

## Description

KOSMET: Cosmetic Science covers information on cosmetic and perfume science and technology, specifically dealing with raw materials, manufacture, analysis, control and use.

Periodicals, news releases and meetings are covered with a focus on product development, the trading of perfumes and cosmetics, the research development of raw materials, active ingredients, formulations, analysis, safety, in-vitro toxicology, physicochemical properties, biological properties, stability, packaging and clinical studies.

## Sources

- Articles from key periodicals specializing in cosmetic and perfume science and technology
- All reports from the IFSCC (International Federation of the Societies of Cosmetic Chemists), congresses and meetings since 1968
- All reports from congresses and meetings organized by National Societies of Cosmetic Chemists
- Technical publications from professional associations
- Additional material from peripheral sources where appropriate, such as congresses on aerosols, detergents or essential oils and articles published in other periodicals not specializing in this field

## Date Coverage

1968–present

## Geographic Coverage

International

## Publisher

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## Subject Coverage

KOSMET covers the scientific and technical aspects of all matters related to cosmetics and perfumes.

Use KOSMET to answer questions like:

- What are the effects of moisturizers on the elasticity of the stratum corneum?
- Are there articles on the manufacturing processes of make-up products?
- Who presented a paper on the autophagic system in skin cell detoxification at a recent IFSCC Congress?

## Update Frequency

Monthly

## Document Types

Journal Articles

Conferences, Symposia, Meetings

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Abstract	AB	ab(allerg* and cosmetic*)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Accession number	AN	an(18832)	No	No	No	Yes	A unique document identification number assigned by the information provider
All fields (no full text)	ALL	all("animal testing")	Yes	No	No	Yes	
Author	AU	au(schoepf, e)	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Includes all Authors. NOTE: Author name is searched with an implied proximity operator of NEAR: peter smith-jones" is searched as "peter near/1 smith near/1 jones"
First author	FAU	fau(kim, e)	No	No	No	Yes	
Author affiliation	AF	af("university of milan")	Yes	No	No	Yes	Displays as Correspondence author
Conference information	CF	cf("dept of dermatology, university of wales")	Yes	No	No	Yes	Displays as Conference sponsor
Document title	TI	ti(dermatitis and moistur*)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Displays as Title

Document type	DTYPE	dtype(conference)	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Identifier (keyword)	IF	if(botox) if(skin aging)	No	No	No	Yes	
ISSN	ISSN	issn(1468-2494) issn(1468 2494) issn(14682494)	No	No	No	Yes	Also searchable via the Look Up Citation tool
Journal title	JN	jn(international journal of cosmetic science)	No	No	No	Yes	Displays as Publication title. Look-Up list available under Publication title
Language	LA	la(german)	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Language of abstract	SL	sl(english)	No	No	No	Yes	All abstracts are in English
Last update date	LUPD	lupd(20101115) lupd(>20101115) lupd(>=20110415) lupd(<20050630) lupd(2010101 - 20110201) lupd(2010-11-15)	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Notes	NT	nt(publishers Blackwell science ltd)	No	No	No	Yes	Source and publication notes
Publication date	PD	pd(20110101) pd(>20110101) pd(>=20110415) pd(<20050630) pd(2010101 - 20110201) pd(2011-01-01)	No	Yes	No	Yes	Only the Publication year is searchable
Publication title	PUB	pub(j appl microbio*)	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Full or Abbreviated Journal title as provided
Publication year	PY	py(2007) py(2009-2011) py(2009:2011) py(>2009) py(<2009)	No	No	No	Yes	Displays as Publication date
Source details	SRC	src(journal of cosmetic dermatology 2003 january)	No	No	No	Yes	Includes Publication Title, Issue, Volume, ISSN, Publication Date, and Pagination.  Also searchable via the Look Up

							Citation tool
Subjects	SUB	sub(skin and vitamins)	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Displays as Identifier (keyword)
Substance	SUBST	subst(20283-992-5)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Also searchable as the CAS Registry number (RN)

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