



Alkyl Polyglucosides: From Natural-Origin Surfactants to Prospective Delivery Systems (Hardback)

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ELSEVIER SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY, United Kingdom, 2014.
Hardback. Book Condition: New. 234 x 162 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. The on-going green trend in the personal care industry coupled with global environmental concerns, place natural-origin, biodegradable and skin-friendly surfactants such as alkyl polyglucosides (APGs) in high demand. After successful use in cosmetics, sufficient data has been obtained to welcome some sugar emulsifiers into the field of drug dosage. Alkyl Polyglucosides presents a comprehensive compendium which guides a researcher from the APG-related preformulation stages to formulation processing, including the investigation of various APG-stabilized systems skin performance. This book introduces various APG representatives, their benefits in relation to certain conventional surfactants, physicochemical and interfacial properties, possible interaction with commonly used ingredients and diverse characterization techniques indispensable for the assessment of colloidal systems. The first chapter introduces alkyl polyglucosides, followed by chapters on their properties, behaviour, an overview of the patent protection mechanisms and guidelines for submitting patent applications. Finally, a conclusion surveys international patent applications involving APGs. * Introduces the field of alkyl polyglucoside emulsifiers, listing all the contemporary and newly synthesized APG emulsifiers* Provides detailed information on various aspects of APG-based structures* Reveals potential of APG-stabilized vehicles as prospective delivery...

Reviews

This publication may be really worth a go through, and a lot better than other. It really is written in simple terms and never difficult to understand. Once you begin to read the book, it is extremely difficult to leave it before concluding.

-- **Natalie Abbott**

This book will not be simple to get going on reading but extremely exciting to read through. Yes, it can be playful, still an interesting and amazing literature. I am very easily could possibly get a delight of reading a written book.

-- **Rene Olson**