

COMPONENTS OF KNEIPP® PRODUCTS AND EXPLANATIONS



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Abies Holophylla Leaf Oil	Chinese Fir Leaf oil, essential
Abies Sibirica Oil	Siberian Fir Leaf oil, essential
Acrylates/C10-30 Alkyl Acrylate Crosspolymer	Stabilization additive for emulsions and surfactant systems
Aesculus Hippocastanum (Horse Chestnut) Extract	Horse Chestnut extract
Alcohol	Ethanol
Alginic Acid	Regulates viscosity, natural based
Allantoin	Smooths skin, retains moisture and promotes regeneration
Aloe Barbadensis Leaf Extract	High concentrated and freeze-dried extract of Aloe Vera; moisturizes and soothes skin
Alpha-Isomethyl Ionone	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Aluminum Hydroxide	Smooths skin and moisturizes
Aluminium Tristearate	Stabilizes emulsions, regulates viscosity, skincare agent
Amaranthus Caudatus Seed Oil	Amaranth oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Amyl Cinnamal	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Amyris Balsamifera Bark Oil	West-Indian Sandalwood oil, essential, invigorates skin
Aniba Rosaeodora (Rosewood) Wood Oil	Rosewood oil, essential
Aqua (Water)	Water
Argania Spinosa Kernel Oil	Argan oil
Arnica Montana Flower Extract	Arnica Flower extract
Ascorbyl Palmitate	Combination of vitamin C and a plant fatty acid, when linked with tocopherol it protects sensitive oils
Backhousia Citriodora Oil	Myrtle oil, essential
Behenyl Alcohol	Improves texture of emulsions, balancing the skin's lipid content
Benzyl Alcohol	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Benzyl Benzoate	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Benzyl Cinnamate	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Benzyl Salicylate	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Betula Alba Leaf Extract	Birch Leaf extract
Biotin	Important vitamin for skin and hair
Bisabolol	Active ingredient from Camomile, anti-inflammatory and skin soothing
Butylphenyl Methylpropional	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Butyrospermum Parkii (Shea Butter) Fruit	Shea butter, nurturing and re-fattening component
Calcium Alginate	Natural gelling agent
Calendula Officinalis Flower Extract	Calendula (marigold), we use a high concentrated extract
Calophyllum Inophyllum Seed Oil	Tamanu oil, fatty fruit oil from the South-Pacific area
Camelina Sativa Oil	Camelina oil
Camellia Sinensis Leaf Extract	Greentea extract
Camphor	Camphor
Cananga Odorata Flower Oil	Ylang-Ylang oil, essential
Canarium Luzonicum Gum Nonvolatiles	Resin of the Canarium Luzonicum tree
Cannabis Sativa Seed Oil	Hempseed oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Caprylic/Capric Triglyceride	Re-fattening oil mixture, plant-based
Caprylyl Glycol	Regulates viscosity, nurturing and moisturizing
Carrageenan	Natural gelling agent
Caramel	Natural colorant, obtained from natural sugar



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Carbomer	Gelling agent, additive for stabilizing emulsions
Cardiospermum Halicacabum Extract	Plant extract, calms red and stressed skin
Carthamus Tinctorius (Safflower) Seed Oil	Safflower oil
Carum Carvi (Caraway) Seed Oil,	Caraway oil, essential
Carum Carvi (Caraway) Fruit Oil	
Cedrus Atlantica (Cedarwood) Bark Oil	Cedarwood oil, essential
Cera Alba (Beeswax)	Beeswax, gives texture and stabilizes emulsions; has nurturing attribute
Ceramide 3	Natural, lipid obtained from Sojaöl, similar to the skin, moisturizing
Cetearyl Alcohol	Emulsifier, plant-based, makes skin feeling smooth and supple
Cetearyl Glucoside	Emulsifier, plant-based
Cetearyl Ethylhexanoate	Produced under use of vegetable fatty acids, makes sure that plant oils spread easily on skin
Cetyl Alcohol	Emulsifier, plant-based
Chamomilla Recutita (Matricaria) Flower Extract	Camomile Flowers, we use a highly concentrated extract
Chamomilla Recutita (Matricaria) Flower Oil	Camomile oil, blue
CI ...	International identification number of colorants. We use mainly colorants which are approved for both cosmetics and food
Cinnamomum Camphora Bark Oil	Camphor Tree oil, essential
Cinnamomum Cassia Leaf Oil	Cinnamon Leaf oil, essential
Cistus Labdaniferus Oil	Rockrose oil, essential
Citral	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Citric Acid	Additive for adjusting the pH-value
Citronellol	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Citrus Aurantifolia (Lime) Oil	Lime oil, essential
Citrus Aurantium Amara (Bitter Orange) Oil	Bitter Orange oil, essential
Citrus Aurantium Amara (Bitter Orange) Flower Oil	Bitter Orange Flower oil, essential
Citrus Aurantium Bergamia (Bergamot) Fruit Oil	Bergamot oil, essential
Citrus Aurantium Bergamia (Bergamot) Leaf Extract	Bergamot extract
Citrus Aurantium Dulcis (Orange) Flower Extract	Orange Flower extract
Citrus Aurantium Dulcis (Orange) Oil	Orange oil, essential
Citrus Grandis (Grapefruit) Peel Oil	Grapefruit oil, essential
Citrus Medica Limonum (Lemon) Peel Oil	Lemon oil, essential
Citrus Nobilis (Mandarin Orange) Peel Oil	Tangerine oil, essential
Cocamide DEA	Surfactant, regulates viscosity
Cocamidopropyl Betaine	Foaming agent, surfactant, plant-based
Coco-Glucoside	Mild cleaning substance, plant-based
Copernicia Cerifera (Carnauba) Wax	Carnauba wax, plant wax, promotes consistency
Coriandrum Sativum (Coriander) Fruit Oil	Coriander oil, essential
Coumarin	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Cranberry (Vaccinium Macrocarpon) Seed Oil	Cranberry oil
Cupressus Sempervirens Oil	Cypress oil, essential
Cymbopogon Martini Oil	Palmarosa oil, essential
Cymbopogon Nardus (Citronella) Oil	Citronella oil, essential
Cymbopogon Schoenanthus Extract	Citronella extract
Cymbopogon Schoenanthus Oil	Lemongrass oil, essential
DATEM	Emulsifier, food grade



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Dehydroxanthan Gum	Natural gelling agent, stabilizes emulsions, regulates viscosity
Denatonium Benzoate	Bittern, additive for sweet and delicious smelling products to avoid swallowing (especially important for children)
Dextrin	Moisturizes and retains moisture
Dicaprylyl Carbonate	Oil component, plant-based
Dipropylene Glycol	Solvent
Dipterocarpus Turbinatus (Gurjum Balsam) Oil	Gurjum oil, essential
Distarch Phosphate	Corn starch, stabilizes emulsions
Echium Plantagineum Seed Oil	Echium oil, anti-inflammatory properties
Elettaria Cardamomum Seed Oil	Cardamom oil, essential
Ethylhexyl Stearate	Makes skin smooth and supple
Eucalyptol	Component of essential eucalyptus oil
Eucalyptus Globulus Leaf Oil	Eucalyptus oil, essential
Eugenia Caryophyllus (Clove) Flower Oil	Clove Flower oil, essential
Eugenia Caryophyllus (Clove) Leaf Oil	Clove Leaf oil, essential
Eugenol	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Farnesol	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Ficus Carica (Fig) Fruit Extract	Fig extract
Foeniculum Vulgare (Fennel) Oil	Fennel oil, essential
Gaultheria Procumbens (Wintergreen) Leaf Oil	Wintergreen oil, essential
Geraniol	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Ginkgo Biloba Leaf Extract	Ginkgo (maidenhair tree) extract
Glycerin	Natural moisturizer, we solely use plant-based Glycerin
Glyceryl Caprylate	Emulsifier, moisturizing
Glyceryl Oleate	Emulsifier, plant-based, nurturing
Glyceryl Stearate	Emulsifier, plant-based
Glyceryl Stearate SE	Emulsifier, plant-based
Glycine Soja (Soybean) Oil	Soybean oil, fatty plant oil, nurturing
Glycol Distearate	Opacifying agent, based on fatty acids
Guaiaacum Officinale Wood Oil	Guaiaac oil, essential
Hamamelis Virginia (Witch Hazel) Extract	Witch Hazel extract
Harpagophytum Procumbens Root Extract	Devil's claw extract
Hayflower Extract	We use a highly concentrated extract
Helianthus Annuus (Sunflower) Seed Oil	Sunflower oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Hexyl Cinnamal	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Hibiscus Sabdariffa Flower Extrakt	Hibiscus extract
Hippophae Rhamnoides Oil	Sea Buckthorn oil, natural fruit oil
Honey Extract	Honey extract
Humulus Lupulus (Hops) Extract	Hops extract, we use a highly concentrated extract
Hydrogenated Jojoba Oil	Hydrogenated jojoba wax pearls, which we use as natural peeling agent
Hydrogenated Lecithin	Lecithin, nurturing
Hydrogenated Palm Glycerides Citrate	Emulsifier, made of vegetable fat and citric acid, nurturing and moisturizing
Hydrogenated Palm Kernel Glycerides	Nurturing, promotes consistency
Hydroxypropyl Methylcellulose	Thickening agent
Hypericum Perforatum Flower/Twig Extract	St. John's wort extract



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Isopropyl Alcohol	Isopropylalcohol
Isopropyl Myristate	Produced under use of vegetable fatty acids, makes sure that plant oils spread easily on skin
Jasminum Officinale (Jasmine) Flower Extract	Jasmine extract
Juniperus Communis Fruit Oil	Juniper oil, essential
Juniperus Virginiana Oil	Virginian Juniper oil
Juniperus Mexicana Oil	Texan Cedarwood oil, essential
Lac (Whey) Powder	Whey powder, nurturing
Laureth-3	Emulsifier, surfactant
Laureth-4	Emulsifier, surfactant
Lauryl Glucoside	Mild surfactant, plant-based
Lavandula Angustifolia (Lavender) Extract	Lavender Extract
Lavandula Angustifolia (Lavender) Oil	Lavender oil, essential
Lavandula Hybrida Extract	Lavandin extract
Lavandula Hybrida Oil	Lavandin oil, essential
Lavandula Latifolia (Lavender) Oil	Lavender oil, essential
Lecithin	Natural emulsifier
Limnanthes Alba (Meadowfoam) Seed Oil	Lady's smock extract
Limonene	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Linalool	Ingredient of perfume or essential oils*
Litsea Cubeba Fruit Oil	Litsea Cubeba oil, essential
Macadamia Ternifolia Seed Oil	Macadamia Nut oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Magnesium Stearate	Magnesiumstearat, stabilizes emulsions
Magnolia Biondii Flower Extract	Magnolia extract
Malaleuca Leucadendron Cajeput Oil	Cajeputoil
Mangifera Indica (Mango) Seed Butter	Mango Kernel butter, nurturing and re-fattening component
Mannitol	Moisturizer, binding agent
Maris Sal (Sea Salt)	Sea salt
Melissa Officinalis Leaf Extract	Lemon Balm extract, we use a highly concentrated extract
Mentha Arvensis Leaf Oil	Japanese Mint oil, essential
Mentha Piperita (Peppermint) Oil	Peppermint oil, essential
Menthol	Menthol
Menthyl PCA	Moisturizer with cooling properties
Microcrystalline Cellulose	Thickener
MIPA-Laureth Sulfate	Foaming agent, plant-based
Monarda Didyma Oil	Monarda Didyma oil, essential
Myristyl Myristate	Emollient, makes skin smooth and supple
Myrcarpus Fastigiatus Oil	Cabreuva Wood oil, essential
Nelumbo Nucifera Flower Extract	Lotus Flower extract
Niacinamide	Vitamin B3
Ocinum Basilicum (Basil) Oil	Basil oil, essential
Octyldoecanol	Smoothing, re-fattening oil component, solvent
Olea Europaea (Olive) Fruit Oil	Olive oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Olus	Plant oil, re-fattening
Olibanum	Olibanum extract
Oenothera Biennis (Evening Primrose) Oil	Evening Primrose oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil



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Oryza Sativa (Rice) Bran Oil	Rice Germ oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Osmanthus Fragrans Flower Extract	Osmanthus extract
Panthenol	Provitamin B5, so-called skin vitamin, has skin-soothing and healing properties
Papaver Orientale (Poppy) Seed Oil	Poppy Seed oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Parfum (Fragrance)	Collective name for fragrances; we mainly use components which also occur in nature
Passiflora Incarnata Seed Oil	Passion flower extract
PEG-14M	Binding agent, stabilizer for emulsions, regulates viscosity
PEG-150 Pentaerythrityl Tetrastearate	Thickener, plant-based
PEG-18 Glyceryl Oleate/Cocotate	Thickener, plant-based
PEG-40 Hydrogenated Castor Oil	Emulsifier, produced under use of castor oil
PEG-40 Sorbitan Peroleate	Solubilizer, plant-based
PEG-6 Caprylic/Capric Glycerides	Re-fattening agent, plant-based
Pentylene Glycol	Moisturizing agent
Persea Gratissima (Avocado) Oil	Avocado oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Phoenix Dactylifera Seed Extract	Date extract
Phytosterols	Nurturing
Pinus Pinaster Oil	Turpentine oil, essential
Pinus Pumilio Oil	Mountain Pine oil, essential
Pinus Sylvestris Leaf Oil	Pine oil, essential
Pogostemon Cablin Oil	Patchouli oil, essential
Polyethylene	Peeling agent
Polyglyceryl-2 Dipolyhydroxystearate	Emulsifier, Glycerin-based, nurturing
Polyglyceryl-2 Sesquiosstearate	Emulsifier, plant-based
Polysorbate 20	Emulsifier, plant-based
Potassium Palmitoyl Hydrolyzed Wheat Protein	Wheat protein, stabilized
Prunus Amygdalus Dulcis (Sweet Almond) Protein	Almond protein
Prunus Amygdalus Dulcis (Sweet Almond) Oil	Almond oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Prunus Domestica Seed Oil	Plum Seed oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Prunus Persica (Peach) Kernel Oil	Peach Kernel oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Punica Granatum Fruit Extract	Pomegranate extract
Pyridoxine Hcl	Skin Vitamin B6, stabilized form
Pyrus Cydonia	Quince extract
Pyrus Malus (Apple) Peel Extract	Apple extract
Retinyl Palmitate	Skin Vitamin A, stabilized form, improves skin's natural functions, especially suitable UV-damaged skin
Ricinus Communis (Castor) Seed Oil	Castor oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Rosa Canina Seed Oil	Rose Hip oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Rosa Damascena Flower Oil	Rose Flower oil, essential
Rosmarinus Officinalis (Rosemary) Leaf Oil	Rosemary oil, essential
Rosmarinus Officinalis (Rosemary) Leaf Extract	Rosemary extract
Rubus Idaeus (Raspberry) Seed Extract	Raspberry extract
Salvia Officinalis (Sage) Oil	Sage oil, essential
Salvia Sclarea (Clary) Oil	Clary Sage oil, essential
Santalum Album (Sandalwood) Oil	Sandalwood oil, essential
Sesamum Indicum (Sesame) Seed Oil	Sesame oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Silica	Silicic acid



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Simmondsia Chinensis (Jojoba) Seed Oil	Jojoba wax, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Sine Adipe Lac (Nonfat Dry Milk)	Low-fat milk powder
Sodium Bicarbonate	Baking soda
Sodium Carbonate	Sodium carbonate
Sodium Cetearyl Sulfate	Emulsifier
Sodium Chloride	Sodium chloride, in our bath salts we use a thermal brine salt
Sodium Cocoyl Glutamate	Surfactant, plant-based
Sodium Hydroxide	Additive for adjusting the pH-value
Sodium Laureth Sulfate	Foaming agent, plant-based
Sodium Methyl Oleoyl Taurate	Surfactant, plant-based
Sorbitan Stearate	Emulsifier, plant-based
Sorbityl Laurate	Emulsifier, Surfactant
Squalane	Oil, similar to the skin, plant-based
Stearic Acid	Acid which occurs in plants, used to adjust consistency
Styrene/Acrylates Copolymer	Tarnishing
Sulfated Castor Oil	Emulsifier, surfactant, moisturizer
Tapioca Starch	Starch
Theobroma Cacao Extrakt	Cacao extract
Thymus Vulgaris (Thyme) Oil	Thyme oil, essential
Tilia Cordata Flower Extract	Lime tree blossom extract, we use a highly concentrated extract
Titanium Dioxide	White pigment
Tocopherol	Vitamin E, oxidation protection for sensitive plant oils
Tocopheryl Acetate	Skin Vitamin E, stabilized form
Tocopheryl Nicotinate	Scavenger, increases circulation, nurturing
Triacetin	Moisturizer, Glycerin-based
Tromethamine	Additive to adjust the pH-value
Urea	Retains and stores moisture in the skin
Urtica Dioica Leaf Extract	Stinging Nettle Leaf extract
Valeriana Officinalis Oil	Valerian oil, essential
Vanilla Planifolia Fruit Extract	Vanilla extract
Vanillyl Butyl Ether	Warming agent
Vetiveria Zizanioides Root Oil	Vetiver oil, essential
Viola Odorata Flower Extract	Violet extract
Viola Tricolor Extract	Pansy (Viola) extract
Vitis Vinifera (Grape) Seed Oil	Grape Seed oil, nurturing, fatty plant oil
Vitis Vinifera (Grape) Fruit Extract	Grape extract
Whey Proteinum	Whey protein
Xanthan Gum	Natural gelling agent, stabilizes emulsions, regulates viscosity
Ximenynic Acid	Sandal Fruit active ingredient; an extract, obtained from seeds and fruits of the sandalwood tree
Zea Mays (Corn) Starch	Corn starch
Zingiber Officinale (Ginger) Root Oil	Ginger oil, essential
Zingiber Officinalis (Ginger) Root Extract	Ginger extract



* one of the 26 ingredients of perfume oils or essential oils which have to be declared according to the valid cosmetic directive.
This makes the selection of products easier for allergic people.