

## DECLARATION SHELF LIFE POLICY

King Nuts & Raaphorst distinguishes between bulk packages and consumer packages regarding the mentioning of the best before date.

Bulk packages:

Due to the fact that mentioning of the shelf life on bulk packages is not mandatory King Nuts & Raaphorst uses a taste guarantee term after delivery. This term depends on the product group and can only be guaranteed if the transport- and storage conditions are met. These conditions can be found on the product specifications and are as follows:

Storage and transport conditions:

The products must be preserved in a cool and dark environment which is free of odours, at a temperature between 15-18°C and a relative humidity about 65%, unless it is reported different on the package.
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The products must be transported and stored under hygienic conditions, to ensure that the product cannot be contaminated by moulds, strange materials or smell.
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It is possible that a best before date is mentioned on the bulk package. This date is the responsibility of the producer or packager in the country of origin.

Because, both inside and outside the specified shelf life term, food safety is not compromised, we limit ourselves to give a period starting after delivery of the product. This period should be seen as a taste guarantee and is separate from the food safety.

After expiry of the shelf life, organoleptic deviations may occur, for example: fat oxidation, crystallization, toughness, discoloration etc.

When micro-organisms are present on the product, they will not develop due to the fact that the Aw-value of the products is too low.

Consumer packages:

According to the legislation for the labelling of consumer packages, shelf life dates are mentioned on the packages.

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# Shelf lives from date of delivery

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Shelf life in months		Shelf life in months		Shelf life in months	
<b>PEANUTS/NUTS</b>		<b>RICE CRACKERS</b>		<b>OTHER PRODUCTS</b>	
Natural nuts and peanuts	9	Rice cracker(s) (mixes) without peanuts	12	Crunchy sticks	9
Dry roasted nuts and peanuts	9	Rice cracker(s) (mixes) with peanuts	12	Oils	see packaging
Oil roasted nuts and peanuts	3	Coated peanuts (rice) (wasabi peanuts)	12	Corn salted	6
Coated peanuts (sugar peanuts, katjang)	3	Sushi Cheese	12	Cocoa powder	12
Caramelised nuts/peanuts	9	Soy beans	12		
Coated peanuts Pepsico	see packaging	Wasabi Peas	12	Cocoa nibs	12
Hickory almonds	9			Bee pollen	12
Smoke almonds	6	<b>CHOCOLATE ASSORTMENT</b>		Popcorn	9
		<b>DRIED FRUITS</b>		Fatima Salted corn	9
<b>MIXES</b>		Chocolate (yoghurt) assortment	6	Linseed broken	6
Mixes with fruit and natural nuts/peanuts	6	All dried fruits	9	Physalis	9
Mixes with fruit en roasted nuts/peanuts	3	Sugared fruit from Thailand (except Cocos	12	Coconut powder/chips	9
Mixes with only fruit	9	Goji berries	12	Kumquats	10
Mixes with sugared fruit from Thailand	12	Soft fruit	9	Soy bean cookie	12
Mixes with hard coconut	4	Coconut Thailand (hard) (except Coconut slices)	12	Nougat	12
Mixes with soft coconut	3	Coconut Thailand slices	9		
		Coconut bites	9	Chia seeds	12
Mix du soleil	12	Coconut soft	6	Gouda Cheese crumbles	9
Cranberries	9	Apple cinnamon chips	12	Fudge	see packaging
Frunuts	12	Fruit chips	12	Granola Organic	9
Forest fruit mix	9	Vegetable chips	12	Fried onions	see packaging
Tutti frutti	9	Mullberries	9		
Mixes with only natural nuts/peanuts	6	Banana chips	9		
Mixes with only roasted nuts/peanuts	3	<b>SALT, HERBS AND SPICES</b>			
Mixes with roasted nuts and ricecrackers	3	Salt	12		
Muesli	4	Herbs and spices	9		
Grains	6				
<b>PITS AND SEEDS</b>	9				