



Caribbean Natural Products Inc.

Unique and Exotic Cosmetic Materials
for Hair, Skin, Body and Soul

Product Data Sheet

Trade Name:	Organic Coconut Oil - Virgin
INCI Name:	Cocos nucifera (Coconut) Oil
CAS Number(s):	84961-48-8
Description:	Because of its high saturated fat content, coconut oil is stable - and has a long shelf life. Coconut oil is readily absorbed into the skin due to its small molecular structure and as such is often used in dry skin and hair formulations. It has high levels of antioxidants which, when the oil is used as an ingredient in cosmetic formulations, may help protect against free radical formation, and consequent damage to the skin.

<i>Test</i>	<i>Specification</i>
Appearance	Waxy solid below 25 °C and fully transparent above 28 °C
Color	White to pale yellow
Odor	Characteristic: Fresh Coconut
Principle Constituents	Lauric & myristic acids
Specific Gravity at 20°C	0.91 – 0.92
Viscosity	Mobile at 24.5 °C
Saponification Value	248 - 265 mgKOH/g
Melting Point	25 to 28 °C
Flash Point	290 °C

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