



HAITI / HONDURAS ESSENTIAL OIL UPDATE
MAY – 2013

HAITI

Click the following headlines/links to read the articles.

- [Haiti Hotelier: Aristide Develops Political Party](#) (May 05)
- [Haiti's Ex-President Aristide Breaks Silence](#) (May 09)
- [Haitian Cholera Victims Threaten United Nations With Lawsuit](#) (May 12)
- [As Renewed Haiti Cholera Crisis Looms, UN Blamed For Inadequate Effort](#) (May 23)

VETYVER OIL: The local and export prices for this oil have been relatively steady for over a year. Meanwhile, all costs have risen – labor (including harvesting costs), fuel, transportation, cost of maintenance of distilleries, etc. Even the farmers who cultivate and harvest the Vetyver roots have had increased costs and have looked for alternate crops such as corn. Production of Vetyver Oil has just about maintained itself up to the levels of export demand. The supply of root material has decreased, causing an inevitable rise in root prices. The export price for the oil has suddenly and sharply increased, as export demand has steadily continued. We have stock and invite your inquiries.

AMYRIS OIL: Export demand and production for this oil has remained steady. Cost of the raw material for distillation has increased sharply. World demand for this oil continues to be steady. Stocks in the hands of producers/exporters are limited. We have stock and invite your inquiries.

Our oils are all natural, pure – as distilled – NOT assembled/manipulated/adjusted.

HONDURAS

CARDAMOM OIL: We are supplying as we produce against firm orders. No carry-over inventory available at this time. For this oil, we solicit your inquiries.

STYRAX GUM AND OIL: Export demand has been calm. Prices have remained steady as they cannot be lowered. Any lower prices would cause a breakdown in the crude gum supply from the forest. We have some stocks from which we can offer the purified gum. We will produce the oil 645P as ordered. Your inquiries for both the Purified Gum and the Oil are invited.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Michael & Bernard Champon
Haiti Essential Oil Co., SA