

Technical Information

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Emulsifier O/W / Solubilizer

INCI name(s)

Polysorbate 20

Chemical description

Sorbitan monolaurate with approx. 20 moles EO

Physical form:

Clear, light yellow to brownish-yellowish liquid with a faint odor

CASR-No. Ingredient Remark

9005-64-5 Lauric acid, monoester with sorbitan, ethoxylated

Storage information

Shelf life

18 months

Storage temperature

< + 30 °C

Storage conditions

In original sealed containers and protected from moisture

Additional information

During storage some haziness may occur which is reversible through heating to 40 °C and stirring.



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Stabilising additives / Auxiliaries

Preservatives

not present

Antioxidants

not present

Solvents

not present

Others

not present

General information

Raw material basis

Vegetable: (coconut / palm kernel oil, sorbitol)

Petrochemical: (ethylene oxide)

Composition hints for finished product label

INCI Components

INCI Name (US/EU/CN) Content Complete * Polysorbate 20

Product properties

Solubility

Ethylether: slightly soluble Chloroform: very soluble Petrolether: practically insoluble Ethylalcohol: very soluble

Paraffin oil: practically insoluble

Water: very soluble

^{*} Complete means conclusively describes the substance



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Miscellaneous information

Example of use

The product is used as a non-ionic emulsifier and/ or solubilizer for cosmetic preparations.

Intended for use as cosmetic ingredient

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