

Bamboo Stem Powder

Specification Sheet

Description: Novel plant cosmetic ingredient for skin physical exfoliation. It is derived from solidified silica-containing material from bamboo stems (*Bambusa arundinacea*) and then milled to yield a fine powder with a particle size 200 micrometers. The characteristics of its particles make this product suitable for different face and body care formulations. Off-white, fine powder.

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INCI Name: Bamboo (*Bambusa Arundinacea*) stem powder

Benefits:

- Exfoliates the skin and removes impurities and regulates the skin thickness, thus providing better cellular oxygenation and a purified appearance
- Skin irregularities are reduced and the skin appears more radiant
- Regular use can reveal smooth, polished and radiant skin

Use: Add to water phase of emulsions. Typical use level: 5 - 15%. For external use only.

Applications: Exfoliating gels or creams, peeling products including body milk and cleansers, treatments for oily skin, exfoliant masks for impure skin.

Country of Origin: India

Raw material source: Tabasheer (silica rich excretion product) of bamboo stems (*Bambusa arundinacea*)

Manufacture: Tabasheer is purified and milled to powder.

Animal Testing: Not animal tested

GMO: GMO-free, but not certified

Vegan: Does not contain animal-derived components