

# Lemon Cold Pressed California

Citrus limon



Lemon Cold Pressed California is obtained by cold pressing the peel of the *Citrus limon* fruit. This essential oil is commonly sourced from Central Valley and Southern regions of California.

## Olfactive profile

Fresh, tangy, and citrusy

#### **Appearance**

Pale to deep yellow or greenish-yellow

## **Botany**

Citrus limon is a perennial tree or shrub that belongs to the Rutaceae family and grows between 3-6 meters (10-20 feet) in height. It has dark green ovoid-shaped leaves and flowers that are white to pale pink. The fruit is yellow with a smooth, thin to medium-thick peel.

#### **Ethnobotany**

Lemons have been used for centuries across multiple regions including Southern Asia, Europe, the Middle East, and the Americas. They were primarily utilized for traditional medicine and culinary purposes.

# **Uses/Application**

Lemon Cold Pressed California is used in flavor, aromatherapy, pharmaceuticals, and cosmetics.<sup>[1,2]</sup>

#### **Technical information**

CAS	8008-56-8
INCI	CITRUS MEDICA LIMONUM (LEMON) PEEL OIL
FEMA	2625
EC no.	284-515-8
Botanical name	Citrus limon
Botanical family	Rutaceae
Accepted synonyms	Citrus medica limonum
Common names	Lemon Peel, Lemon
Origin	USA
Cultivation method	Plantation
Harvest period	July to September
Plant part used	Peel
Method of extraction	Cold pressing

Main components	Limonene, alpha-Pinene, beta-Pinene, gamma-Terpinene, beta-Myrcene, Sabinene, Citral <sup>[4]</sup>
Refractive index at 20°C (FCC)	1.473 - 1.476
Specific gravity at 25°C (FCC)	0.849 - 0.855

# **Certifications of analysis**

SDS	GMO-Free
Food Grade	Allergen
Natural Statement	Prop 65
Origin Statement	

## **Certifications and declarations**





