WH Smith recalls Simpleas Sea Salt and Balsamic Vinegar Pea Snacks because of undeclared allergens

WH Smith is recalling Simpleas Sea Salt and Balsamic Vinegar Pea Snacks because they contain barley, oats and wheat (gluten) which are not mentioned on the label. This means the product is a possible health risk for anyone with an allergy or intolerance to barley, and/or oats and/or wheat (gluten).

Product details

Simpleas Sea Salt and Balsamic Vinegar Pea Snacks

Pack size	23g
Batch code	119 21
Best before	29 April 2022

Risk statement

Allergen(s): Barley, oats and wheat (gluten)

This product contains barley, oats and wheat (gluten) making it a possible health risk for anyone with an allergy or intolerance to barley, and/or oats and/or wheat or gluten.

Action taken by the company

WH Smith is recalling the above product from customers and have been advised to contact the relevant allergy support organisations, which will tell their members about the recall. Company has also issued a point-of-sale notice to its customers. This notice explains to customers why the product is being recalled and tell them what to do if they have bought the product. Please see the attached notice.

PDF

View Customer notice: Simpleas Sea Salt and Balsamic Vinegar Pea Snacks as pdf(Open in a new window) (212.64 KB)

Our advice to consumers

If you have bought the above product and have an allergy or intolerance to barley, and/or oats, and/or wheat or gluten, do not eat it. Instead return it to the store from where it was bought for a full refund.

Related alerts

• FSA-AA-30-2021-update-1: Update 1 – Novo Farina recalls Simpleas Sea Salt and Balsamic Vinegar Pea Snacks because of undeclared allergens

About allergy alerts

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