

## **GMO STATEMENT**

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The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)'s National Organic Program (NOP) prohibits the use of Genetically Modified Organisms (GMO) as "excluded methods" under 7 CFR 205.105, "Allowed and Prohibited Substances, Methods and Ingredients in Organic Production and Handling". European Council Regulation (EC) No 834/2007 prohibits use of GMOs in organic production.

Certified Organic Ethyl Alcohol is manufactured and handled by Greenfield Global USA Inc. under the supervision of Oregon Tilth Certified Organic (OTCO), fully accredited by the USDA National Organic Program (NOP), and as such Greenfield Global USA Inc. is considered compliant with national organic standards. Organic Corn derived Alcohol manufactured and handled by Greenfield Global USA Inc. is also certified ACB-EU Equivalent and as such is considered compliant with European Council regulations.

Our Organic Corn derived Alcohol is produced by the fermentation from certified organic corn. Raw material is sourced from the organic corn directly from the farmers after documentation of compliance as to their certification is completed. The organic corn is then processed to produce the organic ethyl alcohol.

All enzymes and yeast used in the manufacturing process of Organic Corn derived Alcohol are non-GMO. In addition, no GM processing aids or substances restricted by the national organic standards are used in the manufacturing process.

Since there is zero tolerance for the use of GM plant material and process aids; our Organic Ethyl Alcohol is considered GMO-free, as approved by Oregon Tilth Certified Organic (OTCO).

The final product, pure ethyl alcohol is also tested for the presence of GMO using qualitative DNA/PCR Assays. Furthermore, every effort has been made to protect the organic product from contamination. This is done by product segregation, separation and system dedication.

The following process statements can be made concerning the GMO status of Greenfield Global USA Inc.'s Organic Corn derived Alcohol:

1.) There are no additives flavorings or ingredients in the product that are derived from genetically modified organisms added to the product.

2.) There are no additives, flavorings or ingredients in the product likely to contain DNA and or protein resulting from genetic modification.

3.) There is no possibility of the presence of DNA and or protein resulting from genetic modification due to extrinsic source, outside contamination or any other means or venues.

This statement is valid and in effect for all products and lot numbers described herein until otherwise notified in writing by Greenfield Global USA Inc.