


# Information about declaration and placing on the market of cosmetic products

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Our cosmetic products and our refreshing, cosmetic and aromatic tissues are cosmetic products according to § 2 German Foods, Consumer Goods and Feedstuffs Code (LFGB). Cosmetic products are subject to the EU Cosmetics Regulation (EC) No 1223/2009. Article 19 lists the labelling obligations for cosmetic products. The following information must be stated on the packaging in indelible, easily legible and visible lettering:

- The name or registered name and the address of the responsible person.
- The nominal content at the time of filling, given by weight or by volume.
- The date until which the cosmetic product, stored under appropriate conditions, will continue to fulfil its initial function (date of minimum durability). The date itself or details of where it appears on the packaging shall be preceded by the symbol  (shown in point 3 of Annex VII) or the words: 'best used before the end of'.
- For cosmetic products with a minimum durability of more than 30 months, the period of use after opening must be stated.
- The period of use shall be stated by the symbol followed by the period expressed in months, months and years or in years (period of use, jar). Note: This shall not apply to single-use packaging.
- Particular precautions to be observed in use, at least those listed in Annexes III to VI and any special precautionary information on cosmetic products for professional use.
- The batch number of the manufacture item or the reference for identifying the product (batch number). Unless otherwise agreed bb med. shall undertake the labelling.
- The function of the cosmetic product, unless it is clear from its presentation.
- The list of ingredients. The list shall be preceded by the term Ingredients. Ingredients must be stated with their INCI designations.
- Annex III points 67 - 92 of the EU Cosmetics Products Regulation lists substances which must be specified with their substance description if the volume of substances, in the case of products which are rinsed off, respectively exceed 0.01 percent and in the case of other products, 0.001 percent (Declaration of the 26 odoriferous substances).

Other obligations when placing cosmetic products on the market:

- ➔ In accordance with Chapter III (Safety Assessment, Product Information File, Notification) of the EC Cosmetics Regulation, a safety assessment and a product information file must be provided prior to placing a cosmetic product on the market. A notification via the CPNP internet portal must also be submitted prior to any placing on the market. (Article 10 Safety Assessment, Article 11 Product Information File, Article 13 Notification).
- ➔ Additional laws and directives such as the Pre-Packaging Regulation shall also be observed (quantity declaration). The EEC mark ( ) for pre-packaging must be applied to pre-packaging units of the same nominal fill quantity, if the requirements of the Pre-Packaging Regulation are fulfilled and the fill quantity is not less than 5 g/ml or more than 10 kg/l. It must be located in the same viewing area as the nominal fill quantity information and must have a minimum height of 3mm.

The following table lists the specified font sizes for the indication of fill quantity which as a minimum must be complied with:

Nominal fill quantity in g or ml	Font size in mm
5 to 50	2
> 50 to 200	3
> 200 to 1.000	4
> 1.000	6

The following font sizes apply to figures stated on multipacks:

Nominal fill quantity of individual packaging in g or ml	Font size in mm
To 50	3
50 and more than 50	6

We expressly point out that these stated points are legal requirements. We can provide all the required information for the declaration. We assume no liability for the correct completion of the Products Declaration.

If you have questions or require assistance in the exercise of your statutory obligations, then please contact us at:

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