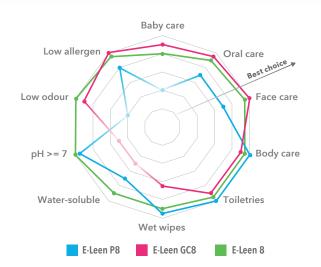
# **Specifications and Characteristics**

NAME	E-LEEN 8	E-LEEN P8	E-LEEN GC 8
INCI	Caprylyl Glycol, Glycerin, Water	Caprylyl Glycol, Phenylpro- panol, Water	Caprylyl Glycol, Glyceryl Caprylate/ Caprate, Glycerin
ASPECT	Liquid, colorless	Liquid, colorless	Liquid, almost color- less
ODOUR	Faint, characteristic	Faint, aromatic	Faint, characteristic
MELTING POINT	≈ 13°C	< 5°C	< -10°C
WATER SOLUBILI- TY (20°C)	0,9%	0,9%	< 0,1 %
pH OF USE	3.0 ► 10.0 (unlimited)	3.0 ► 10.0 (unlimited)	4.0 ▶ 7.0
USE LEVEL	0.5 ▶ 2.0%	0.5 ▶ 2.0%	0.5 ▶ 2.0%
NATURAL ORIGIN INDEX	1 (ISO 16128)	1 (ISO 16128)	1 (ISO 16128)

# **E-Leen selector**



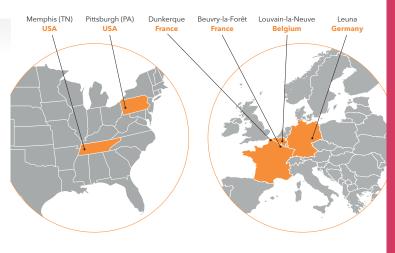
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- ► Improving our chemistry and operational excellence today
- ► Creating and innovating for tomorrow
- ▶ Driving our enterprises together to go beyond expectations







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## E-Leen 8, P8, GC 8 from MINASOLVE:

THREE CLEVER MIXTURES BASED ON NATURE-DERIVED CAPRYLYL GLYCOL

#### For sustainable & natural cosmetics

Eco-responsibility is at the heart of MINASOLVE's global strategy. Our mission is to continuously offer innovative products while ensuring respect for people and the environment.

**E-Leen 8, P8 and GC 8** are our newest innovations for self-preserved and **nature-based formulations**. All three products are of **100% natural origin**, **COSMOS** and **NATRUE approved**.

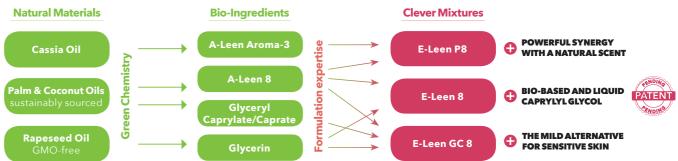
Each of the three products contains our **pioneering bio-based Caprylyl Glycol** that is produced via green chemistry from sustainably sourced coconut and palm kernel oils The utilized raw materials are all **GMO-free and 100% vegetal**.

**E-Leen 8, P8 and GC 8** are already efficient at **low use levels** and at **various pH-levels**. Being free of conventional preservatives, they represent an **unparalleled economical** option for the **alternative protection of natural cosmetics**.

All three solutions are **stable** and **easy-to-use liquids**. The high-performance ingredient Caprylyl Glycol therefore becomes **suitable for cold and continuous processing**. The resulting savings in time and energy during formulation and production contribute to the **overall ecological approach** behind these three ingredients.

## **MINASOLVE Green Solving Attitude:**

#### From natural & sustainable sourcing to clever antimicrobial solutions



# Performance in microbial challenge tests

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

Phase	Raw material	INCI name	%	
	Demineralized Water	Aqua	ad 100	
	Xanthan Gum N(2)	Xanthan Gum	0.6	
Α	Plantacare 818 UP(3)	Coco Glucoside	15.0	
	Plantapon ACG HC(3)	Sodium Cocoamphoacetate	5.0	
	TEGO Betain F 50 <sup>(6)</sup>	Cocamidopropyl Betain	5.0	
В	aq. Citric Acid / NaOH	Citric Acid / Sodium Hydroxide / Aqua	pH 4.5 ▶ 8.0	
С	E-Leen 8 / P8 / GC 8 <sup>(1)</sup>	Caprylyl Glycol + X	0.5 ▶ 2.0 %	

#### Raw material suppliers:

(1) Minasolve (2) Jungbunzlauer (3) BASF (4) Casear & Loretz (5) BTSA (6) Evonik

		E-Leen 8				E-Leen P8		E-Leen GC 8		
	pH %	0.5%	0.75%	1%	0.5%	0.75%	1%	0.75%	1%	1.5%
O/W emulsion	4.5	<b>B</b>			Δ	A		3	Δ	
	5.5		Δ	Δ	Δ	A	Δ	<b>3</b>	Δ	A
	7.0		A	A		B	Δ	<b>B</b>	<b>B</b>	Δ
	8.0	B	A	A		A	<b>&amp;</b>	•		<u> </u>
Sulfate-free shampoo (very hard to preserve)	pH %	1,0%	1,5%	2,0%	1,0%	1,5%	2,0%	1%	1,5%	2%
	4.5		A		Δ			<b>B</b>	<b>B</b>	
	5.5			Α		B	Δ	<b>B</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>B</b>
	8.0					Δ		•	•	•
					E-Leen P8 + E-Leen GC 8					
	pH %				0,5% + 0,5%		0,75% + 0,75%		1% + 1%	
	4.5				Δ		•		•	
	5.5						Δ		•	

#### Standalone antimicrobial solutions

- ▶ Each of the three E-Leen solutions is effective as a standalone protection agent for various types of personal care products.
- ► E-Leen P8 can also act synergistically in combination with E-Leen GC 8 for very hard to preserve formulations.