



**Spec Code:**  
**Item Description:**  
**Pesticide Compliance:**  
**Sterilization Type:**

**First-BAS-001**  
**Basil Standard**  
**EU compliant**  
**Steam-sterilized**

## I. Product Profile

**Product name:** Basil Standard  
**Botanical name:** Ocimum basilicum L  
**Pesticide control:** EU compliant  
**Treatment:** Steam-sterilized  
**Product profile:** Dried, crushed leaves of the annul of the mint

## II. Physical Requirements

**Color:** Dark green, moderate amount of brown leaves  
**Aroma:** The flavor shall be characteristic for basil excluding moldy and in particular mustiness  
**Taste:** Taste intensive, characteristic of basil, without foreign flavors  
**Particle size:**  
**On USS# 8:** 5% max  
**On USS# 20:** 40% min  
**Thru. USS# 40:** 5% max  
**Heavy filth:** 1% max

## III. Chemical Requirements

**Volatile oil:** 0.4% min  
**Moisture:** 12% max

## IV. Microbiological Requirements

**Salmonella:** negative/25g  
**E. Coli:** < 3 mpn/g

## V. Macrosanitary Requirements

**Stems:** 2%(W) max  
**Extraneous matter:** 1%(W) max  
**Foreign matter** 0-0.5%(W) max

## VI. Packing Specifications

**Packing type:** Paper Bags

## VII. Other Certification

**Kosher:** Applicable  
**GMO:** This product doesn't contain any genetically modified content  
**Halal:** Applicable

## VIII. Product Storage

**Product shelf-life:** 24 months  
**Requirements:** Dry and away from direct sunlight  
**Recommended Conditions:** 10-30 °C, relative humidity < 70%

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