

# **Product Specification**

### **BEST Black Malt eXtra**

BEST Black Malt eXtra is the darkest malt from the BEST roasted malt line. The intensive roasting process produces color and aroma components that impart a black to jet-black color and a note of black coffee or

strong espresso to the beer, depending on the amount used. Despite the use of BEST Black Malt eXtra, the

beer foam will remain light.

Flavor: espresso, coffee

The below mentioned figures are subject to harvest-specific variations. All analysis are performed by independent, certified laboratories according to MEBAK "Brew-Technical Analysis Methods".

Parameter	Minimum	Maximum	Unit
Moisture content		4,5	%
Extract fine grind, dry basis	65.0		%
Wort Color	1,300/490	1,400 / 529	EBC* / L*

\* deviation +/- 10%

Crop: 2021

Raw material:

Barley

Raw material source:

Germany

Ingredients:

Barley, water

Recommended:

Brewery, food industry

For breweries:

Up to 5%

Dark beer, Bock beer, Stout, "Altbier", Dark lagers, porter

For food industry:

As requested

**Shipping units:** 

25-kg/55-lb bag, 40-kg/88-lb bag, BigBag, bulk

Shelf life:

Under dry (< 35 RH %) clean storage conditions, within a temperature  $\,$ 

range of < 20° C (68° F), our products have a minimum shelf life of 24

months.



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#### Note:

All raw materials are being tested for traces of pesticides, mycotoxins, heavy metals and meet the requirements of <u>VO (EG) 165/2010</u> and <u>396/2005</u>.

BESTMALZ products are being tested regularly for <u>N-Nitrosodimethylamine (NDMA)</u>. The nitrosamine content of BESTMALZ products is below allowable thresholds.

All BESTMALZ products are in compliance with  $\underline{VO}$  (EG) Nr. 1829/2003, 1830/2003, 49/2000, 18/2001 and  $\underline{50/2000}$ , they are not radiated and do not contain any genetically modified raw materials, ingredients or additives.

All BESTMALZ products and packing materials are manufactured in strict conformity with <u>DIN EN ISO 9001:2015</u> and <u>HACCP</u> (Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Points) food safety management system.

All BESTMALZ products comply with the German Beer Purity Law (Reinheitsgebot).

All BESTMALZ products are fully traceable according to the guideline EC/178/2002 from barley cultivation up to malt delivery.

#### **Further properties:**

- Parameters:
  - Plant impurities / foreign grain : max. 1 %
  - o Foreign matter (metal / glass): absence
  - o No plant particles: max. 0,1 %
- Mycotoxins:
  - Aflatoxin B1 : max. 2 μg / kg
  - Aflatoxin B1+B2+G1+G2: max. 4 μg / kg
  - Ochratoxin: max. 3 μg/kg
  - o Zearalenone: max. 100 μg / kg
  - Deoxynivalenol (DON): max. 750 μg / kg
- Heavy metals:
  - Lead: max. 0,2 mg / kg
  - o Cadmium: max. 0,1 mg/kg
- The product is ionization and radiation free

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