

## **Development of cosmetic compositions for whitening the skin and method of its testing**

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### **Abstract**

Compositions of the bleaching cream were developed. These compositions were investigated on the colloidal stability and value of the pH. Developed the validation method of lightening effect of the cream was developed according to the mechanism of exfoliation of dead skin cells. The studies established a comparative scale for the assessment of the degree of skin lightening.