

GMO, GMO Free, Non-GM and Caramel Color

The purpose of this document is to clarify any ambiguity surrounding Genetically Modified Organisms (GMO's) and Caramel Colour manufactured by D.D. Williamson.

With the exception of the sucrose-based Non-GM caramel colors, # 065, # 161, # 168, #520, # 525, # 526, # 528, # 663, # 812, and all Kosher for Passover Caramels, available from D.D. Williamson in the U.S.A., corn syrup is the primary raw material for the majority of U.S.A. caramel colour and results in a **GMO Free** colour. All caramel colours manufactured at D.D. Williamson's operations in Europe, South America, Asia and Africa are **Non-GM** due to the carbohydrate source selected.

The following definitions might be useful:

NON-GM

The item does NOT contain any ingredients derived from Genetically Modified sources [*Soybean, Corn, Cotton, Canola (oilseed rape), Potatoes, Sugar beet, Rice, Cantaloupe, Flax, Radicchio, Squash, Papaya, or Tomato*].

GMO FREE (NON DETECTABLE)

The item contains ingredients derived from Genetically Modified sources [*Soybean, Corn, Cotton, Canola (oilseed rape), Potatoes, Sugar beet, Rice, Cantaloupe, Flax, Radicchio, Squash, Papaya, or Tomato*], but it has been tested with PCR technology and has been shown to be free of GM proteins or DNA.

GMO

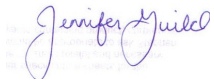
The item contains ingredients derived from Genetically Modified sources [*Soybean, Corn, Cotton, Canola (oilseed rape), Potatoes, Sugar beet, Rice, Cantaloupe, Flax, Radicchio, Squash, Papaya, or Tomato*], and these ingredients are expected to contain some GM protein or DNA.

NON-GM (IP)

The item contains ingredients derived from crops that are potentially Genetically Modified sources [*Soybean, Corn, Cotton, Canola (oilseed rape), Potatoes, Sugar beet, Rice, Cantaloupe, Flax, Radicchio, Squash, Papaya, or Tomato*] but these ingredients have been sourced from an "identity preserved" program and can be certified NON-GM.

D.D. Williamson is dedicated to providing our customers with safe, high quality products. Thank you for your continued interest in our colours. Please feel free to contact me with additional questions or concerns.

Sincerely,



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