

GUM ACACIA & FIBER ENRICHMENT

HEALTH PRODUCTS



Acacia fiber is a natural ingredient used in the food dietary for fiber enrichment.

At Alland & Robert, Acacia fibers are carefully sourced, sustainably harvested and processed without any chemical treatment. As a 100% soluble ingredient, acacia fiber is a natural and healthy alternative that will increase the benefits of a wide variety of health products, including beverages, bars and dietary products.

Alland & Robert's range of fibers for the health products industry includes a seyal grade **Acacia Fibre 381** and a senegal grade **Acacia Fibre 396**.

PRODUCTS CHARACTERISTICS

- 100% all natural, all vegetal and GMO free product, with constant traceability
- 100% acacia soluble fiber, no additives added
- Part of the group of Non Starch Polysaccharide
- Fiber content of a Alland & Robert range of fibers: minimum 90% (international method AOAC 985-29)
- Available in instant soluble powder for convenient, easy-to-use dosage.

Labelling: Acacia Gum or gum Arabic (Acacia fiber)

ALLAND & ROBERT SERVICES

- A strong expertise on acacia gum thanks to a dedicated R&D team, research programs and exclusive partnerships with globally recognized universities.
- Production and laboratory that reach the highest quality standards through international certifications.
- A commitment to develop the quality of products through sustainable development, social investment and environmental awareness.
- Solid partnerships with an extensive network of African suppliers to ensure security of supply.

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PRODUCTS BENEFITS

- Resistance to acidity and heat, which makes acacia fiber applicable for the formulation of many food products, including those produced in drastic conditions.
- No side effect, a neutral taste with very low viscosity.
- Low calorific value that is ideal for dietary use.
- Positive effect on rheology.

AN EXCELLENT DIGESTIVE TOLERANCE

Acacia fiber provides scientifically proven and recognized prebiotic effects:

- No intestinal discomfort – no flatulence or abdominal cramps.
- Very slow fermentation: slight evolution of the acacia fiber content during the whole shelf-life of dairy products containing live lactic bacteria (to be compared to yoghurts formulated with inulin, FOS or GOS whose fiber content can rapidly decrease during storage).
- Minimal digestion in the small intestine combined with a slow fermentation in the colon.

ACACIA FIBER COMPARED TO OTHER COMMON SOLUBLE FIBERS

Disadvantages					
Common fibers used in the food industry	Discomfort	Side effects	Synthetic unnatural additive	Chemically treated	Viscosity addition to the end product
Acacia fiber					
Inulin/fructo/ galacto-oligosaccharides	•	•			
Lactulose	•	•			
Polydextrose	•	•	•		
Resistant starches and Maltodextrins			•	•	
Pectins					•
Gellan/xanthan gum					•
Modified cellulose			•	•	•
Galactomannans (guar/locust/bean gum)					•
Alginates					•

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