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## Cedar Oil (for clearing microscopic sections)

CAS RN<sup>®</sup>: 8000-27-9.—A selected, distilled oil from the wood of the red cedar, *Juniperus virginiana* Linné (Fam. Pinaceae), should be used for this purpose. Refractive index: about 1.504 at 20°. For use with homogeneous immersion lenses, a specially prepared oil having a refractive index of 1.5150 ± 0.0002 at 20° is required.

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