



NATURAL AND ORGANIC COSMETICS

ECOCERT COSMOS ORGANIC was the very first certification body to develop standards for "natural and organic cosmetics. In 2003, the specification was drawn up in conjunction with all stakeholders in the value chain, i.e. experts, suppliers, manufacturers, distributors, consumers and development organizations.

ECOCERT COSMOS ORGANIC currently supports and guides more than 1,000 companies through their certification processes.

The basic principles of the ECOCERT COSMOS ORGANIC standard

To ensure an environmentally friendly cosmetic product, the ECOCERT standard lays down:

1. The use of ingredients derived from renewable resources, manufactured by environmentally friendly processes. **ECOCERT COSMOS ORGANIC** therefore checks:

- The absence of GMOs, parabens, phenoxyethanol, nanoparticles, silicon, PEGs, synthetic perfumes and dyes, animal-derived ingredients (unless naturally produced by them: milk, honey, etc.).
- The biodegradable or recyclable nature of packaging.

2. A minimum threshold of natural ingredients from organic farming to be reached to obtain certification:

- For both labels, **ECOCERT COSMOS ORGANIC** Standard imposes that a minimum of 95% of the total ingredients come from natural origin

ADDtex products with the ECOCERT COSMOS ORGANIC Label:

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