

A photograph of a glass vial containing a yellowish liquid, with a glass dropper pipette positioned above it. The vial is on a white surface, and a green leaf is visible in the background. The image is partially overlaid by a large green circular graphic in the bottom right corner.

Vegetable Oils for Pharmaceuticals

VEGETABLE OILS FOR PHARMACEUTICALS

Vantage Specialties Spain offers a diverse range of pharmacopeia-grade vegetable oils that meet the requirements of one or more of the following pharmacopeias:

- EUROPEAN PHARMACOPEIA (EP)
- US PHARMACOPEIA (USP)
- BRITISH PHARMACOPEIA (BP)

Vegetable oils that meet pharmacopeia requirements can be used in pharmaceutical formulations, ensuring full compliance with technical specifications according to the respective pharmacopeia monographies.

With a well-established safe track record of secure usage, these oils are ideal excipients. They are not only effective in enhancing the oral absorption of lipophilic drugs but also serve well for health-boosting purposes.

Vegetable oils do not have a pharmacological effect as they are not considered active pharmaceutical ingredients as defined by the ICH standards for APIs.

Our Quality operations, certified by third parties and globally recognized, guarantee essential standards in safety, hazard and critical point control, and ethical manufacturing practices, as outlined in the scope of these certifications.



OUR PRODUCTS

| Product | INCI Name | Benefits | Certifications | | | | | Pharma Compliance | | | | |
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| | | | Naturality Origin Index | Vegan ¹ | Halal | Kosher ² | China Compliant | European Pharmacopeia (EP) | United States Pharmacopeia (USP) | British Pharmacopeia (USP) | Japanese Pharmacopeia (JP) | Japanese Standards of Quasi-drug Ingredients (JSCI) |
| APRICOT KERNEL OIL Refined | Prunus Armeniaca Kernel Oil | • Ideal for bath, body and color cosmetics | 1 | • | H* | K* | • | | | | | • |
| AVOCADO OIL Refined | Persea Gratissima Oil | • Light, non-greasy and silky after-feel • High film gloss • Low odor, low taste for lip applications | 1 | • | H* | | • | | | | | • |
| CASTOR OIL Refined | Ricinus Communis Seed Oil | • Good wetting and dispersing agent for dyes, pigments and fillers • Rich in ricinoleic acid | 1 | • | H* | | • | • | • | • | • | |
| CASTOR OIL Virgin | Ricinus Communis Seed Oil | • Good wetting and dispersing agent for dyes, pigments and fillers • Ideally suited for lip care products • Rich in ricinoleic acid | 1 | • | H* | | • | • | • | • | • | |
| COCONUT OIL Refined | Cocos Nucifera Oil | • Soft after-feel • Contributes to hydration and softness on skin and hair | 1 | • | H* | K* | • | | • | | | • |
| CORN GERM OIL Refined | Zea Mays (Corn) Germ Oil | • High in unsaturated fatty acids and vitamin E • Contains Omega 6 and natural antioxidants | 1 | | | | • | • | | | | |
| COTTON SEED OIL Refined | Gossypium Herbaceum Seed Oil | • Rich in linoleic acid, fatty acids and Vitamin E | 1 | • | H* | | • | | • | | | |
| EVENING PRIMROSE OIL Refined | Oenothera Biennis Oil | • High in gamma-linoleic acid (GLA) • Improves dry skin and scalp | 1 | • | | | | • | • | | | |
| HYDROGENATED CASTOR OIL | Hydrogenated Castor Oil | • Skin-conditioning agent • Occlusive and viscosity increasing agent | 1 | • | H* | | • | • | | | | |
| OLIVE OIL Refined | Olea Europaea Fruit Oil | • Spreads rapidly with a non-greasy feel • Strong antioxidant against free radicals • High oxidative stability due to high oleic acid content | 1 | • | H* | K* | • | • | • | • | | |
| OIIVE SQUALANE | Squalane | • High degree of purity and guaranteed 100% vegetable origin • Superior oxidative stability, neutral taste • Excellent absorption for a smooth & silky skin feel | 1 | • | H* | | • | • | • | | | • |
| PEANUT OIL Refined | Arachis Hypogaea Oil | • Excellent emollient with thickening properties • Particularly skin-friendly | 1 | • | H* | | • | • | • | • | | |
| ROSEHIP OIL Refined | Rosa Canina Fruit Oil | • Reduces scars, wrinkles, stretch marks and prevents premature aging • Restores natural skin color and tone | 0* | • | H* | | • | | | | | • |
| SESAME OIL Refined | Sesamum Indicum Seed Oil | • Enhances the gloss and spread of products | 1 | • | H* | | • | • | • | • | | |
| SOYBEAN OIL Refined Non-GMO | Glycine Soja Oil | • Excellent carrier for essential oils and other oil-soluble components | 0* | • | H* | | • | | • | | | |
| SUNFLOWER OIL Refined | Helianthus Annuus Seed Oil | • Adds conditioning and sheen to hair, skin care, make-up and lip products | 0* | • | H* | K* | • | • | • | | | • |
| SUNFLOWER OIL High Oleic | Helianthus Annuus Seed Oil | • Enhances sheen in hair, skin, makeup, and lip products • High oxidative stability due to high oleic acid content | 0* | • | H* | | • | | | | | |
| SWEET ALMOND OIL Refined | Prunus Amygdalus Dulcis Oil | • Light non greasy feel & rapid spreadibility • Ideal for bath, body and skin care oils • Low odor, low taste for lip applications • Ideal cosmetic carrier | 1 | • | H* | K* | • | • | • | • | | • |
| SWEET ALMOND OIL Spanish Origin | Prunus Amygdalus Dulcis Oil | • Light non greasy feel & rapid spreadibility • Ideal for bath, body and skin care oils • Low odor, low taste for lip applications • Ideal cosmetic carrier | 1 | • | H* | K* | • | • | • | • | | • |
| WHEAT GERM OIL Refined | Triticum Vulgare Germ Oil | • Perceptible after-feel • High concentration of natural tocopherols, known to treat dry, cracked skin and soothe eczema | 0* | • | H* | | • | • | | | | |

* The oil is of pure vegetable origin. If hexane is used as a solvent in the extraction process, which subsequently evaporates and does not remain in the refined oil, the naturality origin index is defined as 0 in a strict interpretation of ISO 16128. Organic quality usually has a NOI of 1. Precise information can be provided on the specific oil grade upon request.

¹ Products that are free from animal ingredients and did not cause harm to any animal (cruelty-free), without third party certification

² Please note that kosher quality need to be explicitly requested when ordering



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