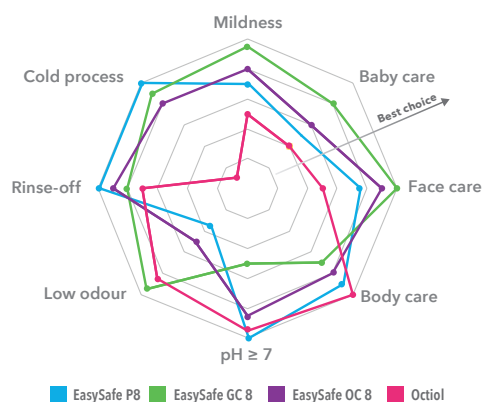


## Specifications and Characteristics

NAME	EASYSAFE P8	EASYSAFE GC 8	EASYSAFE OC 8	OCTIOL
INCI	Caprylyl Glycol, Phenyl-propanol, Water	Caprylyl Glycol, Glyceryl Caprylate/ Caprate, Glycerin	Caprylyl Glycol, Phenyl-propanol, o-Cymen-5-ol, Water	Caprylyl Glycol
MELTING POINT	< 5 °C	< - 10 °C	< - 10 °C	35°C
ASPECT	Liquid, almost colorless	Liquid, slightly colored	Liquid, almost colorless	Solid or liquid, white / colorless
ODOUR	Faint, aromatic	Faint, characteristic	Faint, aromatic	Faint, characteristic
WATER SOLUBILITY (20°C)	0.9%	< 0.1%	0.4%	0.8%
pH OF USE	3.0 ▶ 10.0	4.0 ▶ 7.0	3.0 ▶ 8.0	3.0 ▶ 10.0
USE LEVEL	0.5 ▶ 2.0%	0.75 ▶ 2.0%	0.5 ▶ Max. 1.5%	0.2 ▶ 1.0%
COLD PROCESS	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
MICROBICIDE EFFECT	Yeast/mold/ bacteria	Yeast/mold/ bacteria	Yeast/mold/ bacteria	Yeast/mold/ bacteria
LISTED PRESERVATIVE FREE	Yes	Yes	No	Yes

## EasySafe selector



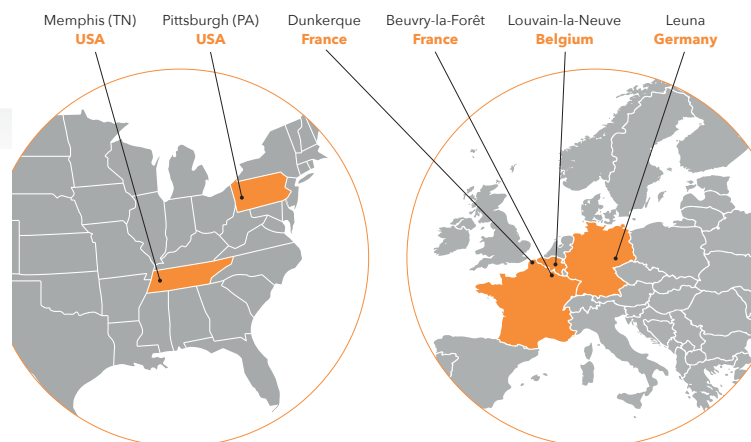
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# EASYSAFE OC 8 - P8 - GC 8

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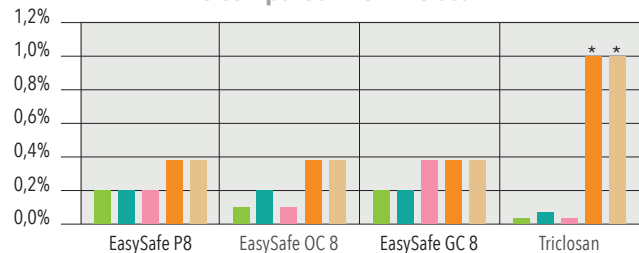
## EasySafe P8, GC 8, OC 8 from Minasolve: A TOOLBOX OF THREE PERFORMANCE SOLUTIONS

### For cost effective antimicrobial protection

Safety is key in the design of consumer products, regardless of their sales price. Minasolve therefore offers three economical solutions for alternative formula protection. **EasySafe P8**, **EasySafe GC 8** and **EasySafe OC 8** are all based on the cost-effective multifunctional ingredient **Caprylyl Glycol (Octiol)**.

All three solutions are temperature-stable, effective at low dosage, versatile and easy to use liquids. They are based on safe, mild and undisputed components, they are readily biodegradable and suitable for "clean labelling" (halogen-free, paraben-free, formaldehyde-free ...). Having a wider antimicrobial spectrum than Triclosan, these three EasySafe blends can be considered safe alternatives.

MIC compared with Triclosan



■ *S. aureus* (Gram +) ■ *P. aeruginosa* (Gram -) ■ *E. coli* (Gram -) ■ *A. brasiliensis* (mould) ■ *C. albicans* (yeast)

(\*) Value > 0.5

## Optimized for wet wipes protection

EasySafe P8, GC 8 and OC 8 have been subjected to challenge tests on wet wipes in accordance with the Pharm. Eur. protocol.

- **EasySafe OC 8** and **P8** effectively preserve wet wipes at **1% use-level** (criteria A).
- The recommended use-level for **EasySafe GC 8** is **1.5%**.

Tested wipes: *Ascutec*, 50 g/m<sup>2</sup> airlaid, 92% total chlorine free (TCF) cellulose + 8 % ethylene/vinyl acetate binder.

Wet wipes liquid: 91-94% water, 5-8% Natragem S140 NP, 1% EasySafe Blend, pH = 5.5 adjusted with citric acid.

## Performance in microbial challenge tests

Phase	Raw material	INCI name	%
A	Deminerized Water	Aqua	ad 100
	Xanthan Gum N <sup>(2)</sup>	Xanthan Gum	0.5
B	Emulgade PL 68/50 <sup>(3)</sup>	Cetearyl Glucoside (and) Cetearyl Alcohol	5.0
	Shea Butter <sup>(4)</sup>	Butyrospermum Parkii (Shea) Butter	3.0
	Jjoba Oil <sup>(4)</sup>	Simmondsia Chinensis (Jojoba) Oil	3.0
	Hazelnut Oil <sup>(4)</sup>	Corylus Avellana (Hazel) Seed Oil	3.0
C	Bioxan T70 <sup>(5)</sup>	Tocopherol	0.1
D	aq. Citric Acid / NaOH	Citric Acid / Sodium Hydroxide / Aqua	pH 4.5 • 8.0
E	EasySafe P8 / GC 8 / OC 8 <sup>(1)</sup>	Caprylyl Glycol + X ...	0.5 • 1.5 %

Phase	Raw material	INCI name	%
A	Deminerized Water	Aqua	ad 100
	Xanthan Gum N <sup>(2)</sup>	Xanthan Gum	0.6
	Plantacare 818 UP <sup>(3)</sup>	Coco Glucoside	15.0
	Plantapon ACG HC <sup>(3)</sup>	Sodium Cocoamphoacetate	5.0
B	TEGO Betain F 50 <sup>(6)</sup>	Cocamidopropyl Betain	5.0
B	aq. Citric Acid / NaOH	Citric Acid / Sodium Hydroxide / Aqua	pH 4.5 • 8.0
C	EasySafe P8 / GC 8 / OC 8 <sup>(1)</sup>	Caprylyl Glycol + X ...	0.5 • 2.0 %

Raw material suppliers:

<sup>(1)</sup> Minasolve <sup>(2)</sup> Jungbunzlauer <sup>(3)</sup> BASF <sup>(4)</sup> Casear & Loretz <sup>(5)</sup> BTSa <sup>(6)</sup> Evonik

	pH	EasySafe P8			EasySafe GC 8			EasySafe OC 8			Octiol		
		0.5%	0.75%	1%	0.75%	1%	1.5%	0.5%	0.75%	1%			
O/W emulsion	4.5	A	A	●	B	A	●	A	A	●	●		
	5.5	A	A	A	B	A	A	A	A	A	A		
	7.0	●	B	A	B	B	A	●	B	A	A		
	8.0	●	A	A	●	●	●	●	A	A	●		
Sulfate-free shampoo (very hard to preserve)	1.0%	1.5%	2.0%	1.0%	1.5%	2.0%	0.75%	1.0%	1.5%	1.0%			
	4.5	A	●	●	B	B	●	●	A	●	●		
	5.5	●	B	A	B	B	B	B	B	B	B		
	8.0	●	A	●	●	●	●	●	●	A	●		
	pH	EasySafe GC 8 + EasySafe P8						EasySafe GC 8 + EasySafe OC 8					
		0,5% + 0,5%		0,75% + 0,75%		1% + 1%		0,5% + 0,5%		0,75% + 0,75%		1% + 1%	
		4.5	A	●	●	●	●	A	●	●	●	●	
5.5	●	A	●	●	●	●	A	●	●	●			

A B Challenge test result, fulfils criteria A/B of ISO 11930 ● Likely to fulfill criteria A of ISO 11930 ● Not suitable for this application

## Standalone antimicrobial solutions

- The three EasySafe solutions are effective as standalone protection agents for various types of personal care products.

- EasySafe P8 and EasySafe OC 8 can also act synergistically in combination with EasySafe GC 8