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Comprehensive instructions for optimal use and care of your EltaMD UV Clear Tinted Face Sunscreen SPF 46.

1. Product Overview

The EltaMD UV Clear Tinted Face Sunscreen SPF 46 is an oil-free facial sunscreen formulated with zinc oxide. This lightweight, broad-spectrum sunscreen is designed to help calm and protect sensitive skin types, including those prone to acne, rosacea, and discoloration. Its tinted formula provides a natural-looking finish.



Figure 1: EltaMD UV Clear Tinted Face Sunscreen bottle highlighting key benefits.

2. Key Features and Benefits

- **Broad-Spectrum UV Protection:** Provides SPF 46 to protect against both UVA and UVB rays.
- **Oil-Free Formula:** Ideal for sensitive skin, including those prone to acne and rosacea.
- **Tinted Finish:** Offers a sheer tint to help even out skin tone and reduce the appearance of discoloration.
- **Niacinamide (Vitamin B3):** Helps reduce the appearance of blemishes and skin discoloration.
- **Zinc Oxide:** A natural mineral compound that reflects and scatters UVA and UVB rays.
- **Vitamin E:** An antioxidant that helps neutralize free radical damage.
- **Lightweight and Non-Comedogenic:** Designed not to clog pores or cause breakouts.



Figure 2: Key active ingredients and their benefits.

Figure 3: Illustration of the transparent zinc oxide finish on various skin tones.

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Video 2: Official EltaMD comparison of Tinted Sunscreens, showing the difference between Tinted and Deep Tinted shades on skin.

3. Setup: Priming the Pump

Before the first use, or if the pump stops dispensing product, it may need to be primed to remove any excess air from the dispensing system. This is a common characteristic of airless pump bottles designed to protect the product from air exposure.

1. Ensure the cap cover is securely in place over the pump.
2. Turn the container upside down.
3. Tap the bottom of the container firmly 8-10 times against a hard surface. This helps to move the product up and release air.
4. Turn the bottle right side up and pump slowly until the product dispenses. This may take several pumps.

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Video 1: Official EltaMD SPF Pump Troubleshooting Guide. This video demonstrates the correct method for priming the airless pump to ensure proper product dispensing.

4. Operating Instructions: Application

For effective sun protection, apply EltaMD UV Clear Tinted Face Sunscreen SPF 46 as directed. This product is suitable for daily use and can be worn alone or under makeup.

1. Dispense a generous amount of sunscreen onto your fingertips. A nickel-sized amount is generally recommended for the face and neck.
2. Apply evenly to your face, neck, and any other sun-exposed areas at least 15 minutes before sun exposure.
3. Gently blend the tinted formula into your skin using upward and outward strokes until absorbed. The tint is designed to blend seamlessly with most skin tones.
4. Reapply at least every 2 hours, or immediately after swimming, sweating, or towel drying.



Figure 4: Demonstrating the gentle application of EltaMD UV Clear Tinted Face Sunscreen.

5. Ingredients

Understanding the ingredients in your sunscreen is important for skin health.

Active Ingredients:

- Octinoxate 7.5%
- Zinc Oxide 9.0%

Inactive Ingredients:

Water, Cyclopentasiloxane, Niacinamide, Octyldodecyl Neopentanoate, Hydroxyethyl Acrylate/Sodium Acryloyldimethyl Taurate Copolymer, Butylene Glycol, Phenoxyethanol, Polyisobutene, Triethoxycaprylylsilane, Iron Oxides, Isopropyl Palmitate, Ethylhexyl Stearate, Tocopheryl Acetate, PEG-7 Trimethylolpropane Coconut Ether, Oleth-3 Phosphate, Iodopropynyl Butylcarbamate, Lactic Acid, Sodium Hyaluronate, Phosphoric Acid.

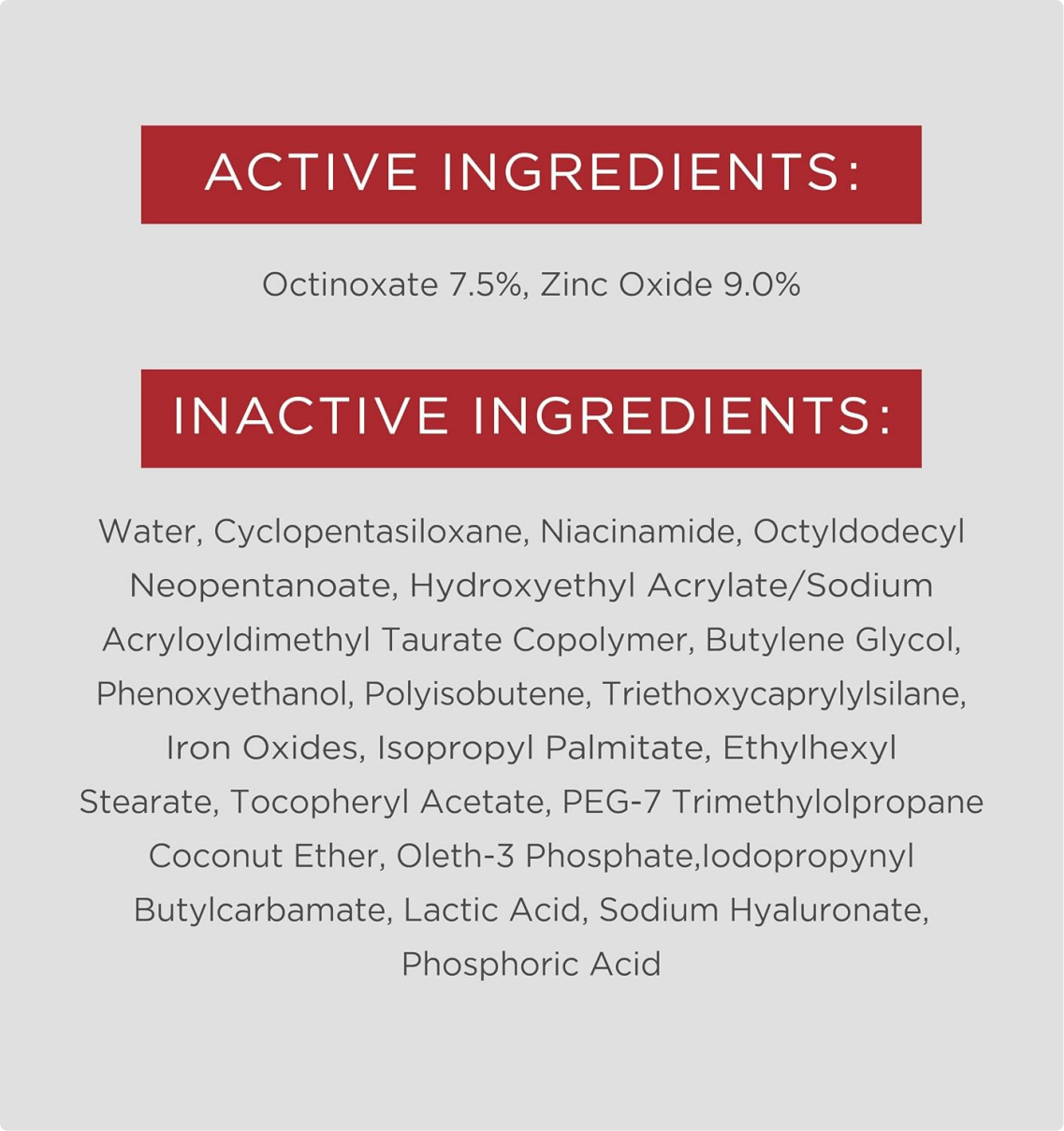


Figure 5: Detailed list of active and inactive ingredients.

6. Specifications

Feature	Detail
Product Dimensions	3.25 x 1.63 x 4.69 inches
Item Weight	4 Ounces

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Sun Protection Factor (SPF)	46
Scent	Fragrance-free
Product Benefits	Ultra-Violet Protection
Manufacturer	CP Skin Health
Number of Items	2 (Pack of 2)

7. Maintenance

Consistent reapplication is crucial for maintaining effective sun protection throughout the day.

- Reapply sunscreen at least every 2 hours when exposed to the sun.
- If swimming or sweating, reapply immediately after towel drying.
- Store the product in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight to maintain its efficacy.

8. Troubleshooting

If you encounter issues with your EltaMD UV Clear Tinted Face Sunscreen, consider the following:

- **Pump Not Dispensing:** Refer to the "Setup: Priming the Pump" section (Section 3) for instructions on how to prime the airless pump. This is often necessary for new bottles or if the product has settled.
- **Uneven Application:** Ensure your skin is clean and moisturized before applying. Use a small amount and blend thoroughly. If the tint appears uneven, try applying in smaller sections.
- **Skin Irritation:** While formulated for sensitive skin, discontinue use if irritation occurs and consult a healthcare professional.

9. Warranty and Support

For specific warranty information or product support, please refer to the official EltaMD website or contact their customer service directly. Keep your purchase receipt for any potential claims.

For further assistance, you may visit the EltaMD Brand Store on Amazon.