

# Organoleptic Characteristics of Flavor Materials

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### Dairy Enhancer V01342 (1.0 percent) (Vanillyl Ethyl Ether)

Source: Oxford Chemicals

FEMA# 3815, CAS# 13184086-6, Nature identical

Natural occurrence: Cognac, rum, scotch whiskey and vanilla.

Odor: @ 1.0 percent. Weak meaty, sulfurollike, slight nutty thiazole-like, cooked milky with condensed milk and caramel notes and hints of melted drawn butter.

Taste: @ 5-10 PPM. Egg, milk, cheeses, meat, caramel, butterscotch, milk chocolate, cream and condensed milk.

➤ Charkit; tel: 203-655-3400; www.charkit.com

### **Ginger Oil**

Source: Phurua via Artiste Natural

### **Correction**

In the March/April article "Chemical Sources Association Tastings" (pages 40-44), the products ethyl benzyl butyrate and sodium 2-(4-methoxy phenoxy) propionate are offered by Tasteful Solutions. We neglected to include the contact information for the company. *Tasteful Solutions; tel:* 570-629-0479; e-mail: cschmidt@pnpa.net. We regret the error.

Odor: @ 1.0 percent. Spicy, warm, woody clean ginger-like with a slight aldehydic citrus nuance.

*Taste:* @ from 5-10 PPM. Spicy woody, warm, terpy citrus, very clean refreshing rooty ginger with a slight bite.

Possible applications: Ginger ale beverages, seasonings, alcoholic bite notes, baked goods and marinades.

➤ Artiste Flavor/Essence; tel: 201-244-0403; www.artisteflavoressence.com

### **IsoButyl Phenyl Acetate**

Source: Advanced Biotech

FEMA# 2210, CAS# 102-13-6, Natural

Natural occurrence: Cocoa.

Odor: @ 1.0 percent. Sweet, floral, concentrated honey-like, slightly powdery, waxy, spicy and fruity with cocoa undertones.

Taste: @ 5 PPM. Sweet fruity, cocoa, honey, spicy with a woody nuance.

Possible applications: Raisin, cocoa and chocolate, honey flavors.

➤ Advanced Biotech; tel: 973-357-0577; www.adv-bio.com

#### **Meat Key**

Source: Natural Advantage

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Odor: @ 1.0 percent. Metallic, sulfurous, roasted savory, brown meaty beef-like.

Taste: @ 5 PPM. Savory, metallic, vegetative celery and

onion/garlic-like with a sulfurol-like brothy nuance. *Possible applications:* Meat, savory sauces and gravies.

➤ Natural Advantage; tel: 732-274-9683; www.natural-advantage.net

### **Oak Extract 16X American**

Source: Moore Ingredients

FEMA# 2794, CAS# 68917-11-3, Natural

Odor: @ 100 percent. Dry woody and casky, smoky phenolic with a winey and whiskey/rummy finish.

Taste: @ 0.05 percent. Dry woody oak, phenolic smoky with a slightly burnt edge, winey tannic and astringent.

Possible applications: Aging alcoholic beverages, bacon, ham and smoke flavors, vanilla blenders.

➤ Moore Ingredients; tel: 513-881-7144; www.moorelab.com

### **Onion Oil Extender**

Source: Oxford Chemicals Nature identical

Odor: @ 1.0 percent. Fresh alliaceous onion, metallic, sulfurous, with a chive nuance.

Taste: @ 0.5 PPM. Sweet alliaceous, green onion and chive-like, sulfurous. Possible applications: Onion, garlic, chive, scallion and spice blends and savory nuances.

➤ Charkit; tel: 203-655-3400; www.charkit.com

## Phenyl Acetaldehyde 50 percent in Phenyl Ethyl Alcohol

 $Source: Oxford\ Chemicals$ 

FEMA# 2874, CAS# 122-78-1, Natural identical *Natural occurrence:* Apple, asparagus, cabbage, cocoa,

elderberry, roasted peanut, rose, Swiss cheese, tea, Virginia tobacco, wheat bread and wine.

Odor: @ 1.0 percent. High impact rose floral, vegetative tomato, green viney with a yeasty background.

*Taste*: @ 1.0 PPM. Sweet rose floral, honey with an animalic nuance.

Possible applications: Honey, rose, chocolate, berries, yeast and bread flavors, roasted nuances.

➤ Charkit; tel: 203-655-3400; www.charkit.com

### **Propyl Butyrate**

Source: Fleurchem FEMA# 2934, CAS# 105-66-8, Nature identical Natural occurrence: Apple, banana, kiwi, melon, papaya, passion fruit, rum and straw-

berry.

Odor: @ 1.0 percent. Sweet fruity, green tropical pineapple lift with a slightly creamy sour background. Tutti frutti bubblegum-like notes.

*Taste:* @ 20 PPM. Sweet estry, fruity pineapple, juicy fruit, tutti frutti, green, bubblegum-like with a creamy waxy nuance.

Possible applications: Pineapple, mango, kiwi, apple, bubblegum, banana, grape, honey, juicy fruit notes, melon, strawberry, cherry, grape and plum.

➤ Fleurchem; tel: 845-341-2100; www.fleurchem.com

### **Pyridine Mixture #89**

Source: Advanced Biotech

Natural

Odor: @ 5 percent. Slightly nutty, roasted, savory burnt rubber notes, sweet maltone-like.

Taste: @ 25 PPM. Savory beef, roasted, fried fatty, pan drippings with a bready maltone nuance.

Possible applications: Bread, savory notes for beef and pork, nut nuances.

➤ Advanced Biotech; tel: 973-357-0577; www.adv-bio.com

### **Red Raspberry Seed Distillate**

Source: Moore Ingredients

Natural

Odor: @ 100 percent. Fruity, juicy raspberry, woody, orris and ionone-like, cooked fruity berry, slightly musky red licorice-like, with hay and tea nuances.

Taste: @ 0.05-0.10 percent. Sweet slightly cooked raspberry seedy and fruity, orris and ionone-like with a dry woody finish.

Possible applications: Raspberry, strawberry, melon, tea, cucumber, blackberry and red licorice.

➤ Moore Ingredients; tel: 513-881-7144; www.moorelab.com

#### **Rice Malt Distillate**

Source: Moore Ingredients

Natural

Odor: @ 100 percent. Sweet, brown, cooked grain malt, beer wort with a sweet honey and molasses background.

Taste: @ 0.1 percent. Sweet cooked brown, honey and grain malt, beer wort with a vegetative nuance.

Possible applications: Malt, beer, chocolate, molasses and bread flavors.

➤ Moore Ingredients; tel: 513-881-7144; www.moorelab.com

#### **Rum Ether**

Source: Bell Flavors

Natural

Odor: @ 100 percent. Etherial, impacting, estry, slightly fruity apple, banana and grape with a fusel note.

Taste: @ 50 PPM: Estry, rumy, fruity grape and apple-

Possible applications: Apple, grape, rum, cognac, wine top notes.

➤Bell Flavors; tel: 847-291-8300; www.bellff.com

### Whiskey Extract (48 percent alcohol by volume)

Source: Robertet

Natural

Odor: @ 100 percent. Alcoholic, whiskey, strongly fusel oil, wine lees and bready with a slightly soapy casky nuance of smoky vanilla.

*Taste*: @ 20 PPM. Mellow whiskey, fusel oil, dry oak, alcoholic, smoky vanilla and bread-like.

Possible applications: Rum, whiskey blenders, cognac, eggnog, yeasty bread notes, amaretto, brandy, vanilla and dark chocolate.

➤ **Robertet**; *tel*: 732-981-8300; *www.robertet.com*