Claims

1. A topical wash composition characterized in that it comprises:
    a) Between 1% w/w and 5% w/w of benzoyl peroxide (BPO),
    b) Between 0.5% w/w and 5% w/w expressed by weight of active material relative to the total weight of the composition of at least one anionic and/or non-ionic surfactants, selected from Zinc coceth sulfate; sodium cocoyl isethionate, sodium lauroyl isethionate, C14-C16 α-olefinsulfonates preferably its sodium salt and decyl glucoside,
    c) Between 0.1% w/w and 1% w/w of Zinc gluconate,
    d) Between 0.1% w/w and 1% w/w of Dipotassium glycyrrhizate,
    e) Between 1% and 15% of an oily phase,
    f) Between 5% and 90% of an aqueous phase,
    g) Between 0.1% and 5% of sugar ester derivatives, and/or polyglycerol esters and/or gemini surfactants.

2. Composition according to claim 1, wherein it is a foaming composition.

3. Composition according to any preceding claim, wherein it is in the form of an oil in water emulsion.

4. Composition according to claim 1 wherein the aqueous phase comprises between 0.1% and 10% of glycerin.

5. Composition according to any one of claims 1 to 4, which further comprises gelling agent selected from: the polyacrylamide family, such as sodium acryloyldimethyltaurate copolymer / isohexadecane / polysorbate 80 or polyacrylamide / isoparaffin C13-14 / laureth-7; carbomers chosen from acrylates/C_{10-30} alkyl acrylate crosspolymer and acrylates/C_{10-30} alkyl crosspolymer, polysaccharides such as xanthan gum or pectin, guar gum, cellulose derivatives such as hydroxypropyl methylcellulose or hydroxyethylcellulose; magnesium aluminium silicate and neutralized polymeric sulfonic acid polymers such as Ammonium Acryloyl dimethyltaureate/carboxyethyl acrylate crosspolymer alone or as a mixture.

6. Composition according to any of the preceding claims wherein the composition comprises between 2.5% and 5% of benzoyl peroxide.

7. Composition according to any of the preceding claims wherein the concentration of zinc gluconate, expressed by weight relative to the total weight of the composition, is between 0.15% and 0.3%.

8. Composition according to any of the preceding claims wherein the concentration of dipotassium glycyrrhizate, expressed by weight relative to the total weight of the composition, is between 0.15% and 0.3%.

9. A composition according to any of the preceding claims for use in the treatment of acne vulgaris.

10. A composition according to any one of claims 1 to 8 for use in treating or improving the acne individual skin by administering to said individual in need thereof said composition.

11. A composition as defined in any one of claims 1 to 8, for use in preventing, inhibiting or treating common acne.