

# AA Nopal powder (40 mesh)

# VALUE ADDED INGREDIENT CÓDIGO: VEG0011 Versión: : 34215

## **Description:**

Nopal (cactus) belongs to the Opuntia genus, Opuntioideae subfamily and Cactaceae. which consist of more than 300 species. All originated from America continent. The Nopal powderis a product obtained inspection, washed, disinfected, dried, grinding and sifting of nopal, with uniform particle green to yellow green or sand.

## **Organoleptic Specifications:**

*Appearance:* Fine uniform particle.*Odor:* Dehydrated nopal characteristic to.*Flavor:* Characteristic of nopal powder.*Color:* Green to yellowish green cream.

## **Physicochemical Specifications:**

40 mesh: 100% passes through the mesh.
Moisture: Max. 10.0%
Ash: Max. 22%
Lead Pb: Max. 0.5 ppm
Arsenic As: Max. 0.5 ppm
Cadmium Cd: Max. 0.5 ppm
Mercury Hg: Max. 0.1 ppm
Dietary Fiber: Min. 38.0%
Total Carbohydrates: Max. 72%
Fat: Max. 3%
Protein: Min. 4%

## **Microbiological Specifications:**

Total plate count: Max. 5000 CFU / g Molds: Max. 150 CFU / g Yeasts: Max. 10 CFU / g Total Coliforms: Max. 10 CFU / g E.coli: Negative in 25 g Salmonella: Negative in 25 g Staphylococcus: Negative in 25 g

# Storage and transport conditions:

Keep tightly closed in a cool, dry place.

Shelf life: 36 months

#### **Applications:**

Pharmaceutical, Food Supplements, Nutrition for good metabolism of sugars.

#### **Recommended serving:**

100g / day [Basurto Santos, D., Lorenzana Jimez, M., & Magos Guerrero, G.
(2012). Monograph. Nopal utility for glucose control in type 2 diabetes mellitus Mexico,
Federal District, Mexico: Tominaga Nakamoto Medical School. UNAM.]

## Characteristics

Natural.Dispersible.

# **Certifications:**

ISO 22000
 GMP
 Ø Organic
 ☆ Kosher



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