

Kalama® Sodium Benzoate NF/FCC – Powder
[Material (UVP) #62609824, formerly SBPOWDER]
(Material manufactured in Kalama, WA USA)

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Manufacturing & Origin Statement

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Please note that this statement is only valid for the above-referenced product as it leaves our legal possession. We cannot be responsible for potential modifications/contaminations to the material from downstream handling. Any customers purchasing our material indirectly must obtain documentation from their distribution partner.

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We receive numerous requests regarding the manufacture and origin of our products, as well as the potential presence of biological material in our products (i.e., infectious agents, palm oil/derivatives, animal/plant materials). While we do not manufacture finished consumer products, we are a supplier of bulk raw materials that go into finished consumer products, so we are providing the following information to assist downstream users in the assessment of their products.

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The above-referenced product is manufactured via a synthetic pathway by:

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Animal Substances

This product does not contain intentionally added components of an animal-derived nature. “Animal-derived” covers the use of any animal product, byproduct, or derivative. We understand that the word “animal” refers to the entire Animal Kingdom; that is all vertebrates and all multi-cellular invertebrates.

Plant Substances

This product does not contain intentionally added components of a vegetal nature. We understand that “vegetal” includes palm oil and palm kernel oil, as well as any components derived from palm oil or palm kernel oil.

Genetically Modified Organisms (GMOs)

This product is not expected to contain GMOs. None of our raw materials were manufactured from or processed with or by means of GMOs. None of our products are processed with or treated with or by means of GMOs.

While we do not actively monitor for animal/vegetal materials and GMOs, based on our knowledge of the manufacturing process and our raw materials, none are expected to be present in this product. Additionally, we can offer comments on the following related topic(s):

Bioengineered (BE) foods

None of our raw materials were manufactured from or processed with or by means of BE foods. None of our products are processed with or treated with or by means of BE foods. Furthermore, our products are not finished consumer goods, so regulations such as the National Bioengineered Food Disclosure Standard (NBFDS) [7 CFR 66] are not applicable.

Vegetarian-Vegan

While we do not market with vegetarian or vegan suitability, based on knowledge of our raw materials and manufacturing processes, we expect to meet these requirements.

If you have additional questions, please contact us via your sales representative. If you do not purchase material from us directly, please contact your distributor with any questions.

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