



NCS – for those who love natural cosmetics

Our skin lives and breathes. It is the most important boundary between our environment and our bodies. Natural care is not only balm for the body, it is also advantageous for the environment and animal welfare.

Understandably more and more people opt for a natural care. In this context, ethical issues will play an increasingly important role.

The NCS product standard (Natural Cosmetics Standard) labels natural cosmetics for man and animal. It identifies natural cosmetics such as shampoo, lip balms or bath oils.

NCS Products bearing the NCS label undergo in-depth tests and fulfil the highest quality requirements. Products which bear the NCS label consist of natural original materials, preferably in an organic quality

The emphasis on ORGANIC QUALITY or VEGAN is possible. To meet highest expectation producers can choose a combination of both claims.

NCS – natural cosmetics for humans, animals and the environment

- no microplastic
- no genetic manipulation
- no parabens, silicones, PEG's or ftalates
- no animal testing
- no radiation
- only natural fragrances and plant based solvents
- certified palm oil (minimum RSPO)
- ecological packaging
- a natural cosmetic standard which is axed on sustainability

NCS – One seal, many options

The opportunity to distinguish the wide range of natural products by one basic symbol, makes the NCS unique.

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	NATURAL COSMETICS	ORGANIC NATURAL COMETICS, MINIMUM 95% ORGANIC SOURCES	VEGAN NATURAL COSMETICS, NEITHER 'FROM' NOR 'BY' ANIMAL PRODUCTS	VEGAN ORGANIC NATURAL COSMETICS





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Standards for products and companies

NCS Natural-Cosmetics-Standard

Information for producers

An NCS product certification is the first choice when you want to communicate your quality claim **without appartenance to a professional association.**

The referring to the NCS standard including the possibility to use the label costs **€ 50 per product and per year.** You lower your certification costs as there is no membership fee to pay.

The NCS label is an **internationally registered brand** and can be used worldwide. The assessment takes place on annual on-site audit. The control and certification bodies authorised by NCS are operating according to ISO 17065.



Product certification for natural cosmetics



Product certification for ecological non-food products



Company certification for sustainable enterprises



Consulting and knowledge transfer for product- and company standards with focus on sustainability

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NEW: Declaration of vegan and organic quality