



GfaW Standards for products and companies

NCP Nature Care Product

Information for producers

The NCP standard was created in 2015 to close the regulatory gap in the non-food category and to put forward much needed benchmarks for "ecological natural products".

With NCP you can **promote ecological non-food products and give them a place in the market** e.g. health food shop, a specialty shop or a conventional point of sale.

Referring to the NCP standard including the possibility to use the label costs **€ 50 per product per year**.

The assessment takes place on annual on-site audits. The control and certification bodies authorised by NCP operate according to ISO 17065.

The NCP label is an **internationally registered brand** and can be used worldwide.

Product certification for ecological non-food products



Product certification for natural cosmetics



Company certification for sustainable enterprises



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



Innovative product standard for ecological non-food products



For natural everyday products like hygiene and maintenance products, toys, stationeries and many more.



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NCP – quality label for products on a natural base

A growing number of people are reaching out to foods from organic agriculture and natural cosmetics. However, many everyday products such as household items, toys or fabrics are sourced from petrochemical production. They contain microplastics, plasticisers and a myriad of unnatural and polluting components.

Understandably, more and more people opt for natural articles for everyday use.

Whether toys, household items or tools – NCP (Nature Care Product) ensures that goods are produced in a natural and environmentally friendly way.

NCP identifies all products which are composed of natural components and do not impact unnecessarily on the environment:

- Everyday items (i.g. notepads, teddy bears)
- Maintenance products for appliances (e.g laundry detergent, dishwashing products)
- Hygiene products (i.g. panty liners, disinfection agents or insect repellents)
- Garden products (i.g. fertilisers or tools)






NCP – natural products for a healthy life

- Only ingredients from natural vegetable and/or animal sources
- No products that hamper health or the environment
- No microplastic
- No genetic manipulation
- No silicones or surfactants
- No animal testing (except legally prescribed)
- No radioactive material or harmful radiation
- Certified palm oil (minimum RSPO)
- Packaging is thought through, can be recycled or reused
- A natural product standard which is based on sustainability



NCP – one seal for ecological natural products

To meet the highest consumer expectations, producers can emphasise VEGAN quality. This will give consumers additional guidance in choosing natural products.

		
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