

Product - Specification

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Product / Trading-Name: **Carnauba wax Ph. Eur. 12**

Description: Carnauba wax is the purified wax obtained from the leaves of Copernicia cerifera (Mart.).

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CAS No.: 8015-86-9

EINECS No.: 232-399-4

INCI Name: Copernicia Cerifera Cera

Properties: Pale yellow or yellow powder, flakes or hard masses. Practically insoluble in water, soluble on heating in ethyl acetate and in xylene, practically insoluble in ethanol (96%).

Parameter	Method	Unit	Value
Physical and Chemical Characteristics			
appearance	Ph. Eur.		complies with
melting point	Ph. Eur. [2.2.15]	°C	80 - 88
acid value	Ph. Eur.	mg KOH/g	2 - 7
saponification value	Ph. Eur.	mg KOH/g	78 - 95
total ash	Ph. Eur. [2.4.16]	%	max. 0,25

Storage:

Keep in well closed, well filled containers or under inert gas, protect from light, cool and dry.

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