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THE NEW STANDARD IN SHORTENINGS
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THE HIGH OLEIC (HO) SOY DIFFERENCE

NEXT-GENERATION HO SOY-BASED SHORTENINGS HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED TO PROVIDE SERIOUS BENEFITS FOR YOUR BAKERY NEEDS:

- HO soy’s unique fatty acid profile allows for the development of fully functional shortenings across a wide range of bakery applications
- Cleaner/lighter flavor
- Sustainably grown in the United States, in a traceable supply chain

TESTED AND PROVEN TO SET A NEW STANDARD

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Evenly browned, flaky pie crusts with minimal shrink

Tender and chewy breads, sweet rolls, and cookies

Light, airy, moist cakes

Tall, honeycomb-layered puff pastries, on par with butter

Ideal viscosity and higher volume in icings, with less color bleed

Optimal cakes and yeast-raised doughnuts

Through enzymatic interesterification or blending with fully hydrogenated fats, HO soy in bakery shortenings creates high-performing ingredients for a full spectrum of bakery applications, with zero trans fats per serving and optimum performance.

Thanks to the processing technology and the fatty acid makeup of HO soy, HO soy-based shortenings have been proven in functional and sensory testing to match traditional shortenings and outperform palm-based shortenings. Best of all, these are drop-in solutions requiring no changes in formulations or standard operating procedures. With HO soy-based shortenings, you’ll be working with products with ideal melting point and melting curve to achieve:

Desired melting characteristics such as the melting point and melting curve are easily achieved, resulting in improved texture, mouthfeel, and flavor release.

Longer shelf life in the bakery case or in pre-packaged goods at retail without antioxidants or synthetic additives.

Cleaner labels – no trans fats or partially hydrogenated fats, and no need for added preservatives, resulting in more product appeal, customer satisfaction and loyalty from today’s consumers.

Clean, neutral flavor profile lets the natural flavor of the food shine through.
GETTING STARTED WITH HO SOY SUPPLIERS

HO soybeans are sustainably grown by U.S. farmers under closed-loop, identity-preserved supply chains and are still in the early stages of market development. This, along with increased demand, has resulted in limited availability in the spot market and for near-term shipments. In order to ensure adequate supply for their needs, buyers will need to use more forward planning and begin discussions with U.S. suppliers much earlier than what they may be accustomed to for purchasing their oil requirements.

When you’re ready to take the next step in sourcing HO soy products in your market, check out the Sourcing Guide for International Customers to U.S. High Oleic Soybeans and High Oleic Soybean Oil. The guide provides contacts for suppliers of HO soybeans and HO soybean oil, information about U.S. HO soy supply chains, pricing factors, delivery options, and more.

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