

Vegetal

Olea Butter

Olive Unsaponifiable Butter - concentrated olive unsaponifiables

Preservative Free

100% vegetable origin



Approved by **ECOCERT** for use in cosmetics certified according to ecological and organic standards

INCI Olea Europaea (Olive) Oil Unsaponifiables (and) Olea Europaea (Olive) Fruit Oil

The beneficial effects of Olive Oil have been known for many centuries. In addition to nutritive benefits, more and more interest is being focussed on Olive Oil for cosmetic applications.

A major factor which makes Olive Oil of such value is the presence of an unsaponifiable fraction representing 0.4 – 0.8% of its composition. This fraction naturally contains natural olive waxes, olive squalene (a major constituent of the human sebum), phytosterols and tocopherols – these elements play an important role in healthy skin and hair.

Vegetal Olea Butter is a balanced combination of olive unsaponifiables and pure olive oil which gives a soft butter like consistency.

Vegetal Olea Butter spreads easily and imparts a soft, smooth texture to the skin. Being rich in olive unsaponifiables (> 50%) provides an excellent active ingredient in many skin and hair care areas. In cosmetic formulations, **Vegetal Olea Butter** can be incorporated as an active ingredient in the oil phase. Due to its composition it participates actively in regenerating, restructuring and revitalising the skin.

Cosmetic attributes of *Vegetal* Olea Butter

- 100% vegetable origin
- natural emollient which gives a smooth and soft after skin feel
- excellent skin slip
- penetrates easily into the epidermis
- helps to stabilise emulsions and to adjust viscosity

Suggested cosmetic applications of *Vegetal* Olea Butter

Suggested level of use: 2-10%

- skincare products, suitable for dry, wrinkled skin and it can also protect the lips against chapping. Such formulation examples include creams, lotions, balms and butters
- hair care products because olive butter gives brightness and shine to dry hair . Such examples include conditioners, treatments, creams etc.....,
- hand care , with the factor that olive butter helps to: strength nails against breaking, suitable formulations

include hand and nail creams and lotions

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Main Characteristics

Appearance, 20°C	Soft , ivory to pale yellow solid
Odor	Feint, characteristic
Melting point, °C	65 max
Iodine value	180 max
Saponification value	90 - 110
Acid value	2,0 max.
Unsaponifiables,%	50 min.

Standard Packaging

White plastic pails , 25 kg net

Storage

Store in a cool dry place in original unopened containers

Shelf Life

12 months in original unopened packaging

Safety

Refer to MSDS. Not considered hazardous