

### HAZELNUT OIL

### Also Available: Organic Hazelnut Oil

Suitable for beauty and personal care applications.

INCI: Corylus Avellana (Hazel) Seed Oil Extraction Method: Expeller Pressed Processing Method: Refined Shelf Life: 1-2 Years Origin: Italy

### **Background:**

Praan Naturals Hazelnut Oil is pressed from the nuts of the common hazel, *Corylus avellana*, a large shrub that belongs to the Betulaceae plant family. Native to Europe, the common hazel produces clusters of nuts that are highly prized for their delicious flavor and the nutritive oil they contain. The nuts are most typically known as hazelnuts. They are sometimes also referred to as cobnuts or filberts, but these terms are also used for similar, but not identical species. Hazelnut Oil is widely used in culinary applications, and it is becoming much more widely sought after for its numerous benefits within cosmetic and wellness applications.

After production, Praan Naturals Hazelnut Oil is carefully refined, packaged and stored to maintain the purity, freshness and beneficial properties of this premium quality expeller pressed oil.

### **Ethical and Sustainable Sourcing:**

Hazelnut Oil is a conscientious alternative to vegetable oils derived from plant species that are threatened or endangered.

Hazelnuts harvested from Corylus avellana are classified as a stable species of least concern by The IUCN Red List of Threatened Species (International Union for Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources).

Recommended Usage: 1-100%

Standard Packaging: Available in drums.

# **Ethically Sourced Ingredients**









#### **Uses:**

Praan Naturals Hazelnut Oil is a virtually colorless, light, non-greasy oil that penetrates rapidly into dry, thirsty skin. Similar in composition to Sweet Almond Oil, it is a primarily monounsaturated, versatile oil that helps to moisturize, soothe and protect the skin, leaving it feeling nourished and looking more youthful. It is well suited for all skin types including sensitive, parched, dry, itchy, mature and problem skin. Within scalp and hair care applications, Hazelnut Oil helps to condition the scalp and restore vitality and shine to the hair.

### **Properties:**

- Translucent Pale Yellow Hue
- Mild Characteristic Aroma
- Medium Viscosity
- Rapid Absorption and Excellent Penetration
- Primarily Monounsaturated in Composition
- Comprised Primarily of Approximately 80% Omega-9 Fatty Acids as C18:1 Oleic Acid and 10% Omega-6 Essential Fatty Acids as C18:2 Linolenic Acid
- See Spec Sheet for Fatty Acid Composition

## Hazelnut Oil is Well Suited for the Following Personal Care Applications:

- Skin Care
- Hair Care
- Nail Care
- Cosmetics
- Aromatherapy

For more information on Praan Naturals premium quality Hazelnut Oil and other certified organic and conventional vegetable oils, visit PRAANnaturals.com or call our Customer Care department at (800) 340-0080 or (203) 702-2500.

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