

## Press release

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### **Brenntag Food & Nutrition signs distribution agreement with Marigot for Denmark**

Brenntag Food & Nutrition has signed a new distribution agreement with Marigot for the exclusive distribution of Marigot's range of plant and marine based minerals in Denmark as of February 2021. Marigot's Aquamin range has built a strong reputation as a clean, natural, and bioactive source of marine multi minerals. The new agreement is in line with Marigot's ambition to grow the Aquamin business in food, beverage, dietary supplements, and lifestyle nutrition markets. The good reputation and track record of growth of Brenntag Food & Nutrition in these markets and a strong position in Denmark contributed to Marigot's decision to establish a new exclusive partnership.

"We are very proud to represent Marigot on the Aquamin range. Thanks to our close contact to the food and dietary supplement industry we will be able to create value for our customer with this natural source of Calcium, Magnesium and trace marine elements," comments Mia Mahkonen, Business Manager Brenntag Food & Nutrition Nordic.

"There is increasing demand for natural clean label, sustainable and scientifically supported ingredients which brings added health benefits to products," states David O'Leary, Commercial Manager Marigot Ltd. "We anticipate growing demand for our high-quality ingredients, especially in fortified food and beverages, dietary supplements and lifestyle nutrition. Our extensive scientific research supporting Aquamin continues to grow and we are confident of seeing further success in our target categories. With the UK & Ireland market at the forefront of many of the exciting industry trends, Marigot's new partnership with Brenntag Food & Nutrition in the Nordic region is an important part of our overall growth strategy."

#### **About Brenntag Food & Nutrition:**

Brenntag Food & Nutrition, part of Brenntag SE, is a leading provider of food ingredients to the marketplaces around the globe. We built a reputation of partnering with the best suppliers of ingredients and additives and deliver right to our customers' needs and requirements. With more than 900 dedicated employees, a presence in 77 countries and 30 application and development centers, Brenntag Food & Nutrition provides technical expertise, tailor-made formulation and application solutions, a broad portfolio of specialty and commodity ingredients and profound industry know-how in the segments meat, poultry & fish processing, bakery & bread, dairy & ice cream, beverages, chocolate & confectionary, convenience food and fruit & vegetable processing. Brenntag Food & Nutrition makes its business partners "Sense the difference".

For more information, please visit [www.brenntag.com/food-nutrition](http://www.brenntag.com/food-nutrition)

**About Aquamin & Marigot**

Aquamin is a unique marine multi-mineral complex that provides bioactive calcium, magnesium and 72 other trace marine minerals, for the fortification of food, beverage and supplement products. Unlike other mineral sources used in food, beverage and supplement preparation, Aquamin is derived solely from seaweed harvested under an exclusive license off the coast of Iceland. The seaweed, which absorbs trace minerals from the surrounding seawater, coupled with Aquamin's unique structure, results in a mineral rich product that is neutral tasting, free of chalky texture and easily absorbed by the human body. Aquamin Magnesium extracted from seawater, is a highly bioavailable source of magnesium for use in food, nutraceuticals and dietary supplements. Marigot Ltd. was established in 1993 and operates under a system that fosters an entrepreneurial approach, the core business involves the identification and development of naturally derived ingredients for the enhancement of Human, Animal and Plant Health.

For more information regarding Aquamin visit [www.aquamin.com](http://www.aquamin.com)

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