Wardehs Castile Soap

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Liquids

Water

For the size of fat batch that you are using, we recommend that you use approximately 14 to 21 fluid ounces of liquid.

WARNING: Always add your solid form lye, sodium hydroxide or potassium hydroxide, to the liquid. If the liquid were added to the solid form lye a violent reaction could result. This means you could have a "volcano" erupt out of your container.

Fats & Oils

| Fat | Amount (oz wt) | |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------|
| Castor Oil | 2 | 3.58 |
| Coconut Oil | 26 | 46.59 |
| Olive Oil | 26 | 46.59 |
| Stearic Acid | 1.8 | 3.23 |
| Total Weight | 55-8 | |

Lye Table (NaOH)

| % excess fat | Lye Amount (oz wt) |
|--------------------|--------------------------|
| 0 | 8.83 |
| 1 | 8.74 |
| 2 | 8.65 |
| 3 | 8.56 |
| 4 | 8.47 |
| 5 | 8.38 |
| 6 | 8.30 |
| 7 | 8.21 |
| 8 | 8.12 |
| 9 | 8.03 |
| 10 | 7.94 |

0% to 4% excess fat range: Proceed with caution! We do not recommend this unless actual saponification values are known and used.

5% to 8% excess fat range: This is the range we use most often.

9% to 10% excess fat range: Creates a softer soap because of the amount of excess fat.

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Always wear protective goggles, gloves and other safety clothing when handling sodium hydroxide or potassium hydroxide. Refer to the appropriate MSDS for complete details.

Notes

None