

Ceylon Cinnamon

True Ceylon cinnamon (*Cinnamomum verum*) from Galle and Matara, Sri Lanka. Coumarin in ppm on every CoA, EU-compliant. Alba, C5 Special and C5 grades.

Most cinnamon traded globally is Cassia — *Cinnamomum cassia*, *C. burmannii*, or *C.*

Grades

- Alba — the finest grade; paper-thin quills, lightest color, delicate aroma. Premium retail.
- C5 Special — very fine quills, slightly thicker than Alba. Specialty retail and gift packaging.
- C5 — standard export grade; thin quills, even color. Foodservice and retail.
- Quillings — broken pieces of C-grade quills. Industrial / grinding.
- Powder — ground from C5 or quillings; 60 mesh standard.

Specification

Parameter	Value
Botanical name	<i>Cinnamomum verum</i> (syn. <i>C. zeylanicum</i>)
Origin	Galle / Matara, Sri Lanka
Coumarin content	Trace (EU-compliant)
Volatile oil	Minimum 1.5% (cinnamaldehyde 55-65%)
Moisture	Maximum 12%
Total ash	Maximum 6%
Ethylene oxide	Not detected

Forms and packaging

- Quills in 50g / 100g retail boxes, quillings in 25kg / 50kg bulk, powder in quick-commerce packs (50g, 100g, 200g) or bulk bags. Custom export cartons available for private-label customers.

Typical applications

Bakery formulators in the EU needing coumarin-safe cinnamon, premium retail brands, infant food manufacturers, specialty tea and beverage blenders, wellness brands formulating blood-sugar support products.

Commercial terms

MOQ: 500 kg for grades above C5, 250 kg for specialty Alba. FOB Chennai or Colombo (direct Sri Lanka option) / CIF destination. Payment: 30% advance / 70% against BL, or LC at sight. Lead time: 14-28 days. Documentation: NABL CoA (including coumarin test), Certificate of Origin (Sri Lanka or India depending on routing), Phytosanitary, Fumigation.

Compliance and documents

Every lot ships with a NABL-accredited Certificate of Analysis, a Certificate of Origin and a Phytosanitary Certificate; Fumigation Certificate where applicable. Ethylene oxide is not used at any stage; residues are reported against the EU sum limit of 0.1 mg/kg (ethylene oxide + 2-chloroethanol) under Reg. (EC) 396/2005 and the US tolerance of 7 ppm under 40 CFR 180.151. Aflatoxin and ochratoxin A are reported against the maximum levels in Reg. (EU) 2023/915.

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