



# NATURAL SOURCING™

Specialists in Cosmeceutical Ingredients

## NATURAL SOURCING FEATURES ORGANIC VIRGIN COCONUT OIL

**Premium Quality • Stable • Versatile**

**Oxford, CT (August 26, 2014)** - Natural Sourcing is pleased to feature its premium Organic Virgin Coconut Oil within its growing line of specialty ingredients for use in innovative personal care product formulations.

**INCI:** Cocos nucifera (Virgin Coconut) Oil

**Method of Extraction:** See Below

**Shelf Life:** Very Stable

Organic Virgin Coconut Oil is light and penetrating with excellent shelf life and stability. The aroma is that of fresh coconut milk. It is solid at room temperature and performs similarly to Kukui, Jojoba, Illipe and Shea Butter. It is creamier when stored in warmer temperatures and is firmer at cooler temperatures. In countries where it is produced, it is a food source and has been found to be the best source of monolaurin, a well known antiseptic substance found in breast milk.

Natural Sourcing 100% Organic Virgin Coconut Oil is obtained from freshly harvested coconut meat that has been grated and then expeller pressed to produce the coconut milk. This milk is then centrifuged to separate the milk into coconut solids, water and oil. This separation is so thorough that the oil has no moisture left in it to promote rancidity, and the oil does not need to undergo any further heating to remove moisture. This method yields the finest, creamiest, most flavorful coconut oil possible. This unique cold process extraction takes place within hours of opening the coconuts, and it conserves all of the nutritive, functional components of coconuts such as squalene, tocopherols and sterol.

Natural Sourcing Organic Virgin Coconut Oil is carefully stored and packaged to maintain the purity, freshness and beneficial properties of this nutritive, virgin oil.

### Organic Virgin Coconut Oil Properties:

- Typically Solid at Room Temperature
- Pleasant, Characteristic Coconut Aroma
- Creamy White to Off-White in Color
- Moisturizes and Protects
- Noteworthy Source of Vitamin E
- Lends Oxidative Stability to Product Formulations
- Anti-fungal
- Rich in Unsaponifiables
- Helps Prevent Evaporation of Volatile Aromatic Components



### Organic Virgin Coconut Oil is Suitable for the Following Personal Care Applications:

- Skin Care
- Hair Care
- Lip Care
- Massage
- Cold Process Soapmaking
- Aromatherapy

### About Natural Sourcing, LLC:

Natural Sourcing specializes in the procurement and supply of over 500 natural ingredients for cosmeceutical, spa, massage and aromatherapy applications. Ingredients are carefully selected for their quality and functionality in skin care, hair care and beauty treatments. Natural Sourcing's ingredient lines consist of nutritive specialty ingredients including berry oils, organic beeswax, organic shea butter, pomegranate oil and watermelon seed oil. Additionally, Natural Sourcing offers over 25 categories of natural ingredients.

Natural Sourcing is a member of the Organic Trade Association and has its organic certification through CCOF. Natural Sourcing is dedicated towards becoming an increasingly strong presence in the growing awareness of the importance and benefits of organic skin care.

Natural Sourcing operates a 30,000 square foot facility in Oxford, Connecticut.

Customers and interested parties can learn more about Natural Sourcing or request a brochure and product samples by visiting its Web site or by calling its Customer Care department.

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