



Privacy Policy for Visitors of the Food-Ingredients website

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Welcome, and thanks for using FOOD-INGREDIENTS.COM, other related services and apps. FOOD-INGREDIENTS® (referred as FI in this document) provides information on its website www.food-ingredients.com ('The Website') to non-members and offers enhanced, special access to registered members and paid subscribers in good standing, all subject to the following Privacy Policy. When you use our products and services, you are agreeing to our terms, so please take a few minutes to read over the Privacy Policy below.

1. How we use information

FI processes personal data according to the applicable data protection rules. Personal data on Visitors are processed for the purposes of the Website. These personal data may also be used for informing the Visitors about other services and products offered by FI and its associated companies.

2. Safeguarding your information

We take privacy and security seriously and have enabled HTTPS access to our site (turn on HTTPS), in addition to existing SSL access over mobile devices. Also, please know that the Internet is not a secure environment, so be careful and select strong passwords.

3. Link to Third-Party websites

Links on the Website to other websites are to be used at the sole discretion and risk of the Visitor. The Visitor agrees that FI has no responsibility and no liability for such other websites and/or the content, the privacy policies, the use made by others, the functionality and the security and safety of such other websites and FI has no responsibility and no liability for products and/or services offered or advertised for on such other websites.

4. Cookies

4.1 Cookies

Cookies are very small text files that are stored on your computer when you visit some websites. FI uses cookies to help identify your computer so they can tailor your user experience. You can disable any cookies already stored on your computer, but these may stop our website from functioning properly. The following is strictly necessary in the operation of our website.

This Website will remember that you are logged in and that your session is secure on our website. You need to be logged in:

- To see company details of Suppliers
- To be able to send messages on the site to Buyers or Suppliers in a secured environment
- To add items to your favorites list
- To open a link to the Suppliers' website.

The following are not strictly necessary, but are required to provide you with the best user experience and also to tell us which pages you find most interesting (anonymously).

4.2 Functional Cookies

This Website will:

- Offer 24/7 online support
- Track the pages you visits via analytical software (e.g. Google Analytics)

Most sites will use these types of cookies from third parties such as Google Analytics. Google analytics does not track your personal data. However it does track anonymously what pages you have visited and what you find most interesting. This allows a website owner to concentrate on (product) areas that may be more popular.

5. Complaints

If you have any complaint, e.g. about the Website or its content, or the use of the Website by others, please contact us via e-mail or mail.

6. Applicable law and jurisdiction

6.1 The Website is controlled and operated in The Netherlands. The laws of The Netherlands will apply to all relations between FI and the Visitor.

6.2 All disputes between FI and the Visitor will be brought before the competent Courts of The Netherlands in first instance before the Court of Amsterdam.

6.3 However, in the case a dispute between FI and the Visitor is related to a dispute between FI and a third party, the competent court for the related dispute will also be competent for the dispute between FI and the Visitor and FI may choose the law applicable to the related dispute also to be applied on the dispute between and the Visitor.

7. Non applicable statutory provisions

The applicability of articles 6:227b, first section, and article 6:227c, of the Civil Code of The Netherlands (Burgerlijk Wetboek) concerning information to be provided on e-contracting is excluded. Any request for such information can be sent by email to FI.

FI is entitled to transfer the Website and its rights and obligations in relation to the Website and the Visitor, in whole or in part, to any other party. The Visitor agrees to any such transfer in the future by accepting the Privacy Policy.

8. Validity and enforceability

If any provision of this privacy policy is held to be invalid or unenforceable as a whole or in part, the validity of all other provisions or the remainder of the provisions concerned will not be affected.

9. Changes

FI reserves the right to change these Privacy Policy at any time by posting such changes on the Website. Continued use of the Website shall be deemed acceptance of such changes by the Visitor.



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