



First Lipotec products COSMOS approved

BARCELONA, June 2017 – Recently, ANTARCTICINE® marine ingredient with SA and MATMARINE™ blue ingredient have been assessed as compliant to COSMOS standard, thus obtaining the Attestation of Conformity for raw materials according to COSMOS.

The COSMOS-standard is a not-for-profit international association whose ultimate objective is to safeguard the welfare of the environment and of people by setting out innovative, challenging and progressive criteria for organic and natural cosmetics that consumers can trust, and that are clear for the industry and good for the environment.

Both active ingredients are from Biointec[™] blue biotechnology brand, which encompasses natural molecules with specific cosmetic benefits obtained from living microorganisms through sustainable bioprocesses.

ANTARCTICINE® marine ingredient shields and regenerates the skin exposed to extreme cold as well as assists in reducing wrinkles for a firm and young complexion. *In vivo* it showed a 13.5% increase in moisturization after applying a cream at 1% to the skin exposed to cold weather conditions for one hour a day during 15 days. After 30 days, wrinkle depth and volume decreased by 10.6% and 9.3% respectively.

MATMARINE™ blue ingredient helps decrease sebum levels to reduce skin shininess, the appearance of pores and active follicles. An *in vivo* study applying a BB cream containing 2% ingredient resulted in an immediate 28.3% reduction in gloss right after the application and a prolonged effect lasting through the day.

As Lubrizol Skin Essentials, Lipotec and Lubrizol offer ample expertise in skin care that combined makes it possible to deliver unique, innovative and trendy solutions to the market.

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