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FACT SHEET **VITAMIN E**

Description: Our natural vitamin E is a powerful antioxidant. This thick, red-brown liquid is a 95% active blend of alpha, beta, gamma and delta tocopherols. Great in all skin and hair care products. Contains no chemicals or solvents.

INCI Name: Tocopherol

Use: Recommended usage rate: 0.05% - 2%

Properties: Vitamin E can help to protect the skin from UV damage, as well as improving skin texture and moisture content. Studies also show it can help prevent melanin deposits, promote hair growth and improve the stability of cosmetic formulations.

Applications: Soaps, lotions, creams, lip balms, hair care products.

Sample Recipe: *Luxury Lip Balm*

30% Olive Oil (use a good virgin olive oil here, not pomace)
22% Beeswax
15% Cocoa Butter
10% Mango Butter
10% Macadamia Butter
9% Avocado Oil
2% Vitamin E
1% Squalane
1% Flavour Oil or Essential Oil (peppermint essential oil is lovely)

Direction

- 1.** In a pyrex or microwave-safe container, melt the beeswax with the olive oil. I do this at 2 minute intervals to avoid anything boiling over or burning. Once the beeswax has melted, add the butters and stir until they've melted, too. They may melt rather slowly, but it's important to add the butters this way so that your lip balm doesn't become grainy later
- 2.** Once the butters have melted, add the rest of the ingredients and stir well. Once everything is incorporated, your balm is ready to go into the containers. I've designed this balm to be firm enough for lip balm tubes.

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