

DATASHEET for TRADE

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



GENERAL		
Datasheet Number	DS-FAHES-PC-003b	
Authority	Saudi Food and Drug Authority (SFDA)	
Appointed company(ies)	FAHES, and other companies appointed by Saudi Food and Drug Authority (SFDA)	
Scope of the regulation	Conformity assessment of Cosmetic Products exported to Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	
Assessment based on	 Documentary review Control testing Labeling and Marking Verification Conclusion of the assessment 	
Minimum value subject to the program	All shipments values are subject	
Registration at Customs	✓ Both the Importer and the Exporter must be registered with SFDA.	
	 The Cosmetic Product imported into KSA must be registered with SFDA and must have a Product Registration Number. All product registrations must be checked and verified from the e-cosma website FASEH GHAD https://ecosma.sfda.gov.sa/ 	
Program SFDA - Cosmetic	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.	
	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	
	Obtaining a Certificate of Conformity (CoC) is mandatory for all Cosmetics and Perfumery Consignments to KSA from any Country of Supply.	

SUBJECTED GOODS		
Regulated products	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. https://www.sfda.gov.sa/ar/information_list However; Fahes Trading Company can add other countries under their scope of authorization based on client's request.	

Testing	Test reports must be from an ISO 17025 accredited laboratory according to the applicable standard
Standards	✓ SFDA Technical Regulations
	✓ GSO (Standardization Organization for GCC)
Labeling	Labels, markings and instructions shall be legible, well stuck, and not easy to remove, unless otherwise specified in the applicable standard or national deviations.
	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.
Documents	Marking on the product's package and on outer package shall include the following: Product name (In Arabic or both Arabic and English) The name and address of the manufacturer (either manufacturer or importer) The name and address of the agent or the importer in KSA (either manufacturer or importer)



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VERIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

- 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.
- Reguest 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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