

WORMWOOD ABSINTHIUM

ESSENTIAL OIL

(*Artemisia absinthium*)



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APPEARANCE

dark liquid

COLOUR

yellow to red-brown

ODOR

specific, artemisia
absentium

Relative density (g/cm³)

from 0.840 to 0.980

Refractive index (20°C)

from 1.486 to 1.498

Acid value, mg KOH/g

not more than 10.0

CONTENTS OF CHARACTERISTIC INGREDIENTS (BY GC), %

Contents of ketones such as
iso artemisia ketone, %

more than 20.0

α + β thujone

from 50 to 60

Isotuil acetate

from 38

Linalool

from 5 to 10

THERAPEUTIC PROPERTIES

Wormwood essential oil is above all a stomach medicine, being useful for indigestion, gastric pain, and lack of appetite, as well as the related problems of heartburn and flatulence, fevers, dysentery, asthma, burns, and anemia. It is also said to be helpful for liver insufficiency by stimulating liver and gallbladder secretions, jaundice.