



**DATASHEET for TRADE**  
**Conformity Assessment of Goods to be Exported to the KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA / SFDA - COSMETIC**



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<b>Datasheet Number</b>	DS-FAHES-PC-003b
<b>Authority</b>	Saudi Food and Drug Authority (SFDA)
<b>Appointed company(ies)</b>	FAHES, and other companies appointed by Saudi Food and Drug Authority (SFDA)
<b>Scope of the regulation</b>	Conformity assessment of Cosmetic Products exported to Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
<b>Assessment based on</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Documentary review</li> <li>✓ Control testing</li> <li>✓ Labeling and Marking Verification</li> <li>✓ Conclusion of the assessment</li> </ul>
<b>Minimum value subject to the program</b>	All shipments values are subject
<b>Registration at Customs</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Both the Importer and the Exporter must be registered with SFDA.</li> <li>✓ The Cosmetic Product imported into KSA must be registered with SFDA and must have a Product Registration Number.</li> <li>✓ All product registrations must be checked and verified from the e-cosma website FASEH GHAD <a href="https://ecosma.sfda.gov.sa/">https://ecosma.sfda.gov.sa/</a></li> </ul>
<b>Program SFDA - Cosmetic</b>	<p>The objective of the program is to provide safe cosmetic products to consumers as well as fast and direct Customs clearance of imported cosmetic consignments at KSA Ports and Borders when presented with a CoC.</p> <p>All regulated cosmetic products should be accompanied by a Certificate of Conformity (CoC) issued by an entity authorized by SFDA to ensure conformity of them with the applicable SFDA technical regulations and standards</p> <p>Obtaining a Certificate of Conformity (CoC) is mandatory for all Cosmetics and Perfumery Consignments to KSA from any Country of Supply.</p>

SUBJECTED GOODS	
<b>Regulated products</b>	<p>Below is the list of Regulated products under SFDA – Cosmetic Program along with the export countries that are within the scope of Fahes Trading Company authorization. <a href="https://www.sfda.gov.sa/ar/information_list">https://www.sfda.gov.sa/ar/information_list</a></p> <p>However; Fahes Trading Company can add other countries under their scope of authorization based on client's request.</p>

VERIFICATION REQUIREMENTS	
<b>Testing</b>	Test reports must be from an ISO 17025 accredited laboratory according to the applicable standard
<b>Standards</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ SFDA Technical Regulations</li> <li>✓ GSO (Standardization Organization for GCC)</li> </ul>
<b>Labeling</b>	<p>Labels, markings and instructions shall be legible, well stuck, and not easy to remove, unless otherwise specified in the applicable standard or national deviations.</p> <p>Marking and Labelling information shall be in Arabic language as a minimum. Marking and Labeling must comply with the standard: SFDA.CO /GSO 1943 and SFDA.CO /GSO 2528 – Labelling of Cosmetics Stuffs.</p>
<b>Documents</b>	<p>Marking on the product's package and on outer package shall include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Product name (In Arabic or both Arabic and English)</li> <li>- The name and address of the manufacturer (either manufacturer or importer)</li> <li>- The name and address of the agent or the importer in KSA (either manufacturer or importer)</li> </ul>



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- List of ingredients comprising more than 1% from the overall weight of the products. It should also be listed in descending order according to weight and shall follow the International Nomenclature System (INCI)
- The function of the product unless it is indicated from the way of its presentation (in Arabic or Arabic and English)
- Storage conditions (In Arabic or both Arabic and English)
- Batch number, manufacturing date/ expiry date or production and expiry dates.
- Cautions or precautions (in Arabic or Arabic and English)
- Usage instructions (in Arabic or Arabic and English)
- Period after opening symbol for cosmetics with durability greater than 30 months
- Country of origin as “ Made in....”
- Net content in volume or mass (metric system)
- Acceptable cosmetics Claims (if any) (In Arabic or both Arabic and English)
- Non-existence of medical claims (The label on the product shall not contain any medical or therapeutic claims, otherwise it will not be released until it is registered with SFDA as a medicine). Approved Standard for Cosmetics Product Claims: GSO 2528:2016 – Technical Regulation of Cosmetics and Personal Care Product Claims
- Commercial Registration Certificate.
- Request for Certificate (RFC) / Certification Agreement.
- Valid Test Report.
- Declaration of Conformity.
- Quotation and Payment notification.
- Pictures of Product.
- Labeling of Product.
- E-Cosma Registration Number in SFDA

**Certificate of Conformity (CoC) Fees**

Declared Value of the Shipment	Fees
1-60000 USD	300 USD
60001 - 200000 USD	[0.5% x FOB Value] USD
200001 – 1000000 USD	1000 + [0.4% x (FOB -200000)] USD
1000001 USD – And Above	4200 + [0.15% x (FOB -1000000)] USD

The above fees cover the documentary verification and certification of the goods but do not include:

- ✓ Testing: to be quoted on a case-by-case basis
- ✓ Product Registration
- ✓ Cost incurred by the Seller in presenting the goods for inspection and/or testing
- ✓ Other fees not mentioned above

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