

Gotu Kola Extract

Specification Sheet

Description: Extract obtained from the leaves of the Gotu Kola plant (*Centella Asiatica*) dissolved in a base of glycerin and water. Gotu Kola contains pentacyclic triterpenoids, including asiaticoside, brahmoside, asiatic acid, and brahmic acid (madecassic acid) and is used in products for irritated and sensitive skin.

CAS: 56-81-5, 7732-18-5, 84696-21-9, 84776-24-9

INCI Name: Glycerin, Water, *Centella Asiatica* (Gotu Kola) Extract

Composition: Glycerin, Water, *Centella Asiatica* (Gotu Kola) Extract, Phenoxyethanol

Appearance: Light to medium amber liquid, characteristic odor

Benefits:

- Supplies skin and hair with natural triterpenoids (steroid precursor).
- Especially suitable for the sensitive and irritated skin.

Use: Add to formulas to the water phase. Typical use level 5 - 10%. For external use only.

Applications: Serums, creams & lotions, skin cleansers, sun- and after-sun care, sunscreens, face & hair masks.

Solubility: Water-soluble

Preservation: Phenoxyethanol

Storage: Store in a closed container at a dry place at room temperature.

Country of Origin: USA

Raw material source: *Hydrocotyl Centella Asiatica* (Gotu Kola), glycerin made from naturally derived oils.

Manufacture: Prepared via a cold process to avoid potential loss of effectiveness heat processing can have. Created from organically grown materials which are extracted first with a specified eluant to yield a concentrate. This concentrate is then dissolved in glycerin and water at a concentration of 20 % concentrate and 80% diluents.

Animal Testing: Not animal tested.



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Vegan: Does not contain animal-derived components.

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