



October 18, 2017

**Re: Allergens in Genesis Alkali Sodium Bicarbonate Products**

Dear Valued Customer:

The raw materials used to produce Genesis sodium bicarbonate do not contain, nor do we purposely add in processing, any allergen (e.g., no milk or milk products, peanut products, tree nuts, grains, fish or seafood, shellfish, soy, seeds or seed products). Genesis does not add, nor do the raw materials or process contain, any sensitizing agents (e.g., FD&C yellow No. 5 or No. 6) or fragrances. We do not add sulfites, monosodium glutamate or other preservatives/additives. While we do not test for these substances in our final product, knowledge of our starting materials and process lead us to believe that they would not be present.

Please see the following page for a complete checklist of potential allergens and their presence/absence in our sodium bicarbonate products.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Michael Kemmerer'.

Michael Kemmerer  
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**Allergens & Sensitivities Information for: Sodium Bicarbonate – All Grades**

<b>Allergens</b>	<b>In Product</b>	<b>Other Products on Same Line</b>	<b>In Same Mfg Plant</b>
<b>Peanuts, Peanut Oil, &amp; Peanut Derived Items</b> – peanut meal, flour, butter and ground nuts, Szechwan sauce, mandelona nuts (reformed peanuts), etc.	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Tree Nuts</b> – almonds, beechnuts, brazil nuts, cashews, chestnuts, coconuts, pine nuts, hickory pistachio, macadamia, walnuts, hazelnuts/filberts, pecans, or their derivatives.	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Seeds &amp; Seed Oils</b> – cottonseed, sesame, sunflower, mustard – their pastes, flours, ground seeds, and oils.	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Milk &amp; Dairy Products</b> – whey, lactose, cheese, casein, spice carriers, milk, cream, butter, yogurt powder, milk caseinate, etc.	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Egg &amp; Egg Products</b> – liquid and powders, egg yolks, egg whites, albumen, egg protein isolates, etc.	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Fish</b> – surimi, pollack, cod, whitefish – fish proteins, oils and extracts, etc.	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Crustaceans &amp; Shellfish</b> – shrimp, prawn, lobster, rock lobster, crab, crayfish, snails, clams, mussels, oysters, scallops, derivatives from these sources and bases made from these items.	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Soy Products &amp; Tocopherols</b> – textured soy vegetable protein, tofu, soy sauce and soy lecithin, soy protein isolates, vitamin E, etc.	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Wheat, Triticale</b> – hydrolyzed wheat protein, flour, gluten flour or other gluten containing products (may include some gums, proteins, or flavorings), starches, brans, spelt, durum, kamut, emmer, etc.	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Grain Products</b> – Barley, Corn, Oats, Rye	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Safflower &amp; Sunflower Products</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Hydrolyzed Plant Proteins</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Colors</b> – FD&C Yellow #5, FD&C Yellow #6, FD&C Red #3, FD&C Red #40, etc.	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Sensitivities</b>	<b>In Product</b>	<b>Other Products on Same Line</b>	<b>In Same Mfg Plant</b>
<b>Monosodium Glutamate (MSG)</b> – naturally occurring and added.	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Nitrites or Nitrates</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Saccharin</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Bromated Flour</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Preservatives &amp; Antioxidants</b> - BHT ( Butylated hydroxytoluene or butylhydroxytoluene); BHA (Butylated hydroxyanisole) TBHQ (tertiary butylhydroquinone)	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Sulfites</b> – includes naturally occurring or added: sulfur dioxide, sodium metabisulphites, and natural sources such as shrimp, wine, potatoes, etc.	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Other</b> – Paprika, Cayenne Pepper, Red Pepper, Chili Powder, Curry Powder, Turmeric and blends containing any of these.	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>

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