Appearance	Grey / Black meal pellets	
Country of origin	EU, Ukraine and Russia Health Information	
Inhalation	Classified as a dust nuisance only. Inhalation may aggravate those with pre-existing conditions.	
Ingestion	Non-hazardous food product. May cause an allergic response with sensitive individuals.	
Eye Contact	Can cause discomfort.	
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Skin Contact	In certain individuals subject to Malady, dermatitis may occur and hence protective gloves would		
	be advisable. The material is classified as non-toxic but as dust nuisance only. It is not a corrosive.		
Toxicological	Not available.		
Information			
Occupational	None available.		
exposure limits			
Emergency first aid procedures			
Ingestion	Non-toxic – dust masks should be worn.		
Eye Contact	In the event of eye contact irrigate with water for at least 15 minutes. Exposure may result in		
	mild irritation. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.		
Skin Contact	Wash contact areas with soap and water. Get medical attention promptly if symptoms occur.		
Inhalation	Remove person to fresh air. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.		
Physical properties			
Physical state	Solid		
Appearance	Brown pelletised product, mollased is darker than unmollased.		
Odour	Sugar Beet pellets have a pleasant, sweet odour and should not be stowed together with odour		
	sensitive products.		
	Fire & Explosion hazard		
Flammability	Sunflower Expeller pellets are self-heating and can spontaneously combust. Ventilation, storage		
	at low temperatures and continual temperature monitoring are important to prevent fires. BZ-2		
	Catches fire briefly and extinguishes rapidly.		
Flash Point	>60°C		
Extinguishing media	Foam, powder or carbon dioxide.		
Explosion class	Not known.		
Special firefighting procedures & precautions			

Sunflower expellers have poor thermal conductivity, so temperature measurements can be difficult to detect seats of risk. Sunflower expellers can also burn within the heat without producing appreciable quantities of smoke, fire cavities are common in such situations.

Suitable extinguishing agents are dry agent, carbon dioxide and foam. Fire fighters should use self-contained breathing apparatus to avoid exposure to smoke and fumes.

Toxic gases such as hydrocarbons and carbon oxides may evolve when heated.

Water Must not be used as increases the potential for heating and self-combustion

Reactivity		
Stability	Stable	
Hazardous	Not known.	
Polymerization		
Materials to Avoid	Strong oxidizing agents, moisture and heat sources.	
Hazardous	Combustion produces CO ² , CO & thick smoke.	
decomposition		
products		
Personal protection / Exposure control		
Respiratory	Always ensure the work area has adequate ventilation. In case of dust formation, wear	
Protection	appropriate respiratory protective equipment determined and fitted by an expert. dust masks	
	should be worn.	
Skin protection	Gloves and overalls should be worn when handling.	
Eye Protection	Always wear approved safety glasses when working. Full face protective shields can be worn to	
	avoid contact with face. Wash stations should be provided.	
Footwear	Appropriate footwear as specified by workplace requirements.	
	Environmental Protection	
Environmental	Avoid discharge into sewage systems, water courses or onto the ground. Avoid excessive dust	
precautions	emissions.	
Spill or leak	Clean up spilled material using broom or other measures.	
precautions		
Waste disposal	Dispose spilled or contaminated material to landfill. Do not release into drains or other	
	measures.	
	This is for information purposes only and is not contractual	

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