

PARAOIL™ EVENING PRIMROSE OIL 9% GLA (GMO FREE)

INCI: Oenothera Biennis Oil



Evening Primrose Oil is harvested from the seed of the Evening Primrose, a wildflower that blooms in the evening native to Eastern and Central North America but is cultivated in other parts of the world including China.

Evening Primrose Oil is Rich in Omega 3, 6 & 9 Fatty Acids:
>9% Linolenic Acid (Omega-3)
>70% Linoleic Acid (Omega-6)
>6% Oleic Acid (Omega-9)

Omega 3 & 6 play a critical role in skin barrier function and appearance^{*1}. Skin deprived of these fatty acids typically show greater transepidermal water loss, acne & sebum imbalances^{*2}, and weak barrier function.

Description: Clear bright yellow oil.

Suggested Use: Bath and cleansing products, lipstick, skin and haircare products, shampoo and conditioner.

Shelf Life: 2 year with proper storage and handling. Once opened the oil should be nitrogen-blanketed. Keep in Cool (<25°C) storage away from light and moisture in unopened container.

*1 Linus Pauling Institute, Oregon State University, "micronutrient Information":
<http://pi.oregonstate.edu/infocenter/skin/EFA/#overview>.

*2 Journal of the American Academy of Dermatology, "Essential Fatty Acids and Acne", Vol 14, Number2, Part 1, February, 1986.

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