



NATURAL SOURCING™

Specialists in Cosmeceutical Ingredients

NATURAL SOURCING ANNOUNCES SANGRE DE DRAGO LIQUID RESIN EXTRACT

Anti-inflammatory, antiseptic and cicatrizing

Oxford, CT (August 5, 2014) - Natural Sourcing is pleased to announce the availability of Sangre de Drago Liquid Resin Extract within its growing line of specialty ingredients for use in innovative personal care product formulations.

INCI: Croton Lechleri Resin Extract (suggested)

Extraction: Sap Collection/Incised Trunk

Shelf Life: 2 Years

Country of Origin: Peru

Sangre de Drago Liquid Resin Extract, also known as *Dragon's Blood*, is extracted from medium/large tropical trees that thrive within the Amazonian regions of South America. When the trunk of the tree is cut or wounded, it exudes a dark, red, resinous sap that resembles blood. The curative powers of the thick resin and tree bark are well known by indigenous tribes of Mexico, Peru and Ecuador. They painted the sap onto their skin to help stop bleeding, protect wounds and promote healing. The antiseptic sap dries quickly, forming a seal over wounded skin, preventing infection and allowing the skin to heal. These ethnomedical applications of the sap have been confirmed by both in-vitro and in-vivo studies.

The wound healing capabilities of Sangre De Drago Liquid Resin Extract are attributed to its active constituents: proanthocyanadins (antioxidants), a lignan called dimethylcedrusine, and an alkaloid called taspine. Taspine has been shown to have anti-inflammatory, anti-sarcomic, anti-viral, anti-tumor and cicatrizing properties. Studies have also shown that Sangre de Drago Resin can help contract a wound, form a crust at the wound site, assist in the formation of collagen and regenerate skin cells.

This unique combination of anti-inflammatory, antiseptic and cicatrizing properties make the resin an exceptional ingredient in formulations intended for healing skin abrasions, wounds, burns, eczema and rashes.

Sangre De Drago Liquid Resin Extract Properties:

- Water Soluble
- Deep Reddish-Brown Hue
- Distinctive, Earthy Aroma
- Anti-septic
- Anti-viral
- Rich in Proanthocyanadins (anti-oxidants)
- Outstanding Source of Taspine (Alkaloid)
- High Content of Proanthocyanadins (Anti-oxidants), Taspine (Alkaloid)
- Contracts and Seals Wounds, Promotes Collagen Formation, Assists in Skin Regeneration
- Prevents Infection
- Cicatrizing
- Anti-herpes
- Anti-inflammatory
- Anti-tumor
- Antisarcomic



Sangre De Drago Liquid Resin Extract is Suitable for the Following Personal Care Applications:

- Cracked, Damaged Skin
- Wounds and Burns
- Acne
- Eczema, Psoriasis and Other Skin Conditions
- Insect Bites and Stings
- Cold Sores

About Natural Sourcing, LLC:

Natural Sourcing specializes in the procurement and supply of over 500 natural ingredients for cosmeceutical, spa, massage and aromatherapy applications. Ingredients are carefully selected for their quality and functionality in skin care, hair care and beauty treatments. Natural Sourcing's ingredient lines consist of nutritive specialty ingredients including berry oils, organic beeswax, organic shea butter, pomegranate oil and watermelon seed oil. Additionally, Natural Sourcing offers over 25 categories of natural ingredients.

Natural Sourcing is a member of the Organic Trade Association and has its organic certification through CCOF. Natural Sourcing is dedicated towards becoming an increasingly strong presence in the growing awareness of the importance and benefits of organic skin care.

Natural Sourcing operates a 30,000 square foot facility in Oxford, Connecticut.

Customers and interested parties can learn more about Natural Sourcing or request a brochure and product samples by visiting its Web site or by calling its Customer Care department.

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