



GENERAL MILLS

General Mills Policy and Guidance Statements

Product Lists

For the protection and safety of our consumers, General Mills elects not to provide lists of products or manufacturing facilities which either contain or do not contain allergens such as peanuts or tree nuts. We believe this is the safest way to operate. Ingredient declarations can change for various reasons and, depending upon usage rates, a package with an updated ingredient declaration may be available in some areas sooner than others, making a list inaccurate and difficult to maintain.

The most accurate label information will always be available on the package and can also be obtained by speaking to your Customer Management Representative, broker, or General Mills Consumer Services at 1-800-767-5404 (e-mail: crc.contacts@genmills.com).

We appreciate your understanding in this important safety matter.

Allergens

General Mills has a long-standing policy and practice to ensure that allergenic ingredients and their sources are declared on all product labels. Specific operational control strategies for raw material control, manufacturing process control, line scheduling, and sanitation are in place to manage the risk of allergen introduction and the potential risk of cross-contact.

In compliance with the law, General Mills declares allergenic food ingredients for the top 8 allergens [Milk, Eggs, Fish, Crustaceans (shellfish), Tree Nuts, Peanuts, Wheat, Soy] as well as Sesame, Sunflower, and Mollusks. Our labels give the common or usual name in the product's ingredient list and/or in the "Contains" statement. Some General Mills products include "May Contain" allergen labeling for ingredients that are not in the product's formula, however may be present in the product due to manufacturing conditions.

The absence of a "Contains" statement indicates a product that either (1) is generally known to be made from a particular allergen ingredient (e.g. yogurt made from milk or flour made from wheat), or (2) does not contain the allergens listed above.

Please be sure to review BOTH the ingredient list and the "Contains" statement, if present, when checking for, and subsequently communicating information regarding, allergens in a product.

Beyond our control is any allergen introduced to our products after leaving our facilities and distribution channels.