

Abstract

Provided is a skin cosmetic having a high ultraviolet light-shielding effect, providing fresh and smooth feeling without causing friction feeling, and thus providing a good sense of use.

A skin cosmetic comprising the following components

(A), (B) and (C):

(A) from 3% to 50% by mass of gel-like particles,

(B) from 0.05% to 3% by mass of a thickener, and

(C) from 30% to 95% by mass of water, where

the component (A) is gel-like particles comprising the following (a) to (f):

(a) from 0.1% to 10% by mass of at least one gelling agent selected from the group consisting of agar, carrageenan and gelatin,

(b) from 1% to 30% by mass of an inorganic ultraviolet scattering agent,

(c) from 1% to 40% by mass of an organic ultraviolet absorber,

(d) from 0.1% to 24% by mass of an amphipathic solid fat,

(e) from 0.05% to 5% by mass of a dextrin fatty acid ester, and

(f) from 30% to 80% by mass of water.