

Sustainable solutions for personal care products

in-cosmetics Global, stand D20: Omya presents natural minerals for skincare, toothpaste and color cosmetic applications

Oftringen (Switzerland), January 2020 – At in-cosmetics Global, Omya Consumer Goods will showcase its large distribution portfolio and unique minerals for inclusion in skincare, oral care and colour cosmetic products. These ingredients offer multiple benefits for ease of processing and optimal end-product characteristics. Applications allow for powerful absorbency and provide a pleasant skin feel, great opacity and optimum coverage. The particles also enable improved texture and effectiveness of end products, such as oral care offerings, decorative cosmetics, soap bars and emulsions. The newly presented grades of Omyacare[®] are approved by ECOCERT Raw Material and NATRUE certified for use in cosmetics, and rinse-off applications, whereas the new Omyadent[®] grade provides remineralization and desensitization for toothpaste formulations.

"Let nature take care" is the message that Omya will deliver as it presents its large portfolio for the creation of holistic, all-round solutions at in-cosmetics Global.

Oral care: enamel remineralization, top cleaning power for whiter teeth and reduced sensitivity

The diversity of particle sizes within the Omyacare[®] product range guarantees the perfect level of desired abrasion in the final formula, and means they can be used in a variety of applications. At in-cosmetics Global, Omya launches a new grade of Omyadent[®] acting as a source of hydroxyapatite that ensures efficient remineralization and the reparation of microscopic defects, while also counteracting hypersensitivity. With an application of Omyadent[®] particles, the tooth surface becomes whiter, smoother and more resistant to acid attack.

Omyaskin® combines ecological sustainability with the highest cosmetic standards The multifunctional and NATRUE certified Omyaskin® minerals absorb sebum, reduce drying time and deliver a silky touch, and matt finish in skin care products such as creams, lotions



and emulsions. The minerals act as texturising agents and improve sensorial properties, as well as spreadability. Furthermore, the Omyaskin[®] range also optimizes the coverage and colour content of decorative cosmetics. Sourced from high-purity Natural Calcium Carbonate in Provence, Omyaskin[®] is certified as environmentally friendly and approved for use with COSMOS and NATRUE labels.

Omyacare®: ECOCERT certified personal care ingredient

Omyacare[®] acts as a texturizer, cleaning agent and colorant in oral care solutions and rinseoff applications. The high-purity minerals used in Omyacare[®] are natural and renewable. Stefan Lander, Vice President Consumer Goods, Group Sales & Marketing at Omya, states: "At Omya we have been researching and processing mineral materials for over hundred years and, during this time, we have always respected nature, biodiversity and the importance of human health. We feel responsible for our natural resources and, therefore, rely on natural, renewable and pioneering solutions." Showcasing this key benefit of the mineral, Omya presents different concepts of soap, toothpaste, tooth tab and handwash tab using the new grades of Calcium Carbonate approved by Ecocert Raw Material and certified by NATRUE for natural cosmetic and organic personal care products.

About Omya Group

Omya International AG is a leading global producer of calcium carbonates and a worldwide distributor of specialty additives, premium services and solutions. Founded in 1884 in Switzerland, Omya has a global presence extending to more than 175 locations in over 50 countries with 8,000 employees. Omya provides sustainable added value products and services from responsibly sourced materials to meet the needs of current and future generations. In the Consumer Goods sector, Omya offers innovative solutions based on high purity natural minerals and complementary ingredients that comply with the most stringent regulatory and quality standards.

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