



Safety Statement

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Product Name: AcquaSeal® Coconut

Code: 20742

INCI Name: Cocos Nucifera (Coconut) Fruit Extract

AcquaSeal® Coconut is manufactured by processing (via mechanical grinding/milling) *Cocos nucifera*. The plant material then undergoes temperature fractionation to obtain the oil soluble components.

Cocos nucifera is used commonly in global food and wellness products. Since it is intentionally used in food, it may be classified as Generally Recognized as Safe (GRAS) according to the FDA's Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act.¹

The act states:

Any substance that is intentionally added to food is a food additive, that is subject to premarket review and approval by FDA, unless the substance is generally recognized, among qualified experts, as having been adequately shown to be safe under the conditions of its intended use, or unless the use of the substance is otherwise excluded from the definition of a food additive.¹

AcquaSeal® Coconut was tested using *in vitro* dermal and ocular irritation models. This product was found to be non-irritating in both models. The full report is attached for reference.

The above information supports the safety of AcquaSeal® Coconut in cosmetic applications at use levels of 0.5 – 5.0%. No further testing is required at this time.

1. "Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act." FDA. <http://www.fda.gov/regulatoryinformation/legislation/federalfooddrugandcosmeticactFDCA/default.htm>