



**YAKIMA CHIEF HOPS®**



# CO<sub>2</sub> HOP EXTRACT

## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

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### DESCRIPTION

CO<sub>2</sub> hop extract products are produced from soft, hop pellets by supercritical CO<sub>2</sub> extraction. CO<sub>2</sub> hop extract is the pure resin extract of hops containing alpha acids, beta acids, and hop oils, and is designed to deliver clean bitterness and hop aroma in the kettle boil. CO<sub>2</sub> hop extract typically contains 45-65% alpha acid, 15-35% beta acid and 5-15% oil. CO<sub>2</sub> hop extract can be produced from any hop variety but is typically available in several high alpha varieties. Informational summaries for these hop varieties are available at [yakimachief.com](http://yakimachief.com).

### PACKAGING & STORAGE

Standard packaging is available in 55-gallon steel drums, or in 0.5 kg, 1 kg, 2 kg, 3 kg and 4 kg tins containing 200 g to 2.4 kg alpha acids. Uniformity of CO<sub>2</sub> hop extract can be achieved with lot sizes up to 10,000 kg. The inner coating of metal tins and drums are approved by the FDA for use with food products and meet the requirements of Food Additive Regulation 21 CFR 175.300. Tins are marked with 16-9000 food grade ink. CO<sub>2</sub> hop extract may be stored at room temperature, preferably between 41°F and 77°F (5°C and 25°C) or in cold storage conditions, preferably between 30°F and 41°F (-1°C and 5°C). CO<sub>2</sub> hop extract will remain stable in closed containers for three (3) years when stored at room temperature and five (5) years when stored in cold storage.

### APPLICATION AND USAGE

CO<sub>2</sub> hop extract is primarily used as a kettle hop ingredient to provide clean bitterness and hop character to beer. It also improves physical stability and contributes to consistency. Traditionally, kettle hopping with extract will also lead to improved trub formation and improved antimicrobial and anti-foaming properties. Add CO<sub>2</sub> hop extract in wort early during kettle boil for bitterness and late during kettle boil for aroma. Based on quantity required, CO<sub>2</sub> hop extract packaged in custom tins can be directly flushed with hot wort in the brew kettle or in specific by-pass dosing systems or heated to 122°F - 140°F (50°C - 60°C) and poured directly into the kettle. Heating temperature and time may depend on variety. Addition rates depend on the alpha concentration of the extract.

### USE RATE CALCULATIONS

Addition during early kettle boil to achieve average bitterness in high gravity wort/beer will typically lead to the isomerisation of 35% (by HPLC) of the iso-alpha acids in the finished beer. Addition rate is thus calculated as follows: **kg product = IBU / 35 x hl / Alpha%**  
Where: IBU = international bitterness unit desired, hl = is hector liters of finished beer (1 barrel = 1.173 hectoliter), Alpha % = equals alpha %w/w content from CofA as a whole number. Use rates may vary depending on the brewing process and the desired hopping level.

### AROMA

The aroma of the CO<sub>2</sub> hop extract is variety specific. Perception of hoppy character and various related notes in beer are also variety specific in some instances and will depend on the quantity of extract added and the time of addition during kettle boil. CO<sub>2</sub> hop extract is primarily utilized in bittering applications with high alpha varieties so aroma is limited.



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	METHOD	TYPICAL ANALYSIS
<b>Identification</b>	UV absorption curve is similar to that of reference standard	
<b>Alpha Acids Assay*</b>	UV Spectro. by ASBC HOPS-6A, HPLC - EBC 7.7 or ASBC HOPS-14 (ICE-3 Std.)	45 - 65% (w/w)
<b>Beta Acids Assay*</b>	UV Spectro. by ASBC HOPS-6A, HPLC - EBC 7.7 or ASBC HOPS-14 (ICE-3 Std.)	15 - 35% (w/w)
<b>% Oils By Distillation*</b>	EBC 7.10 or ASBC HOPS-13	5 - 15% (w/w)
<b>Lead</b>		< 1.0 ppm
<b>Arsenic</b>		< 0.5 ppm
<b>Cadmium</b>		< 0.03 ppm
<b>Total Heavy Metals (as Pb eq.)</b>		< 10 ppm
<b>Pesticides</b>	Comply with US Regulations & EC Directive 396/2005 Amendments	

\* NOTE: Concentration dependent upon variety of hops and crop year



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## SAFETY DATA SHEET

### 1. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product Name	CO2 Hop Extract (Pure Resin CO2 Hop Extract, Kettle Extract, Liquid CO2 Extract, Supercritical CO2 Extract, Pure Resin Extract, Standardized Extract) Made from Hop Pellets
1.2 Supplier	Yakima Chief Hops, Inc. 306 Division St. Yakima, WA 98902 (USA) Phone: 1.509.453.4792 Email: Quality@Yakimachief.com Website: Yakimachief.com
1.3 Recommended Use	Ingredient used in brewing beer.
1.4 Restrictions on Use	None

### 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Hazard Classification	Not Applicable Product is natural, unrefined and contains no additives.
2.2 Label Elements	Not Applicable
2.3 Other Hazards	Prolonged skin contact could cause dermatitis in some individuals.

### 3. COMPOSITION, INGREDIENT INFORMATION

3.1 Composition	A slightly acidic solid or resinous phase; concentrate of alpha acids, beta acids, oils and uncharacterized resins produced by CO2 extraction.
3.2 Hazard Components	Not Applicable Product is natural, unrefined and contains no additives.

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Oral Ingestion	Not Applicable
4.2 Eye Contact	Wash with copious amounts of water. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.
4.3 Skin Contact	Wash with warm, soapy water. Seek medical attention if irritation persists. Launder contaminated clothing before reuse.
4.4 Inhalation	Remove affected person to fresh air. Administer oxygen if necessary.
4.5 Symptoms	None Known

#### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing Media	Dry Powder, Foam, Water, CO2
5.2 Hazards from Fire	None Known

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Procedure	Scoop/shovel spilled material into recovery container. Flush area with hot soapy water to remove final traces.
6.2 Protective Equipment	Use adequate ventilation or a respirator if in a confined area. Use rubber gloves. Wear Safety Glasses.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Handling Equipment	Closed Container of Food Grade Quality Stainless Steel, Lacquered Steel or PET
7.2 Precautions	Avoid prolonged skin contact. Use personal protective equipment (Section 8)
7.3 Storage Conditions	Store at room temperature or at a temperature range of -3°C to 5°C (25°F to 41°F).

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Permissible Exposure Limits (PELs)	Not Applicable
8.2 Threshold Limit Values (TLVs)	Not Applicable
8.3 Engineering Controls	Provide adequate ventilation
8.4 Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)	Skin Protection: wear rubber gloves if prolonged exposure Eye Protection: wear safety glasses

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Appearance & Odor	Yellow, green or brown resin concentrate with a pungent odor.
9.2 Odor	Typical hoppy, depends on variety
9.3 Odor Threshold	No data available
9.4 pH	4 - 6
9.5 Melting Point	40 – 60° (104 – 140°F), depending on variety
9.6 Boiling Point	> 100°C
9.7 Flash Point	> 100°C
9.8 Evaporation Rate	< 1
9.9 Flammability	No data available
9.10 Upper/Lower Flammability	No data available
9.11 Vapor Pressure	No data available
9.12 Vapor Density	No data available
9.13 Density	0.85 – 1.10
9.14 Solubility in Water	Insoluble
9.15 Partition coefficient	No data available
9.16 Auto-ignition Temperature	No data available
9.17 Decomposition Temperature	No data available
9.18 Viscosity	No data available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity	Product is sensitive to oxidation in open containers, and/or under excessive temperatures
10.2 Stability	Product is stable under appropriate storage conditions, in closed containers and/or under inert atmosphere. (Section 7.3)
10.3 Possibility of Hazardous Reactions	None known
10.4 Conditions to Avoid	See Section 7.3
10.5 Incompatible Materials	None Known
10.6 Hazardous Decomposition Products	None Known

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Acute Toxicity	None Known. Product is "Generally Recognized As Safe" (GRAS 21 CFR 182.20)
11.2 Routes of Exposure	Inhalation: No data available Ingestion: No data available Skin contact: No data available Eye contact: No data available
11.3 National Toxicology Program	Not listed on Report of Carcinogens

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity	No data available
12.2 Potential for Persistence and Degradation	No data available. Product is all natural and biodegradable.
12.3 Bioaccumulation	No data available. Product is all natural.
12.4 Mobility in Soil	No data available
12.5 Other effects	No data available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Product Disposal	According to regulations in force.
13.2 Packaging Disposal	According to regulations in force; for paper/cardboard, steel and PET.

## 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

14.1 UN Number	Non-hazardous product
14.2 Shipping Name	CO2 Hop Extract
14.3 Hazard Class	Non-hazardous product
14.4 Packing Group	Non-hazardous product
14.5 Environmental Hazards	Non-hazardous product
14.6 Other	Product is not classified as ADR and should not be transported along with ADR classified Cargo. Product should be stored away from engines or any heat source during transportation.

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 Regulations	Food Safe Heavy Metals, Pesticides/Herbicides/Fungicides, Nitrates, Radioactivity: Below tolerance levels. Allergenic-Free Non-GMO Traceable
15.2 REACH	Not Applicable (No EINECS Ref.)

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

16.1 Issue Date	2015-05May-26
16.2 Revision Date	2021-02Feb-11
16.3 Other	