

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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**Product identifier**

**Product code:** SP306  
**Product Name:** SPEARMINT OIL, FCC

**Other means of identification**

**Synonyms:** Oleum Menthae Viridis  
Oil of Spearmint  
Mentha Spicata  
Oil of Crispmint  
Oil of Curled Mint

**CAS #:** 8008-79-5  
**RTECS #** WG7360000  
**CI#:** Not available

**Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use**

**Recommended use:** Flavoring ingredient.  
**Uses advised against** No information available

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Classification**

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2B
Flammable liquids	Category 3

**Label elements**

## Warning

### Hazard statements

Causes skin irritation

Causes eye irritation

Flammable liquid and vapor



### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not Applicable

### Other hazards

May be harmful if swallowed

### Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. — No smoking

Keep container tightly closed

Ground/bond container and receiving equipment

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/./? /equipment

Use only non-sparking tools

Take precautionary measures against static discharge

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

### Precautionary Statements - Response

Specific treatment (see ./? on this label)

In case of fire: Use CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, or foam to extinguish.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

### Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool

### Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No.	Weight %	Trade Secret
Spearmint Oil 8008-79-5	8008-79-5	100	*

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### First aid measures

#### **General Advice:**

Poison information centers in each State capital city can provide additional assistance for scheduled poisons (13 1126)

#### **Skin Contact:**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Get medical attention if irritation develops. Consult a physician if necessary.

#### **Eye Contact:**

Flush eye with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation occurs. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

#### **Inhalation:**

Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

#### **Ingestion:**

Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Consult a physician if necessary.

### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

#### **Symptoms**

Causes eye irritation. Causes skin irritation. May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

#### **Notes to Physician:**

Treat symptomatically

### Protection of first-aiders

First-Aid Providers: Avoid exposure to blood or body fluids. Wear gloves and other necessary protective clothing. Dispose of contaminated clothing and equipment as bio-hazardous waste

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### Extinguishing Media

#### **Suitable Extinguishing Media:**

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Alcohol-resistant foam. Water spray.

#### **Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:**

Do not use a solid (straight) water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.

### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products:**

Carbon monoxide; Carbon dioxide

#### **Specific hazards:**

Flammable. May be ignited by heat, sparks or flames. Vapor may travel considerable distance to source of ignition and flash back. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Most vapors are heavier than air. They will spread along the ground and collect in low or confined areas (sewers, basements, tanks). Container explosion may occur under fire conditions or when heated. Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases.

### Special Protective Actions for Firefighters

#### **Specific Methods:**

Water mist may be used to cool closed containers. For larger fires, use water spray or fog. Cool containers with flooding quantities of water until well after fire is out.

#### **Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters:**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal Precautions:** Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use personal protective equipment. Remove all sources of ignition. Pay attention to flashback. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. In case of large spill, water spray or vapor suppressing foam may be used to reduce vapors, but may not prevent ignition in closed spaces.

**Environmental precautions** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for containment** Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. vermiculite, dry sand or earth). In case of large spill, dike if needed. Dike far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal.

**Methods for cleaning up** Use appropriate tools to put the spilled material in a suitable chemical waste disposal container. Use only non-sparking tools. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

#### **Technical Measures/Precautions:**

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Remove all sources of ignition. To avoid ignition of vapors by static electricity discharge, all metal parts of the equipment must be grounded. Keep away from incompatible materials.

#### **Safe Handling Advice:**

Wear personal protective equipment. Use only in well-ventilated areas. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Do not ingest. When using do not smoke. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### **Technical Measures/Storage Conditions:**

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature in the original container. Sensitive to light. Store in light-resistant containers. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Store in a segregated and approved area. Store away from incompatible materials.

#### **Incompatible Materials:**

Strong oxidizing agents. Acids. Alkalis.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

#### **National occupational exposure limits**

##### **United States**

Components	OSHA	NIOSH	ACGIH	AIHA WHEEL
Spearmint Oil - 8008-79-5	None	None	None	None

##### **Canada**

Components	Alberta	British Columbia	Ontario	Quebec
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Spearmint Oil - 8008-79-5	None	None	None	None
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### Australia and Mexico

Components	Australia	Mexico
Spearmint Oil 8008-79-5	None	None

### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering measures to reduce exposure:** Ensure adequate ventilation. Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors and mist below their respective threshold limit value.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

#### Personal Protective Equipment

- Eye protection:** Goggles.
- Skin and body protection:** Chemical resistant apron. Long sleeved clothing. Gloves.
- Respiratory protection:** Vapor respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent.
- Hygiene measures:** Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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<b>Physical state:</b> Liquid	<b>Appearance:</b> No information available.	<b>Color:</b> Colorless. Yellow. Greenish-Yellow.
<b>Odor:</b> Mint-like.	<b>Taste</b> Sweet-balsamic. Burning.	<b>Molecular/Formula weight:</b> 182.17 g/mol
<b>Formula:</b> C6H14O6	<b>Flash point (°C):</b> 60 °C	<b>Flashpoint (°C/°F):</b> 60°C /150°F
<b>Flash Point Tested according to:</b> Closed cup	<b>Lower Explosion Limit (%):</b> No information available	<b>Upper Explosion Limit (%):</b> No information available
<b>Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F):</b> No information available	<b>pH:</b> No information available	<b>Melting point/range(°C/°F):</b> No information available
<b>Boiling point/range(°C/°F):</b> 228°C / 442°F	<b>Decomposition temperature(°C/°F):</b> No information available	<b>Bulk density:</b> No information available
<b>Specific gravity:</b> 0.917-0.934 @ 25°C 0.92-0.937 @ 20°C	<b>Vapor pressure @ 20°C (kPa):</b> No information available	<b>Density (g/cm3):</b> 0.918 g/cm3
<b>Evaporation rate:</b> No information available	<b>Vapor density:</b> No information available	<b>VOC content (g/L):</b> No information available
<b>Odor threshold (ppm):</b> No information available	<b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b> No information available	<b>Viscosity:</b> No information available
<b>Miscibility:</b> No information available	<b>Solubility:</b> Solubility in Alcohol: 1mL dissolves in 1mL of 80% alcohol Very slightly soluble in water	

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

No information available

### Chemical stability

**Stability:** Stable at normal conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:** Hazardous polymerization does not occur

**Conditions to avoid:** Heat, flames and sparks.. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

**Incompatible Materials:** Strong oxidizing agents. Acids. Alkalis.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** No information available

### Other Information

**Corrosivity:** No information available

**Special Remarks on Corrosivity:** No information available

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### Principal Routes of Exposure:

Skin. Ingestion. Inhalation.

### Acute Toxicity

#### Component Information

*Spearmint Oil - 8008-79-5*

**LD50/oral/rat** = 5 g/kg Oral LD50 Rat

>2 g/kg (Sweden DAR)

**LD50/oral/mouse** = No information available

**LD50/dermal/rabbit** = No information available

**LD50/dermal/rat** = > 2000 mg/kg

**LC50/inhalation/rat** = > 5.43 mg/L 4 hr

**LC50/inhalation/mouse** = No information available

**Other LD50 or LC50 information** = No information available

#### Product Information

**LD50/oral/rat** =

VALUE- Acute Tox Oral = 5000mg/kg

**LD50/oral/mouse** =

Value - Acute Tox Oral = No information available

**LD50/dermal/rabbit**

VALUE-Acute Tox Dermal = No information available

**LD50/dermal/rat**

VALUE -Acute Tox Dermal = >2000mg/kg

**LC50/inhalation/rat**

VALUE-Vapor = No information available

VALUE-Gas = No information available

VALUE-Dust/Mist = No information available

**LC50/Inhalation/mouse**

VALUE-Vapor = No information available

VALUE - Gas = No information available

VALUE - Dust/Mist = No information available

### Symptoms

**Skin Contact:** Causes skin irritation.

**Eye Contact:** Causes eye irritation.

**Inhalation** May cause respiratory irritation.

**Ingestion** No information available. Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

**Aspiration hazard** No information available

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Chronic Toxicity** No information available

**Sensitization:** No information available

**Mutagenic Effects:** No information available

**Carcinogenic effects:** Not considered carcinogenic

Components	ACGIH - Carcinogens	IARC	NTP	OSHA HCS - Carcinogens	Australia - Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances	Australia - Notifiable Carcinogenic Substances
Spearmint Oil	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

**Reproductive toxicity** No data is available

**Reproductive Effects:** No information available

**Developmental Effects:** No information available

**Teratogenic Effects:** No information available

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity**

**STOT - single exposure** Inhalation-may cause respiratory irritation.

**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available

**Target Organs:** Respiratory system.

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity**

**Ecotoxicity effects:** No data available.

**Persistence and degradability:** No information available

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No information available

**Mobility:** No information available

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Disposal Methods**

**Waste from residues / unused products:**  
Waste must be disposed of in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulation.

**Contaminated packaging:**  
Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal

Components	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Spearmint Oil	None	None	None	None



## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### DOT

**UN-No:** UN1197  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Extracts, flavoring, liquid (Spearmint Oil)  
**Hazard Class:** 3  
**Subsidiary Risk:**  
**Packing Group:** III  
**ERG No:** 127  
**Marine Pollutant:** No data available  
**DOT RQ (lbs):** No information available

### Symbol(s):

### TDG (Canada)

**UN-No:** UN1197  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Extracts, flavouring, liquid  
**Hazard Class:** 3  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** III  
**Description:** No information available

### ADR

**UN-No:** UN1197  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Extracts, flavouring, liquid  
**Hazard Class:** 3  
**Packing Group:** III  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Classification Code:** No information available  
**Description:** No information available  
**CEFIC Tremcard No:** No information available

### IMO / IMDG

**UN-No:** UN1197  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Extracts, flavouring, liquid  
**Hazard Class:** 3  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** III  
**Description:** No information available  
**IMDG Page:** No information available  
**Marine Pollutant:** No information available  
**EMS:** F-E  
**MFAG:** No information available  
**Maximum Quantity:** No information available

### RID

**UN-No:** UN1197  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Extracts, flavouring, liquid  
**Hazard Class:** 3  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** III  
**Classification Code:** No information available  
**Description:** No information available

### ICAO

**UN-No:** UN1197  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Extracts, flavouring, liquid

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**Hazard Class:** 3  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** III  
**Description:** No information available

**IATA**

**UN-No:** UN1197  
**Proper Shipping Name:** Extracts, flavouring, liquid  
**Hazard Class:** 3  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** III  
**ERG Code:** 3L  
**Description:** No information available

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION****International Inventories**

Components	U.S. TSCA	KOREA KECL	Philippines (PICCS)	Japan ENCS	CHINA	Australia (AICS)	EINECS-No.
<i>Spearmint Oil</i>	Present	Present KE-27264	Present	Not present	Present	Present	Not present

**U.S. Regulations****California Prop. 65: Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986.****Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Cancer:**

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

**Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Reproductive Toxicity:**

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

Components	Carcinogen	Developmental Toxicity	Male Reproductive Toxicity	Female Reproductive Toxicity:
<i>Spearmint Oil</i>	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

**CERCLA/SARA**

Components	CERCLA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and TPQs	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and RQs	Section 313 - Chemical Category	Section 313 - Reporting <i>de minimis</i>
<i>Spearmint Oil</i>	None	None	None	None	None

**U.S. TSCA**

Components	TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
<i>Spearmint Oil</i>	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

**Canada****WHMIS hazard class:**

B2 Flammable liquid  
D2B Toxic materials

**Canada Controlled Products Regulation:**

This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the CPR (Controlled Products Regulation) and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

**Inventory**

Components	Canada (DSL)	Canada (NDSL)
Spearmint Oil	Present	Not Listed

Components	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject to Mandatory Reporting
Spearmint Oil	Not listed	Not listed

**EU Classification****R-phrase(s)**

R10 - Flammable.

R36/38 - Irritating to eyes and skin.

**S -phrase(s)**

S26 - In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

S37 - Wear suitable gloves.

Components	Classification	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
Spearmint Oil		No information	

The product is classified in accordance with Annex VI to Directive 67/548/EEC

**Indication of danger:**

Xi - Irritant.

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**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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**Disclaimer:**

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