

MEDXTRACT BEARBERRY 1:2

INCI NAME:

ARCTOSTAPHYLLOS UVA URSI LEAF EXTRACT, PROPYLENE GLYCOL, AQUA

CAS NUMBER:

84776-10-3, 57-55-6, 7732-18-5

MEDXTRACT BEARBERRY 1:2 is the glycolic extract of leaves of Arctostaphylos Uva Ursi, produced by ultrasounds at low temperature (25°C).

Arctostaphylos Uva Ursi is a small procumbent woody shrub 5-30 cm high in the family Ericacea. The leaves are evergreen and the fruit is a red berry.

MEDXTRACT BEARBERRY 1:2 possesses mainly astringent, antiseptic, diuretic and skin bleaching properties and is widely used in cosmetics and personal care formulations at concentrations ranging from 1 to 10 %.

PHYSICAL / CHEMICAL PROPERTIES	
Appearance (20° C):	clear liquid
Colour:	ambered
Odour:	faint characteristic
Used parts of plant:	leaves
Concentration (plant/extract):	1:2
Propylene Glycol:	80 - 90%
Water:	10 - 20%
Dry residue (180° C - 30'):	1 - 2%
Specific gravity (20° C):	1,02 - 1,05
pH (as is):	5,0 - 6,5
Refraction index:	1,39 - 1,44
Heavy metals (Pb, Cd, Cr, Hg, As):	10 ppm max.
Pesticides:	5 ppm max.
Total Microbial Count:	< 100 UFC/ml
Preservatives:	Benzyl Alcohol (0,4%)
	Sodium Benzoate (0,12%)
	Potassium Sorbate (0,08%)

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