

BALSAMIC

AMBERY

RESINOID

Myroxylon balsamum

CAS NUMBER 0008007-00-9

REACH NUMBER

FEMA NUMBER 2117



OLFACTIVE DESCRIPTION

The olfactive profile is rich, sweet, and deeply ambery.

PERFUMERY USAGE

Considered to be a fixative, it is used particularly with ambery, leathery and vanilla notes.



● Firmenich Main Sourcing Country
EL SALVADOR

SOURCING

Peru balsam is a gum extracted with specific care from a tree growing only in El Salvador.

This traditional and exceptional production is threatened by very low prices and deforestation issues.

With its Joint Venture and #NaturalsTogether partner Nelixia; Firmenich has developed a Deep Roots program with a local cooperative of farmers.

The program guarantees harvesters a market security at a fair price, while ensuring best harvest and agricultural practices.

Nelixia has also especially improved harvesting conditions and safety of farmers.

This shall secure their profession for next generations and the longevity of the unique traditional harvest and extraction of Peru Balsam.

CROP SEASON IN MAIN SOURCING COUNTRY



PROCESS

A primary extraction with volatile solvent on fresh or dry biomass yields to a Concrete or Resinoid. The Absolute is obtained via a second purification step in the process.

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DID YOU KNOW ?

Extracted part: balsam.

2 kg of Peru balsam to produce 1 Kg of Resinoid.

This ingredient is both convenient for perfumery and flavor applications.