

IFRA Allergen Statement

Product Name	Peppermint Essential Oil	
Botanical Name	Mentha piperita	
Country of Origin	USA	

COSMETIC ALLERGENS			
Allergen	Cas #:	Allergen Inclusion (%)	Guidance Notes
Limonene	138-86- 3	2.41	Limit peroxide level to 20 mmol/l. Limonene and natural products known to be rich in limonene should only be used when the level of peroxides is kept to the lowest practical level. It is recommended to add antioxidants at the time of production of the raw material. The addition of 0.1% BHT or alpha-tocopherol for example has shown great efficiency.
Carvone	9-49-0	0.49	Category 1 0.08 % See Note box (1) Category 2 0.1 % Category 3 0.4 % Category 4 1.2 % Category 5 0.6 % Category 6 1.9 % Category 7 0.2 % Category 8 2.0 % Category 9 5.0 % Category 10 2.5 % Category 11 Not Restricted (2)
Notes:			(1) IFRA would recommend that any material used to impart perfume or flavour in products intended for human ingestion should consist of ingredients

that are in compliance with appropriate regulations for foods and food flavourings in the countries of planned distribution and, where these are lacking, with the recommendations laid down in the Code of Practice of IOFI (International Organisation of the Flavor Industry - www.iofiorg.org)
(2) Category 11 includes all non-skin contact or incidental skin contact products. Due to the negligible skin

contact from these types of products there is no justification for a restriction of the concentration of this fragrance

ingredient in the finished product.

FOOD ALLERGENS							
Ref #	Allergen	In Product?	Contamination?	In Factory?			
1	Cereals (Inc. Gluten)	No	No	Yes			
2	Crustaceans	No	No	No			
3	Eggs	No	No	No			
4	Fish	No	No	No			
5	Peanuts	No	No	Yes			
6	Soya	No	No	Yes			
7	Milk	No	No	Yes			
8	Nuts	No	No	Yes			
9	Celery & Celeriac	No	No	Yes			
10	Mustard	No	No	Yes			
11	Sesame	No	No	Yes			
12	Sulphur Dioxide & Sulphites	No	No	No			
13	Lupin	No	No	No			

14	Mollusc	No	No	No
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