

LIPOTEC

Two main technology platforms, **Molecular Cosmetics** and **Delivery Systems**, lead the research, design and production of Lipotec's well-known active ingredients for cosmetics, cosmetotextiles and nutricosmetics, which has led to numerous successful products over the years. Founded in 1987 in Barcelona, Spain, Lipotec is from July 2012 part of Lubrizol, a Berkshire Hathaway company.

The full range of Molecular Cosmetics developed covers skin and hair care needs with molecules of synthetic origin (peptides and other small molecules) and of natural origin (biotechnological active ingredients). These molecules have a well-defined structure, optimum purity, proven efficacy and completely safe profiles. All claims associated to Lipotec's active ingredients portfolio are supported by *in vitro* and *in vivo* tests.

The close relationship of Lipotec to academia via numerous partnerships, and its pharmaceutical approach energize the company's impetus to research. This is supported by a high R&D investment as well as by a highly-skilled multidisciplinary team of senior experts in chemistry, biochemistry, pharmacy and biotechnology with an understanding of advanced technologies such as combinatorial chemistry, molecular modeling and biotechnology, as well as strong patent field.

Lipotec has recently obtained the three-year renewal of the Quality Management System, ISO 9001:2008 (August 1, 2014).

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