





PACKAGING of FENUGREEK



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INTRODUCTION



- Fenugreek seed powder is hygroscopic in nature and has a tendency to absorb moisture resulting in mould attack and insect infestation.
- Fenugreek seed and leaf powder shall be packed in clean, sound, sealed packages, material which does not affect the product
- Value added products can be stored in different types of packaging materials to increase its shelf life.



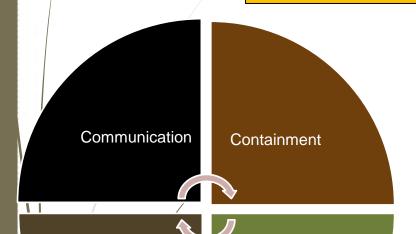












 Ability to protect content from spoilage and Spillage

- Prevent insect infestation and insect damage
- Economical, easily available and easy disposal

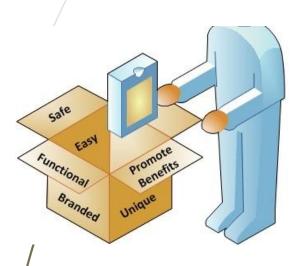
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Protection



FUNCTIONS OF PACKAGING





- Offer Protection against environmental conditions- moisture barrier
- Offer protection against microorganismsoxygen barrier
- Strength properties to withstand mechanical hazard during transportation and storage
- Have a good printability



PACKAGING OF FENUGREEK



- Dried fenugreek leaf or leaf powder
- Dried fenugreek seed or seed powder









DETERIORATIVE FACTORS frsh OF FENUGREEK



High Moisture Content

- Moisture absorption from humid atmospheres promotes results in mould attack and insect infestation.
- This leads to loss in aroma, caking and rancidity



PACKAGING OF DRIED FENUGREEK LEAF



- Generally it is done paper box and Low density polyethlene (LDPE).
- High density polyethlene (HDPE) and Aluminum Laminated Pouch can also be used.
- Glass bottles and plastic bottles are also used for packaging of dried leaves or powder











PACKAGING OF DRIED FENUGREEK SEED



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BULK PACKAGING



- Whole seed of fenugreek is packed and transported in jute gunny bags and double polythene lined bags.
- The plastic based alternate packaging materials are used to overcome the contamination problems associated with jute.
- Eco friendly packaging materials like jute gunny bags, paper bags *etc* can be utilized and use of polythene bags can be minimized
 - Dried fenugreek seeds having moisture content of 10-11% can be stored without any mould growth in jute bags with polythene lining of 0.003 inch or more thick or in laminated bags or similar containers





ADVANTAGES OF BULK PACKAGING



- Bags are flexible, collapsible and durable
- Can be used for packaging of, powder and any free-flowing material.
- Product wastage/spillage and tampering can be avoided.
- Since the handling is mechanized, less labour is required.
- Saving in time for loading and unloading.
- Bags are light in weight and, therefore, freight costs are reduced.
- Creates eco-friendly, pollution free working atmosphere.







INSTITUTIONAL PACKAGES



- Institutional packs of capacities ranging from 2kg to 10 kg are also used.
- Traditional materials used: tinplate containers and jute bags.
- Currently used materials: Laminated flexible pouches and plastic woven sacks.
- BOPP multicolor Printed laminated PP Woven bags.









RETAIL PACKAGING-FENUGREEK

- The fenugreek dried leaf and seeds (in whole or ground) should be packed into polypropylene packaging (bags or flasks) or glass.
- All packaging must be hermetically sealed to avoid loss in the mass or modifications in the moisture content.
- Some care should be taken when removing the air from within the packaging before sealing.
 - The vacuum packaging improves the conservation of the quality of the dried full leaf and powder











CONSUMER PACKAGES



- The options available to the traders/exporters in the selection of a consumer pack for domestic and export market are quite wide.
- The selection/choice of the packaging material/system depends upon a number of factors.
- Shelf-life period(the degree of protection required by the product against moisture pick-up, aroma retention and discoloration.
- Climatic conditions during storage, transportation and distribution.
- Type/sector of market.
- Consumer preferences.
- ₱rintability and aesthetic appeal.



GLASS CONTAINERS



- Bottles/Jars are commonly used for dried products, brine, pickle etc
- Most bottles and jars are tailor-made specifically for one product or one manufacturer.
- Glass packaging materials are strong and corrosion resistant but costly
- Glass jar and steel jar were found to be better containers for storing ground dried fenugreek leaf and seed for longer storage period
- Eliminates the risk of potentially harmful chemicals found in some plastics that can leach into food.







GLASS CLOSURE AND SEALING LUG JARS



Lug Jars

- Also known as Twist Off(T/O) caps, lug caps are compatible with containers whose threads are non-continuous.
- Lugs on the interior of a lug cap, correspond with the noncontinuous threads and close by a partial rotation.









GLASS CLOSURE AND SEALING THREAD JARS



Continuous Tread

- Continuous thread caps can be metal or plastic and have various liner options.
- Categorized by threads which wrap continuously around a given finish, a few products that traditionally use continuous thread caps include peanut butter and mayonnaise.









FLEXIBLE PACKAGING



The printed flexible pouches are generally laminates of various compositions.

- •Polymers are commonly used for packaging due to their transparency, softness, heat sealing capacity, low cost, good mechanical property and they also have good barrier to heat and oxygen
 - 1. Polyester/metallised polyester/ LDPE
 - 2. BOPP/LDPE
 - 3. BOPP/metallised polyester/LDPE.
 - 4. Polyester/AL foil?LDPE





FLEXIBLE PACKAGING



- Polyester and BOPP materials used for lamination is generally 10 or 12 μ thick.
- PVDC, EVOH and EVAL based material have high barrier properties.



TYPES OF POUCHES



- Centre seal formation
- Three sides seal formation
- Four sides seal formation







Centre seal formation

Three sides seal formation Four sides seal formation



KRAFT PACKAGING



- Has good strength, printability and appearance.
- Other advantages are its low cost, wide availability and low weight.



- Currently very popular material in food packagir
- Made by sulphate pulping process.
- Poly amide or polyamine resin is used to coat or laminate to improve barrier properties.



OTHER PACKAGING MATERIAL



PET bottles

- Clear, Shiny and transparent.
- Unbreakable.
- Good barrier properties.
- 100 % recyclable.
 - Low permeability of moisture and air.









OTHER PACKAGING MATERIAL



- Liner carton filling and packing machine also known as duplex box packing machine
- Provides good protection and barrier properties.







PACKAGING MACHINERY





Bag filling machine



Automatic FFS machine



Automatic double head power filling machine



FSSAI LABELLING REQUIREMENTS



- Name, trade name or description
- Name of ingredients used in the product in descending order of their composition by weight or volume
- Name and complete address of manufacturer/packer, importer, country of origin of the imported food (if the food article is manufactured outside India, but packed in India)
- Nytritional Information
- Information Relating to Food Additives, Colors and Flavors
 - Instructions for Use



FSSAI LABELLING REQUIREMENTS



- Veg or Non-Veg Symbol
- Net weight, number or volume of contents
- Distinctive batch, lot or code number
- Month and year of manufacture and packaging
- Month and year by which the product is best consumed
- Maximum retail price



LABELLING OF FENUGREEK



Ingredients

Name and complete address of the manufacturer

Customer care information

Information of the product

FSSAI License number

Best Before

Vegetarian Sign

Net Weight

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Urban Platter Dried Fenugreek Seeds, 1Kg

Ingredient: Methi Seeds.

Packaging Date: Best Before Date: Store in a cool & dry place, away from Sunlight. Keep airtight all the time.

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License Number: 10017022007024

₹/-

inclusive of all taxes.

M. R. P.:









Methi Seed Powder

Trigonella foenum-graecum





 Methi (Fenugreek) seeds have been used since ancient times in management of Joint Health. It may help reduce symptoms related to stress / pain. Being a good source of dietary fiber, it supports management of blood sugar levels in the normal range.

- · May help to detoxify the body.
- Rich in fiber, considered as a mild laxative.
- · May support digestion.
- May support uterine health.
- Considered as a galactagogue, helps support weight management.

Dosage: Take 3 gms powder, 1 to 2 times a day or as advised by the physician.

Caution: Pregnant or lactating women are advised to consume herbal products under the advice of the physician.

These statements have not been evaluated by the Food & Drug Administration.
 This product is not intended to diagnose, treat, cure or prevent any disease.

Store in a cool dry place away from direct sunlight.

Keep out of reach of children. Do not use if pouch is broken.

Mfg. Lic. No.: PD/AYU/002/10

Batch No. :

Packed Dt.:

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