

Generally Recognized as Safe (GRAS)

Sodium Benzoate, Food Grade

Sodium Benzoate, Food Grade is listed as a direct food substances affirmed as generally recognized as safe GRAS on 21 CFR part 184 subpart B in accordance with § 184.1(b)(1):

- the ingredient is used as an antimicrobial agent as defined in $\S 170.3(o)(2)$ of this chapter, and as a flavoring agent and adjuvant as defined in $\S 170.3(o)(12)$ of this chapter.
- the ingredient is used in food at levels not to exceed good manufacturing practice. Current usage results in a maximum level of 0.1 percent in food. (The Food and Drug Administration has not determined whether significally different conditions of use would be GRAS.)

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