2 minutes application break

Shower gels

Facts

Origin Unknown

Dates back Early 20th century

Ingredients Water, surfactants and
fragrances

Shower gels are used for cleansing the skin

MixSing Standard



Design

Shear	CFD simulations confirms >200,000 s ⁻¹
Design	According to European legislation and CE marked
Hygiene	Complying with EHEDG guidelines
Viscosity	Up to 1,500 cP
Accessories	
Materials	Stainless steel: AISI 316L. All materials: EC 1935

Insight

Shower gels are personal care products used in the shower to cleanse the body. The origins of shower gels can be traced back to ancient civilizations such as Rome and Greece, where people used natural substances such as olive oil and ash to cleanse their skin. However, the modern form of shower gel as we know it today was not developed until the early 20th century.

In the early 20th century, soap manufacturers began to create liquid versions of their bar soaps called "bath oils" or "shower oils." These products were intended to be used in the shower to cleanse the body and provide a moisturizing

benefit. They were usually made with natural ingredients such as coconut, palm, and glycerin.

In the 1950s, the first shower gels were introduced. These products were similar to bath oils but were formulated to create a lather when used with water. They were usually made with a combination of surfactants, ingredients that help remove dirt and oil from the skin, and moisturizing agents, such as glycerin or aloe vera.

In the 1970s, shower gels began to be formulated with various ingredients such as exfoliants, botanical extracts, and fragrances. This allowed for the creation of shower gels tailored to specific skin types and added benefits such as moisturizing, exfoliating, and aromatherapy.

In the 21st century, natural and organic ingredients are more prevalent in the formulation of shower gels, such as essential oils, plant-based surfactants, and organic aloe vera.

Today, many different types of shower gels are available on the market.