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# SILKY FOAMING HAND SOAP

No.

1501

Description

This is a sulfate-free, EO-free (ethylene oxide free), and nitrosamine free hand soap based on ALPHA-STEP® PC-48. This sulfate-free and EO-free surfactant enables the production of a light and airy foam. AMPHOSOL® DM/MB enhances mildness and is an excellent thickening agent for tougher sulfate-free systems and is a COSMOS approved ingredient. STEPAN-MILD® GCC-FL/MB, a naturally derived and COSMOS approved ingredient, is used as foam volume booster and gives a soft and cushioned feel to the skin. This formulation has a low active level at 5.5% total actives, and can be formulated without heat. The water thin viscosity of this formulation is designed for a foaming hand soap dispenser.

#### Formulation

### INGREDIENTS:

% by Weight Functionality

=== Phase 1 ===
Deionized Water 83.44 Carrier

ALPHA-STEP® PC-48 9.40 Primary Surfactant AMPHOSOL® DM/MB 5.91 Secondary Surfactant

=== Phase 2 ===

euxyl™ k 712 (Ashland, Inc.)\*\*

1.00 Preservative
Silky Touch (Mane SA) Fragrance

0.05 Fragrance

=== Phase 3 ===

Citric Acid q.s. pH Adjuster

=== Phase 4 ===

STEPAN-MILD® GCC-FL/MB 0.20 Skin Feel Enhancer

Total

100.00

Transparent solution

## Procedure

- 1. In a vessel, introduce Deionized Water and the other ingredients of phase 1 and mix until complete homogenization.
- 2. Add ingredients in phase 2 with mixing.
- 3. Adjust pH with Citric Acid to target a pH between 5.0 and 5.5.
- 4. Finally, add STEPAN-MILD® GCC-FL/MB with mixing.
- \*\*Note: INCl name for euxyl™ k 712 supplied by Ashland, Inc. is Sodium Benzoate (and) Potassium Sorbate (and) Aqua.

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Physical Appearance, as is Properties pH, as is

5.32

Storage/ Stability 4 weeks at 5°C 4 weeks at 25°C 4 weeks at 45°C

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Instructions for Use

Apply to wet skin and rinse under water.

# External Comment

Marketing Notes: INCI List - Aqua, Sodium Methyl 2-Sulfolaurate, Disodium 2-Sulfolaurate, Coco Betaine, Glyceryl Caprylate/Caprate, Sodium Benzoate, Citric Acid, Potassium Sorbate, Glycerin, Fragrance, Propanediol.

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