Anti-Aging, Anti-Wrinkle, Lifting, Dark Circles, Bags Under Eyes











Technical Information:

Product Code: 16671

INCI Name: Water & Lactobacillus Ferment Lysate & Camellia Sinensis Leaf

Extract & Punica Granatum Extract & Caffeine

INCI Status: Approved

Suggested Use Levels: 1.0 - 10.0%

Suggested Applications: Anti-Wrinkle, Anti-Aging, Lifting, Dark Circles, Bags

Under the Eyes

Solubility: Water Soluble



The Natural Aging Process







- The eyes are known as the "windows of the soul"
 - ✓ Aging appears here first!
- Aging around the eyes is due to:
 - Photo-exposure
 - Environmental Stressors
 - Blinking
 - Smiling
- These factors drastically affect the appearance around the eyes:
 - Accelerates collagen degradation & aging



The Natural Aging Process







- Skin around the eyes is 10X thinner than the skin on the rest of the face
- Collagen is responsible for upholding the skins' integrity
- Aging & Stress
 - Impairs Collagen Quality
 - Effects Skin Function
- Signs of again start to appear:
 - Fine Lines & Wrinkles
 - Crow's feet





The Natural Aging Process







Aging & Current Trends

- Other problems around the eyes:
 - Dark Circles
 - Bags
 - Puffiness
- Consumers desire immediate & long-term anti-aging benefits
- Trends: Super fruits, Probiotics, Green Tea
- Products that protect against physical aging:
 - Nutrients
 - Skin firming agents



Revital Eyes: What is it?







Concept:

An inclusive, unique blend of:

- Probiotics Lactobacillus Ferment
- Green Tea
- Pomegranate carbohydrates are cross-linked to form a biopolymer network on the skin (>500,000 Daltons)
- Caffeine

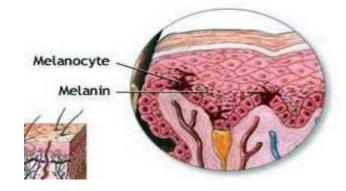






Probiotics – *Lactobacillus* Ferment Understanding Melanogenesis:

- The first step in melanogenesis (skin pigmentation):
 - Production of chemical messenger in the outermost layer of the skin
- These messengers include αMSH (Alpha-Melanocyte Stimulating Hormone) and are produced in response to stress
- αMSH migrates & stimulates the MC1R (Melanocortin Receptor)

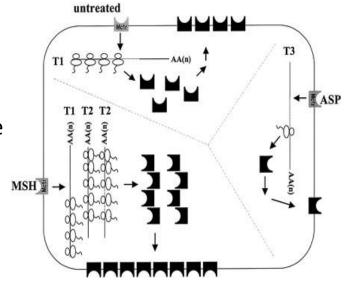




Probiotics – *Lactobacillus* Ferment Understanding Melanogenesis:

- The resulting cascade of biochemical processes lead to an increase in melanin production
- ASP (Agouti Signal Protein) on the other side is an antagonist to MC1R that blocks melanogenesis that is stimulated by the αMSH









Probiotics – *Lactobacillus* Ferment Understanding Melanogenesis:

- ASP (Agouti Signal Protein) analogues isolate from Lactobacillus strains.
 - These analogues have key amino acid sequences that can induce changes in skin pigmentation through interactions with the MC1R.
- Inhibits Melanin Production
- Reduces hyperpigmented areas & helps achieve an even skin tone
- Reduces the appearance of dark circles





Green Tea

- Exceptionally rich in Proanthocyanidins
 - Potent Antioxidants 20 times more than vitamin C and 50 times more potent than vitamin E
- Benefits of Proanthocyanidins:
 - Play a key role in the stabilization of collagen & maintenance of elastin
 - Protects from environmental stressors
 - Improves capillary strength
 - Reduces the leaking of capillaries & pooling of blood = Reduces dark circles

Active Concepts
Tomorrow's vision... Today!

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Pomegranate Extract

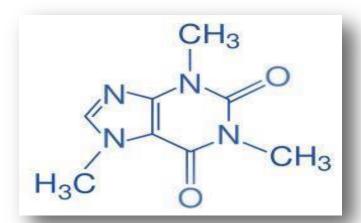
- Known for its high nutritional benefits & powerful antioxidant properties
- High molecular weight carbohydrates
 - Film former
 - Provides immediate skin tightening & lifting benefits
 - Coincides with the superfruit trends
 - Helps optimize hydration levels on the skin
 - Reduces the appearance of fine lines & wrinkles





Caffeine

- Vasoconstrictive properties (the ability to make blood vessels smaller)
 - Reduces puffiness
- Provides antioxidant benefits that help reduce photo-aging
- Diuretic Properties
 - Helps deflate puffiness
 - Minimizes dark circles
 - Increases circulation



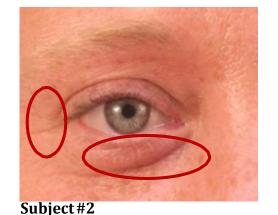


In-vivo Efficacy: Revital Eyes

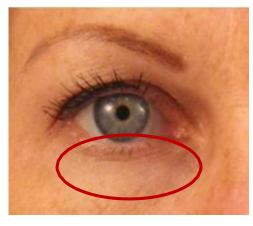
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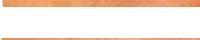


Subject#1



After













Subjects: 10 (m/f); Ages 24-45

Optio RZ10 14 Mega Pixel)

Test area: Eye area

Concentration of active used: 5.0% Revital Eyes + Water v.s Water

Frequency of application: Twice Daily, Over a period of three weeks



In-vivo Efficacy: Revital Eyes

in-vivo Before & After Pictures Results:



- Revital Eyes demonstrated to be effective for:
 - Reducing the appearance of wrinkles
 - Diminishing the appearance of dark circles under the eyes
 - Minimizing puffiness
 - Firming the skin around the eyes
- All eyes appeared more youthful at the end of the t





In-vitro Efficacy: Revital Eyes

ORAC Assay

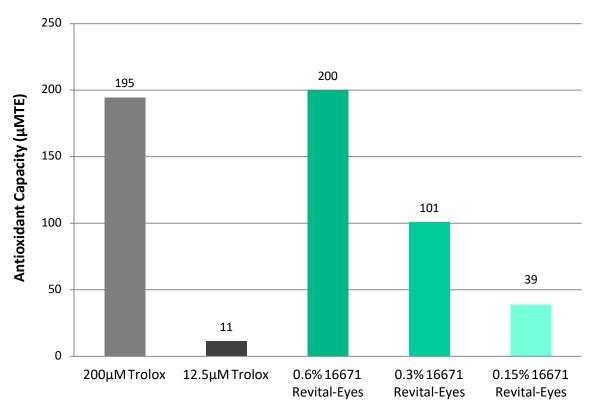


Figure 1. Antioxidant capacity of Revital Eyes.







Protocol

- Trolox was used as the positive control
- Solutions were prepared at three concentrations, as a reference
- Fluorescent measurements were taken every 2 mintues for 2 hours
- **Revital Eyes** showed antioxidant activity at 0.15% concentrations









Formulation Guidelines

Suggested Use Level: 1.0-10.0%

pH range stability: 4-7

Solubility in water: Soluble

Temperature Stability: <60°C

Formulation Guidelines: Incorporate during the cooling phase or after the emulsion has been formed





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