

Date: October 1, 2023

Re: Allergens

In response to identify known allergens, this letter is to confirm with exceptions below, that our products are free of allergens. We do not manufacture nor have incidental contact by:

- Dyes
- Eggs or egg products
- Fish, shellfish, or products
- Milk or milk products (including lactose)
- Peanuts or peanut products
- Seeds or seed products (including sesame, mustard, and lupin)
- Soybeans or soybean products (including protein)
- Tree nuts or tree nut products
- Wheat, buckwheat, or grain products (including gluten from any grain)
- Fruit, vegetables, or herbs other than sugar cane or sugar beets
- Monosodium glutamate (MSG)
- Yellow 5 (tartrazine)

Powdered sugar contains approximately 3% starch obtained from corn as an anti-caking agent. There is no protein or gluten in cornstarch.

Regarding sulfites: Sugar products may contain trace amounts of sulfites. Sulfites are introduced during the manufacturing process at less than 10 PPM by weight. Sulfites in granulated sugar are measured on a composite basis in production and reported as SO_2 concentration. In the finished, refined product, the values are characteristically 1 to 6 PPM and dissipate in bulk storage.

Regarding the warehousing of products, United Sugar Producers and Refiners (United) products are sealed and stored either a distance away or in a separate location from any allergenic materials in contracted warehouse locations.

Please call or write if you have any questions or concerns. United is committed to continued service to our valued customers.

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