

Cosphaderm® Hexiol is a pure, colourless and odourless diol with excellent water solubility, driven by its molecular structure containing two neighbouring hydroxyl groups and a short carbon chain. This property underlies its widespread use as a moisturiser and humectant in cosmetic formulations for skin and hair.

Studies using static light scattering reveal that Cosphaderm® Hexiol can also improve the stability of O/W emulsions by decreasing droplet size. In addition, 1,2-hexanediol offers pH-independent antimicrobial activity and exhibits strong synergistic effects with other antimicrobial agents, allowing for optimisation of preservative systems.

Benefits:

- Unlimited water-solubility
- Shows remarkable antimicrobial efficacy through synergistic interactions
- pH-independent functionality in cosmetic formulations
- Promotes stable emulsions by particle size reduction



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Natural Index	0
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INCI name	1,2-Hexanediol						
Source	Synthetic						
Efficacy Spectrum	<table> <tr> <td>Bacteria:</td> <td>●</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Yeast:</td> <td>◐</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mould:</td> <td>◐</td> </tr> </table>	Bacteria:	●	Yeast:	◐	Mould:	◐
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Yeast:	◐						
Mould:	◐						
Recommended concentration [%]	1,00 - 2,00						
Substance Class	Diols						
Function	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Antimicrobial • Humectant • Skin conditioning • Solvent 						
Type of Formulation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • O/W • W/O • Water-based • Waterfree 						
Solubility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water-soluble 						
Appearance	Clear liquid						
Colour	Colourless						
Odour	Odourless or low odour						
Combinable products	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cosphaderm® Octiol • Cosphaderm® Propanediol natural • Cosphaderm® GMCY • Cosphaderm® GMUD • Cosphaderm® Magnolia Extract 98 						
Item No.	02-005-xxxx						
CAS No.	6920-22-5						

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