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### 1. Product Details

- **Product Name:** Sweet Basil Leaves (Dried Herb)
- **Botanical Name:** *Ocimum basilicum*
- **Family:** Lamiaceae
- **Part Used:** Leaves
- **Origin:** India
- **Description:** Naturally dried, tender green leaves with a strong, sweet aroma and a slightly peppery flavor. Popular in culinary, herbal teas, and traditional remedies.



### 2. Physical Specifications

Parameter	Specification
Appearance	Thin, flat, and slightly curled leaves
Color	Light to dark green
Odor	Strong, sweet, and aromatic
Flavor	Sweet, slightly peppery, and tangy
Purity	≥ 98%
Foreign Matter	≤ 1%
Moisture Content	≤ 8%
Size	2–4 cm long, uniform texture

### 3. Chemical Specifications

Parameter	Specification
Volatile Oil Content	≥ 0.8%
Ash Content	≤ 6%
Acid Insoluble Ash	≤ 1%
Pesticide Residue	As per international standards
Microbial Load	Compliant with food safety standards

### 4. Packing and Shipping Details

- **Packing:**
  - Food-grade polybags, kraft paper bags, or HDPE bags.
  - Common sizes: **10kg, 20kg, 25kg, and 50kg.**
  - Customized vacuum or retail packaging available upon request.
- **Storage:**
  - Store in a cool, dry place, away from direct sunlight, moisture, and strong odors.
- **Shelf Life:**
  - Up to **24 months** under optimal storage conditions.
- **Container Loading Capacity:**
  - **20ft Container:** Up to 6 MT (Metric Tons)
  - **40ft Container:** Up to 12 MT (Metric Tons)

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