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**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET FOR**  
**St Johns Wort Oil**  
*Hypericum Perforatum Product Reference T585*

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**1. CHEMICAL COMPOSITION: INCLUDING HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS:**

This is a macerated oil, infused from St Johns Wort flowers in olive oil. The glyceride contains 76% Linoleic Acid.

The oil is non hazardous but is labelled according to regulation 96/54/EC.

**2. HAZARDOUS IDENTIFICATION: This product is not hazardous**

**3. FIRST AID PROCEDURES:**

Skin Contact: Wash off with soap and water.  
Eye Contact: Rinse with sterile water.  
Inhalation: Oil is non volatile.  
Ingestion: If swallowed do not induce vomiting, seek medical advice.

**4. FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:**

Suitable Extinguishers: Normal extinguishers can be used (CO<sub>2</sub>, powders, foams, halogens).  
Unsuitable Extinguishers: Direct water jet.  
Fire Hazard: Products of combustion – Oxides of Carbon, burning fumes are acrid.

**5. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE PROCEDURES:**

Safety Clothing: Wear clothing suitable for an emergency.  
Environmental Precautions: Contain the leak with earth or sand. Prevent from entering drains and sewers; if this cannot be done advise the local authority.  
Clean Up Procedure: Absorb spillage onto sand or earth. Transfer to a suitable container for disposal.

**6. HANDLING & STORAGE PROCEDURES:**

Handling: Avoid spillage and eye contact (gloves and goggles recommended).  
Ventilation: Good general ventilation required.  
Storage Conditions: Store at ambient temperature in a dark container. Store away from oxidizing substances e.g. Bleach. Store in full containers; Stainless Steel for bulk or glass for small quantities.

**7. EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION:**

Respiratory: Use only in well ventilated areas. Use protection in poor ventilation.  
Hand Protection: Wear gloves.  
Eye Protection: Wear goggles  
Skin Protection: Wear suitable protection clothing

#### 8. PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

Appearance: Mobile Liquid.  
Odour: Typical fatty oil  
Colour: Pale Straw.  
Solubility: a. Solvent – Soluble  
              b. Alcohol – Slightly soluble  
              c. Water – Insoluble

Specific Gravity: **25°C 0.909 – 0.915.**

#### 9. REACTIVITY & STABILITY:

The oil is stable under normal storage conditions. After opening, the oil is prone to air oxidation and may start to deteriorate after six months.

Synergistic Reaction: None.  
Materials to avoid: Oxidizing agents.  
Polymerisation Hazard: None.

#### 10. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

##### *Hazardous Effects*

Inhalation: None  
Skin Contact: None.  
Eye Contact: None.  
Ingestion: None.

#### 11. ECOLOGICAL DATA

This product is not known to be harmful to the environment.

#### 12. DISPOSAL METHODS:

Recover the product where possible or bury in authorised landfill sites according to local authority regulations.

#### 13. TRANSPORT REGULATIONS:

Road: Not required  
Rail: Not required  
Air: Not required

#### 14. REGULATORY INFORMATION:

Labels for Conveyance: Xn. R10. R10  
Labels for Supply: Xn. R10. R22. R65. S62.

#### 15. FURTHER INFORMATION:

**Whilst Absolute Aromas Ltd give the above advice in good faith, it is not intended to be a substitute for customers own testing to ascertain good safety procedures.**

**These regulations were designed for handling bulk products and to readily identify Toxic & Safety Data.**

**Safety information is under continuous review.**