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ABIHPEC, the Brazilian Toiletry, Perfumery and Cosmetic Association, has coordinated a strategy to stimulate cosmetic exports to the US in an attempt to increase the competitiveness of Brazilian products and to create new opportunities in...

- [Aerosol awards 07](#)

July 2006

The British Aerosol Manufacturer's Association (BAMA) is organising the first International Aerosol Awards on behalf of the European aerosol federation, FEA. The awards are designed to celebrate creativity and technical excellence, with...

- [Aerosol fillings u in UK](#)

July 2006

BAMA has reported an increase in UK aerosol filling figures for 2005 with a 1.2% rise on 2004 to 1258.7 million cans. The biggest growth in fillings in the personal care sector came from shaving products, hairsprays and hair mousse.

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- [**APD - Calm confidence**](#)

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New product development has helped push the apd sector into a new league, with additional benefits borrowed from skin care technology driving sales. SPC reports

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- [**Bacteria in henna alert**](#)

July 2006

The Hungarian government has banned the sale of three Lush henna hair colouring products over alleged excess bacteria, ordering a consumer recall. The move covers caca noir, caca marron and caca brun variants, all made in

the...

- **BASF wins Engelhard bid**

July 2006

After months of rejection from Engelhard Corporation, BASF has completed its acquisition of the company and Engelhard is now a wholly owned subsidiary of BASF. The takeover is believed to have cost more than \$5bn and is the largest acquisition...

- **Body Care - Smooth operator**

July 2006

With plenty of npd and growth in targeted body care products there has been no better time for consumers to obtain the body beautiful. SPC investigates the new claims

- **Break out**

July 2006

L'Oréal Paris has launched Elvive Anti-breakage, a new hair care range designed to repair dry hair in two ways, from the inside and the outside.

- **Chinese raw material suppliers now a major challenge to multinationals**

July 2006

Multinational suppliers of speciality raw materials for the cosmetics and toiletries industry are facing mounting competition from Chinese suppliers who can now offer products of the same quality at a much lower price, according to a new...

- **Ciba forms triclosan jv in India**

July 2006

Ciba Specialty Chemicals and Indian pharmaceutical company Virchow Group have signed a joint venture agreement for the production of triclosan that meets US Pharmacopoeia purity specifications. Ciba hopes the venture will help it expand...

- **Cinematic colour**

July 2006

Dior says its new Rouge Dior represents a new generation of lipstick where the worlds of cinema and couture collide. The goal in development was to “push back the limits of Dior Rouge’s current formula” and the result was the creation...

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- [Colipa - Confidence tricks](#)

July 2006

Consumer confidence is more important than ever in light of sluggish markets and the onset of potentially disruptive legislation, says Colipa. That’s why the European trade association took it as the theme of its Annual Congress held in...

- [Core builds Ministry C&T](#)

July 2006

Brand building business The Core Business is developing the range of personal care products for music, entertainment and lifestyle brands Ministry of Sound and its Hed Kandi brand, announced earlier this year.

There...

- [Cross the line](#)

July 2006

The Label Makers have announced the completion of the Nilpeter FA Line Packaging Press, a 420mm wide web press equipped with 8 print stations incorporating UV flexo, UV silkscreen and cold foil. Said to have highly accurate print registration,...

- [Designer luxury](#)

July 2006

UK designer Matthew Williamson is adding a body cream and candle to his fragrance and body collection. The body cream contains sweet almond oil, refined grape seed oil and aloe vera and is packaged in a square glass pot. The candle...

- [DKNY adds apple](#)

July 2006

DKNY (Estée Lauder) has launched a follow-up fragrance duo to the successful Be Delicious line. DKNY Red Delicious opens with a champagne accord, notes of lychee, red raspberry and crisp apple, with vanilla bean at the heart and...

- [Elle extends body](#)

July 2006

Launched just last September and available only at Boots, 45-year old supermodel Elle Macpherson's The Body range is already a £3m brand and is reportedly targeted by Boots as one of its top five beauty brands.

- **[EU determined to speed pace of alternative tests](#)**

July 2006

The European Commission has launched a three-pronged attack on using animals to test cosmetics, notably by releasing formal guidelines on labelling claiming products were tested in other ways. Participating manufacturers, whose products...

- **[Eye doctor](#)**

July 2006

A new Dr skin care collection targets the delicate skin of the eye area. Dr Harnik Skincare eye treatments are said to combine skin science with natural ingredients. The formulations, developed by Hungarian dermatologist Dr Helena Harnik,...

- **[Femme fatale](#)**

July 2006

Lancôme is describing its launch of Fatale mascara as the birth of a cult mascara. Fatale contains a Filtex coating formula and Plump Wax complex and uses an Ampliforme 3D comb, said to have taken four years of development. The Filtex...

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- **[Flower power](#)**

July 2006

The red bottle of Cartier's new women's fragrance, Délices de Cartier, has been crowned with an ornate cap created by Alcan Packaging Beauty. The 30, 50 and 100ml edt bottles are topped with a flower cap, made of transparent Surllyn, studded...

- **[Fragrance: The sweetness of violets](#)**

July 2006

The sweetness of the violet's deep blue eyes, Kissed by the breath of heaven, Seems color'd by its skies

Byron

Rhona Wells investigates violets in perfumery

- [**French to join EFfCI**](#)

July 2006

A group has been created within ASPA, the Association Sectorielle des Producteurs d'Agents de surface et de leurs intermédiaires organiques, to federate the producers and distributors of cosmetics ingredients in France.

ASPA...

- [**In a glaze**](#)

July 2006

John Frieda says he is creating a brand new C&T category by bringing salon glazing, promising to give shine and add colour, to the premium mass market.

- [**Is the price necessarily right?**](#)

July 2006

There's a lot of talk about consumers trading up in the cosmetics sector and premiumisation of the market, but maybe that's partly to do with worrying about being left behind.

- [**Kidston does C&T**](#)

July 2006

Interior designer Cath Kidston has teamed up with cosmetics manufacturer Heathcote & Ivory to produce a range of toiletries to complement her growing lifestyle brand. The toiletries are available in three fragrances - Lemon & Geranium, Rose...

- [**Lanxess denies interest in acquiring Degussa**](#)

July 2006

German chemicals group Lanxess has denied reports that it is interested in acquiring rival German chemical speciality group Degussa despite a report in the Rheinische Post which said Lanxess had approached state government in Düsseldorf,...

- [**Lets get digital**](#)

July 2006

Printing is a considerable packaging cost for manufacturers. Bob Scherer argues that it pays to go digital in the short run

- [Method of using optically-activated particles in cosmetic preparations](#)

July 2006

Claimed are optically-activated particles encapsulated within a UV transparent coating that are able to absorb ultraviolet radiation and emit visible light to reduce the visual perception of skin imperfections, including cellulite, shadows,...

- [Monoï: Return to Monoï](#)

July 2006

Just as innovative new products are starting to appear on the market, the second monoï formulation contest has introduced further inspiration from this Tahitian flower

- [Naturally active](#)

July 2006

Based on sucrose and vegetable acids, Sisterna sucrose esters are a unique range of natural, EO-free emulsifiers that are said to have exceptional performance and mildness to the skin and eyes. Sisterna states that the sucrose esters offer...

- [Nina's new apple](#)

July 2006

Puig's Nina Ricci has utilised its prestigious heritage for the launch of its latest female scent. Simply entitled Nina, after the couture house's eponymous founder, the new edt fragrance gives more than a passing nod to its colourful past,...

- [Organic farm](#)

July 2006

The Alban Muller group introduced Phytamis and is now launching a new range of 100% natural, preservative-free plant extracts -Organic Plant Phytamis. The range is based on a palette of nine guaranteed organic plants: yarrow, hawthorn, great...

- [P&G chooses Enginuity](#)

July 2006

US company Enginuity PLM, the new software division of IMS, has entered into a license agreement with Procter & Gamble. P&G is to use Enginuity's software worldwide to help its R&D teams streamline global product development.

P&G's...

- [Pack it up](#)

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FaraPack 2006 will focus on next generation packaging. SPC is sponsoring the event which runs in York, UK from 11-12 October

- [Partners in crime](#)

July 2006

VOL-A volumetric filler from KAPS-ALL Packaging Systems is a fully automatic filling system that can handle a wide variety of bottle sizes in addition to liquid and semi-liquid applications. The filler features an advanced microprocessor...

- [Phoenix foaming](#)

July 2006

Phoenix Spa Products has launched a lower cost version of Fanatical Foam, with a similar performance in that it provides foam without the use of an aerosol. An amount is applied to wet skin and after five seconds the foam will burst to provide...

- [Plastic possibilities](#)

July 2006

UV litho printer Plastiscene is using a new process that prints metallic ink on clear plastic thanks to a collaboration with MetalFX, the company that perfected the technology. Atomic MK, Plastiscene's sister company, has designed a CD mailing...

- [PPR sells Le Printemps to Italians](#)

July 2006

PPR, which is changing its name to P3, has sold the French department store group Le Printemps to its Italian equivalent La Rinascente along with a consortium of French banks led by Natexis.

- [Put a lid on it](#)

July 2006

CTL Packaging has increased its Positop range with a new 30mm cap size, which means smaller volumes can now have a flip-top, offering a more convenient option for frequent travellers. The 30mm size joins the existing 35, 40 and 50mm sized...

- [Rexam secures Airspray](#)

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Sessions of York has introduced RCP64 as a new addition to its range of multi-task thermal transfer printers. This semi-automatic printer has been developed to apply labels to round containers and is ideal for low to medium volume producers....

- [SCC Supplier's day - Supply and demand](#)

July 2006

Fears by many about the new location proved to be unfounded as SCC Suppliers' Day drew its largest ever crowd. Emma Reinhold reports

- [SCS council elected for 2006/2007](#)

July 2006

Officers and council for 2006/07 were elected by the Society of Cosmetic Scientists (SCS) at its AGM held on 23 May. Chris Nichols (Active Ingredients) is the new president, Mike Salmon (PB Beauty) is vice president, Clare Henderson (SPC)...

- [SCS opens doors for new members to join](#)

July 2006

Following changes to membership criteria, the Society of Cosmetic Scientists (SCS) is now able to welcome certain new members who were previously not eligible to join. This includes both young scientists new to the industry and those working...

- [Shh... its Jade Goody](#)

July 2006

Jade Goody, who found her fortune following her appearance on reality TV show Big Brother, has launched her own fragrance. The creative process is currently being aired on Living TV. Goody says she decided to create her own fragrance, Shh.....

- [Shh...it's Jade](#)

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- [Shining example](#)

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Crown Risdon's complete stock package for cosmetic products has been used by Avon for its new Sparkle 'n' Shine eyeliner. The new product is available in two shades and features particles of suspended glitter that give the illusion of sparkling...

- [Spa man](#)

July 2006

Following an increase in male clients at its spas, Champneys is moving into men's grooming products.

- [Special salts](#)

July 2006

Sodium sesquicarbonate is derived from the naturally occurring ore Trona. Conventional versions of this are derived from the ammonia soda process, which liberates ammonia. The East Lancashire Chemical Company (ELCO) has developed a production...

- [Stable condition](#)

July 2006

Cosmetic formulators face a challenge when they need to develop stable cosmetic formulations, especially when using light sensitive organic ingredients such as dyestuffs, fragrances, active ingredients and UV filters. When light sensitive...

- [Style bargains](#)

July 2006

New from UK retailer Boots is Styleworks, a range of affordable hair styling products.

- [Teen queen](#)

October 2006

Mattel has launched a brand new Barbie (Puig) fragrance called B. The edt features top notes of bergamot, Italian orange and green apple, a heart of jasmine petals, muguet and berries and a base of sweet notes, sandalwood and musk. Targeted...

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- [**The big mix-up**](#)

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Hosokawa Micron Ltd has introduced the Pharma Flexomix, a continuous mixer agglomerator, developed to meet the needs of the pharmaceutical industry while producing high quality end products. The Flexomix is said to incorporate an easy clean...

- [**The bigger picture**](#)

July 2006

Packaging development today is an extremely involved process says Ian Crawford, exhibition director for Total Processing & Packaging 2007

- [**The clean scene**](#)

July 2006

New from SPX Process Equipment is the Bran + Luebbe ProCam Sanitary pump. The EHEDG compliant model uses food-grade components that permit clean-in-place of the membrane pumpheads and valves. The pump can deliver up to 500 l/h at pressures...

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- [**Think ink**](#)

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Linx Printing Technologies has introduced a new alcohol and chemical resistant ink which it says provides clear and durable results for applications in the cosmetics industry.

- [**Title: Hair colour application using cluster-modified water**](#)

July 2006

Described are methods of colouring hair with cluster-modified water to achieve enhanced colour and conditioning for hair that is colour treated. The cluster-modified water can be applied to the hair as a pre-saturating or post-saturating...

- **[Title: Method for colouring hair with removable hair colour](#)**

July 2006

Claimed is a composition that will colour hair to the same degree as permanent hair colour but can be removed from the hair when desired. Also claimed is a method for colouring hair that provides the same degree of gentleness as found in...

- **[Turn back time](#)**

July 2006

New from Seatons is Pomegranate Seed Oil, a new fruit oil for skin cosmetics. Pomegranates originate from ancient Persia where the heavily seeded fruit was seen as a symbol of wealth, hope and abundance. The pink-orange pomegranate fruit...

- **[UK - Consumer indulgence](#)**

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SPC finds that a feel good factor amongst consumers produces growth in the UK C&T market

- **[Walking on air](#)**

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Rieke Packaging Systems Englass has launched a new range of Airless Dispensers designed to provide user-friendly dosing of various hair care and skin care products while also offering stylish design.

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