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## Natural Bisabolol

## Specification Sheet

**Description:** Bisabolol (synonym levomenol) is a natural monocyclic sesquiterpene alcohol naturally obtained by distillation from the Candeia Tree (*Vanillosmopsis erythropappa/Eremanthus erythropappus*). Clear colorless to light yellow liquid. Weak sweet floral aroma. Insoluble in water & glycerin, but easily soluble in ethanol, oils & hydrocarbon emollients (e.g. isododecane). Aqueous solutions containing bisabolol can be created with a solubilizer like PEG-40 Hydrogenated Castor Oil.

CAS: 23089-26-1

INCI Name: Bisabolol

## Benefits:

- Plant-derived bisabolol is a more potent ingredient than synthetic bisabolol which possesses only about 50% activity compared to this natural form
- Potent antioxidant with well-known soothing and anti-irritant properties
- Restores suppleness and is an excellent cosmetic ingredient for protection of the skin against daily environmental stress
- Bisabolol can enhance the percutaneous absorption of active ingredients (skin-penetration enhancer)

**Use:** Can be added to formulas as is. Add to oil phase of emulsions. Typical use level 0.1 - 1.0%. For external use only.

**Applications:** Creams, lotions, pre/after sun lotions, soothing skin care products for sensitive skin, after-shave products, baby products, cleansers.

Country of Origin: USA

Raw material source: Candeia tree (Vanillosmopsis erythropappa/Eremanthus erythropappus)

Manufacture: Direct steam distillation of the oil from the tropical shrub candeia.

**Animal Testing:** Not animal tested

GMO: GMO free but not certified (Candeia trees cannot genetically be modified)

**Vegan:** Does not contains animal-derived components