

## Henna Extract

### Specification Sheet

**Description:** Extract obtained from the henna plant (*Lawsonia inermis*), a shrub also called henna tree or mignonette tree. The plant is the source of the dye henna used to dye skin, hair, and fingernails. Contains 20% extract dissolved in water and glycerin.

**CAS:** 56-81-5, 7732-18-5, 84929-30-6

**INCI Name:** Glycerin, Water, Lawsonia Inermis (Henna) Extract

**Composition:** Glycerin, Water, Lawsonia Inermis (Henna) Extract, Phenoxyethanol

**Appearance:** Light tan to amber liquid, characteristic odor

**Benefits:**

- Has cooling and soothing properties and is often used after intense sun exposure.
- Provides anti-microbial and oil-absorbing properties. Often used for blemished skin.
- Does not have a dye effect.

**Use:** Water-soluble, added to water phase or after the formulation is completed (o/w emulsions). In w/o emulsions extract must go into the water phase. Typical use level 0.5-5%. For external use only.

**Applications:** Skin lotions, after-sun creams, creams, products for blemished skin.

**Solubility:** Water-soluble

**Preservation:** Phenoxyethanol

**Storage:** Store in a closed container at a dry place at room temperature.

**Country of Origin:** USA

**Raw material source:** Lawsonia Inermis (Henna), glycerin made of naturally derived oils.

**Manufacture:** Prepared via a cold process to avoid potential loss of effectiveness heat processing can have. Created from naturally grown materials which are extracted first with a specified eluant to yield a concentrate. This concentrate is then dissolved in glycerin and water at a concentration of 20 % concentrate and 80% diluents.



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**Animal Testing:** Not animal tested.

**GMO:** GMO-free

**Vegan:** Does not contain animal-derived components.

**HS Code:** 1302190100