



Technical Guidelines for the Use Purpose of Cosmetic Ingredients (Trial) 化妆品原料使用目的技术指南 (试行)

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1 Overview

To standardize the use purpose of cosmetic ingredients, this technical guideline is hereby formulated based on relevant requirements, such as the definition and classification of cosmetics in China, combined with industry realities, and by referring to related materials on the use purpose of cosmetic ingredients abroad.

2 Application Scope

This technical guideline provides technical references for notification and registration applicants to fill out the use purpose of ingredients in a standardized manner when applying for notification and registration of cosmetics and new cosmetic ingredients.

3 General Use Principles

The use purpose of a cosmetic ingredient refers to the intended effect of the ingredient when added to cosmetics. This includes the effects produced by the ingredient at the site of application (e.g., hair dyes) and the role the ingredient plays within the formula system (e.g., as a solvent). Depending on the different purposes for which an ingredient is added to cosmetics, the same ingredient may have different intended uses.

This technical guideline has been developed based on current regulations, standards, and scientific understanding. It will be adjusted in a timely manner as regulations and standards are updated and as science and technology develop.

The use purposes and descriptions of cosmetic ingredients are detailed in the attached table below.