

QUICK REFERENCE SHEET

ROSEHIP

Rosa canina



Infused in:
Almond Oil



Extraction Method:
Cold Pressed



Part Utilized:
Fruit



CONSISTENCY:

medium weight, light orange color

AROMATIC CONSIDERATIONS:

light aroma

APPLICATION:

Rosehip Carrier Oil can be used all by itself, 100%.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

The main properties sought for when using Rosehip Oil are vitamins A and C and anti-oxidants. These two vitamins are cytophylactic, meaning that they aid cell regeneration and the sloughing off of old dead cells and cellular waste products. These properties make Rosehip Oil an excellent choice for anti-aging and for the treatment of damaged skin cells including burns and scars. The combination of anti-oxidants and vitamin C brightens the skin and reduces or removes skin discoloration. The anti-oxidants found in Rosehip Oil also make it a natural anti-inflammatory. Rosehip Oil is excellent for dry, chapped lips.

WHAT IS A CARRIER OIL:

Carrier or base oils are often applied in conjunction with an essential oil. The common industry term for carrier oils is fixed oils. These oils are made from vegetables, nuts, seeds, and flowers. They are considered by many to have therapeutic properties of their own.

Carrier oils are used for several different reasons. One major reason is that pure essential oils are often too concentrated to be applied undiluted to the skin. Adding essential oils to a carrier oil also allows the oil to be spread over a larger application area and to be absorbed more evenly. Many essential oils are quite expensive, and because they are so highly concentrated, one or two drops may be all that you need. The use of a smaller quantity of essential oil is often more beneficial than a larger quantity and is certainly less likely to cause any type of reaction.