



# ALCOHOL FREE WITCH HAZEL DISTILLATES

*The power of the Witch Hazel plant without alcohol*

## Available with various preservatives and preservative systems

INCI: Hammamelis Virginiana (Witch Hazel) Water  
Extraction Method: Distillation  
Shelf Life: > 3 Years  
Country of Origin: USA  
REACH Status: Exempt

## Description:

Alcohol Free Witch Hazel Distillates (or Witch Hazel extracts) are clear, colorless botanical extracts prepared from the recently cut and partially dried, dormant twigs of the *Hammamelis virginiana* Linné plant. These distillates offer a variety of benefits for skin and personal care applications in both cosmetic and pharmaceutical products.

Alcohol Free Distillates are particularly advantageous for applications that require the soothing natural astringent properties of Witch Hazel, but where the use of alcohol is not appropriate. Such formulations may include those with constraints in:

- Processing parameters – high surfactant, multi-phase, or high temperature products
- Product performance – foaming products, body washes, mousses, creams
- Marketing claims – alcohol free, “sting free,” and sensitive skin formulations

The most popular uses are for products where irritation or skin feel is of primary concern. Many customers specify distillates for treatment products including, anti-irritant products for sun care, wound care, children’s “sting free” products and other products where skin sensitization is an issue.

## Applications:

- Sensitive Skin Formulations – Eye Creams/Gels/Serums, Shaving Creams
- Alcohol Free Formulations – Toners, Cleansers
- Treatment Products – Wound care, Sun care, Eye care



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## APPLICATIONS

### Skin Care

Toners / Clarifying Lotions  
Pre-moistened Cleansing Pads  
Towelettes  
Facial Cleaning Products  
Moisturizing Creams & Lotions  
Vanishing & Night Creams  
Facial Masks  
AHA/BHA Anti-wrinkle Products  
Eye Creams

### Hair Care

Conditioning/Moisturizing Shampoos  
After Shampoo Conditioners  
Spray-On Conditioners  
Hair Sprays  
Hair Gels  
Hair Mousses  
Hair Rinses

### Body Care

Bath Splashes  
Conditioning Bath Gels  
Foaming Skin Cleansers  
Soaps  
Hand Lotions & Creams  
Shaving Creams  
Suntan Lotions  
Depilatories  
Skin Refreshers  
Soothing Foot Soaks

### Men’s Personal Care

After-Shave Lotions & Gels  
Clear Gel Hair Grooming Products  
Pre-Electric Shaving Lotions  
Deodorant Roll-Ons  
Hair Tonics

### Pharmaceutical

Hemorrhoidal Products  
Acne Care Products  
Antiperspirant Sprays & Creams  
Analgesic Creams, Lotions & Gels  
Psoriasis Creams  
Insect Bite Relief Products  
Topical Antibacterials  
Pads/Suppositories/Ointments  
Antiperspirant Foot Sprays  
Sun-Blocks (Sun-Screens)  
Germicidal Skin Cleansers  
Skin Protectants  
Personal Cleansing Pads

### Other Uses

Mouthwashes  
Toothpastes & Toothgels  
Rash Treatments

### Veterinary

Hot Spots  
Saddle/Blanket Sores  
Cleans and Soothes Sore Ears  
Soothes Sore Muscles

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### Features:

- High batch to batch consistency
- Sustainably harvested according to NOP wild crop regulations
- Dermatologist tested, hypoallergenic, non-comedogenic
- No animal testing, non-GMO, gluten free

### Functions / Benefits:

- Minimal skin sensitization
- High performance natural astringent
- Highly soluble base – compatible with most formulations
- Highly stable

### Skin Care:

- Removes excess oil (sebum)
- Controls oil production
- Reduces skin blemishes
- Cleanses and conditions skin
- Tones and tightens pores
- Soothes irritation

### Personal Care:

- Relieves irritation and discomfort
- Soothes, refreshes and cools

### Recommended Levels:

- Cosmetic: Greater than 20%

### Standard Packaging:

- Gallon, 5 Gallons, 55 Gallons and 275 Gallons

### Various preservatives and systems available including:

- Phenoxyethanol
- Methylparaben
- Benzoic Acid
- Sodium Benzoate

*Custom formulations available upon request.*



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