

Clary sage Moldavia

Salvia sclarea

ABSOLUTE

ABOUT CLARY SAGE

Clary sage is a tall perennial plant with long, erect, hairy stems topped with very geometric white-pink flower spikes. The velvety, aromatic, gray-green leaves release a pleasant, musky, honeyed smell when crushed. The small, glandular hairs found on the above-ground plant parts are what contain the characteristic fragrant substances. The “green crushed” essential oil is extracted from the fresh botanic material. The above-ground parts are harvested during the blooming period and distilled fresh from the fields. The resulting essential oil exudes a gentle, herbaceous fragrance with a dry amber bottom note reminiscent of tobacco. The tradition-quality essential oil is produced from dried raw material and differs little from the “green crushed” quality.

Salvia comes from the Latin salveo and salvare, terms that mean “save,” and clarus, meaning “clear” or “clarify.” The plant’s medicinal properties have been recognized since ancient times, leading to nicknames like “all good” or “wound grass.” Viewed as a treasure of the gods, the scent of clary sage was known to lead to divine illumination, according to the great sages of India, the Rishis. Probably native to western Asia and southern and central Europe, clary sage is now grown in France, Bulgaria, Hungary, and Russia.



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THE FRAGRANCE

Clary Sage Absolute is ideal for developing a tobacco or chocolate accord. It can give body to a lavender or link spicy notes to a more floral heart.

AROMATIC
Agrestic



1,25 kg
of clary sage aerial
parts

Solvent extractions
 $\eta = 80\%$

1 kg
of absolute



Harvest calendar

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Traceability

Country

Region

Cultivation plot

OLFACTORY PROFIL

Aromatic, agrestic, tobacco-like,
tealike, ambery.

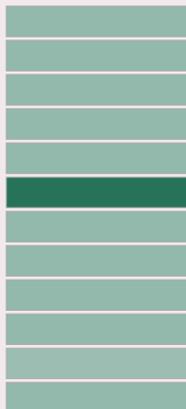
Head

Heart

Base

TENACITY

1 hour
2 hours
3 hours
6 hours
1 day
2 days
3 days
4 days
1 week
2 weeks
3 weeks
1 month



* Tenacity of characteristic notes

GLOBAL DATA

CAS TSCA: 8016-63-5

CAS EINECS: 84775-83-7

EINECS : 283-911-8

FEMA: 2321

FDA: 182.200

CoE: 415n

INCI: Salvia sclarea extract

Resource: Cultivated

Processed plant part: Aerial parts

Transformation process: Ethanolic extraction
of the concrete

Appearance: Greenish brown solid

Main constituents: Sclareol, linalyl acetate,
linalool



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