

Whole Grain Pasta that **KIDS LOVE!**



We perfected whole grain pasta.

Color. Taste. Texture. Cooking Performance. We make whole grain pasta better for every attribute. We understand your challenges when it comes to whole grain pasta. That is why we developed a **whole grain pasta that is lighter in color and provides excellent cooking quality that you can depend on every time.**

Dakota Growers Pasta Company Whole Lot Better® was the first to market with a whole grain pasta that is made with 100% creditable grains. It is enriched whole grain pasta and meets the USDA whole grain-rich guidelines. One serving contributes 2 ounce equivalent grains per portion towards meal pattern requirements.



ROTINI



PENNE RIGATE



ELBOW



SPAGHETTI



Operator Friendly.

Whole Lot Better pasta cooks up perfectly, under many different cooking methods. Whether you boil pasta in a tilt skillet or cook in a boiler steam oven or combi oven, our whole grain pasta cooks up perfectly.

Go to our website for cooking instructions for Boiling, Boiler Steam Oven and Combi Oven:
www.dakotagrowers.com/WLB



Everyone will Look Forward to Pasta Day!

- ❖ Students love Whole Lot Better pasta. It's much lighter in color when cooked and has a mild whole grain taste.
- ❖ Cooks love Whole Lot Better pasta because it holds up, doesn't break apart and stick together. It makes their job enjoyable.
- ❖ Foodservice Directors love Whole Lot Better pasta because it meets the USDA whole grain-rich guidelines and school lunch meal satisfaction increases. Students enjoy pasta dishes and there is less food waste.



WIDE EGG NOODLE



RIDGED LASAGNA



Plated pasta shown as prepared

Endless *Pastabilities*.

With 6 popular pasta shapes, menus are endless. Pasta is a menu builder and fits with any vegetable and protein to create delicious dishes that students will enjoy.



- * Rotini
- * Penne Rigate
- * Elbows
- * Spaghetti
- * Egg Noodle
- * Lasagna

Satisfy Healthy Menu Requirements

School Foodservice Directors are switching to Dakota Growers Whole Lot Better and increasing student satisfaction.

“DAKOTA GROWERS
WHOLE LOT BETTER
IS MUCH LIGHTER
IN COLOR AND HOLDS
UP MUCH BETTER.
WE LOVE THIS PASTA.”

~ JANET MITCHELL,
CULINARY SERVICES DIRECTOR,
GLYNN COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM,
GEORGIA

Quality Starts with Premium Durum Wheat

Durum wheat is the hardest of all wheat classes and is sought out by pasta makers around the world. Pasta made from other types of wheat flours become starchy while cooking, causing the pasta to become mushy and sticky. North Dakota leads the U.S. in durum wheat production. This is where Dakota Growers Whole Lot Better pasta is milled and made.

Dakota Growers Whole Lot Better is made with 100% creditable grains—Whole Durum Wheat and Enriched Durum Semolina. No need to add other additives, such as eggs, to maintain cooking quality.



Nutrition Facts And Specifications

“Whole Lot Better” Nutritionals:

Serving Size: 2 oz./56g dry (approximately 1 cup cooked) = 2 oz. eq.

	Whole Grain	Egg Noodle		Whole Grain	Egg Noodle
Calories	210	210	Vitamin A	0%	0%
Total Fat	1.5g	2.5g	Vitamin C	0%	0%
Cholesterol	0mg	55mg	Calcium	2%	2%
Sodium	0mg	15mg	Iron	10%	10%
Total Carbs	41g	39g	Thiamin	25%	25%
Dietary Fiber	4g	4g	Riboflavin	10%	10%
Sugars	2g	2g	Niacin	15%	15%
Protein	7g	8g	Folate	20%	20%
Whole Grain	28g	28g	Phosphorus	10%	15%
			Magnesium	15%	15%

Ingredients

Whole Grain Pasta: Whole wheat durum flour, durum wheat semolina, durum wheat flour, niacin, iron (ferrous sulfate), thiamin mononitrate, riboflavin, and folic acid.

Whole Grain Egg Noodle: Whole wheat durum flour, durum wheat semolina, durum wheat flour, niacin, iron (ferrous sulfate), thiamin mononitrate, riboflavin, folic acid, and eggs.

Global Food Safety Initiative, FSSC 22000

We utilize the FSSC 22000 audit program to assure full compliance with GFSI standards.

Ⓢ Kosher Certified

Dakota Growers Pasta Company “Whole Lot Better” items:

Description	Case Pack	UPC 67387-	Immediate Serving Cook Time	Steam Table & Baking Cook Time
Spaghetti	2/10 lb.	91322	6 min	3 min
Penne Rigate	2/10 lb.	92010	8 min	5 min
Rotini	2/10 lb.	92021	8 min	5 min
Elbow Macaroni	2/10 lb.	92109	6 min	3 min
Wide Egg Noodle	2/5 lb.	02825	7-9 min	5 min
Ridged Lasagna	1/10 lb.	03410	NA	8-10 min

To learn more about “Whole Lot Better” or our other fine pasta products, contact us at:

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