

**SHEER DEFENSE TINTED MOISTURIZER SPF 15 ML 40 MERLE NORMAN-  
octinoxate, titanium dioxide liquid  
Merle Norman Cosmetics, Inc.**

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Active Ingredients Purpose

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Uses

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Warnings

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reapply at least every 2 hours

Sun Protection Measures.

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wear long-sleeved shirts, pants, hats and sunglasses

Children under 6 months: Ask a doctor

Inactive ingredients:

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Equisetum Arvense Extract, Chamomilla Recutita (Matricaria) Flower Extract, Cucumis Sativus (Cucumber) Fruit Extract, Camellia Oleifera Leaf Extract, Lecithin, Petrolatum, Palmitic Acid, Polyglyceryl-10 Decaoleate, Polyacrylamide, PEG-12 Dimethicone, octyldodecyl Stearoyl Stearate, Steareth-20, C13-14 Isoparaffin, Isocetyl Alcohol, Propylene Glycol, Laureth-7, Silica, Cyclodextrin, Disodium EDTA, Phenoxyethanol, Tetrasodium EDTA, BHT, Diazolidinyl Urea, Fragrance (Parfum)

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Established in Los Angeles since 1931

35g Net Wt. 1.25 Oz

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**Other information**

- protect this product from excessive heat and direct sun

**Questions or comments?**

1-800-421-2060 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. PST

DERMATOLOGIST TESTED. OIL-FREE. NON-ACNEGENIC. NON-COMEDOGENIC.

APPLY WITH BRUSH, SPONGE OR FINGERTIPS.

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### Product Information

<b>Product Type</b>	HUMAN OTC DRUG	<b>Item Code (Source)</b>	NDC:57627-156
<b>Route of Administration</b>	TOPICAL		

### Active Ingredient/Active Moiety

Ingredient Name	Basis of Strength	Strength
<b>OCTINOXATE</b> (UNII: 4Y5P7MUD51) (OCTINOXATE - UNII:4Y5P7MUD51)	OCTINOXATE	2.6 g in 35 g
<b>TITANIUM DIOXIDE</b> (UNII: 15FIX9V2JP) (TITANIUM DIOXIDE - UNII:15FIX9V2JP)	TITANIUM DIOXIDE	15.3 g in 35 g

### Inactive Ingredients

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<b>WATER</b> (UNII: 059QF0KO0R)	
<b>DIMETHICONE</b> (UNII: 92RU3N3Y1O)	
<b>BUTYLENE GLYCOL</b> (UNII: 3XUS85K0RA)	
<b>GLYCERYL STEARATE SE</b> (UNII: FCZ5MH785I)	
<b>MICA</b> (UNII: V8A1AW0880)	
<b>TALC</b> (UNII: 7SEV7J4R1U)	
<b>FERRIC OXIDE RED</b> (UNII: 1K09F3G675)	

<b>FERRIC OXIDE YELLOW</b> (UNII: EX438O2MRT)
<b>FERROSFERRIC OXIDE</b> (UNII: XM0M87F357)
<b>GLYCERYL DILAURATE</b> (UNII: MFL3ZIE8SK)
<b>GLYCERYL MONOBEHENATE</b> (UNII: A626UU0W2A)
<b>CERAMIDE 3</b> (UNII: 4370DF050B)
<b>SACCHARIDE ISOMERATE</b> (UNII: W8K377W98I)
<b>ALLANTOIN</b> (UNII: 344S277G0Z)
<b>.ALPHA.-TOCOPHEROL ACETATE</b> (UNII: 9E8X80D2L0)
<b>TETRAHEXYLDECYL ASCORBATE</b> (UNII: 9LBV3F07AZ)
<b>SOYBEAN GERM</b> (UNII: JBW2VHD14M)
<b>ECHINACEA PURPUREA</b> (UNII: QI7G114Y98)
<b>FENNEL SEED</b> (UNII: G3QC02NIE6)
<b>EQUISETUM ARVENSE BRANCH</b> (UNII: 1L0VKZ185E)
<b>CHAMOMILE</b> (UNII: FGL3685T2X)
<b>CUCUMBER</b> (UNII: YY7C30VXJT)
<b>CAMELLIA OLEIFERA LEAF</b> (UNII: 5077EL0C60)
<b>LECITHIN, SOYBEAN</b> (UNII: 1DI56QDM62)
<b>PETROLATUM</b> (UNII: 4T6H12BN9U)
<b>PALMITIC ACID</b> (UNII: 2V16EO95H1)
<b>POLYACRYLAMIDE (1500 MW)</b> (UNII: 5D6TC4BRWW)
<b>PEG-12 DIMETHICONE (300 CST)</b> (UNII: ZEL54N6W95)
<b>OCTYLDODECYL STEAROYL STEARATE</b> (UNII: 3D47Q6D93C)
<b>STEARETH-20</b> (UNII: L0Q8IK9E08)
<b>C13-14 ISOPARAFFIN</b> (UNII: E4F12ROE70)
<b>ISOCETYL ALCOHOL</b> (UNII: 1800H64066)
<b>PROPYLENE GLYCOL</b> (UNII: 6DC9Q167V3)
<b>LAURETH-7</b> (UNII: Z95S6G8201)
<b>SILICON DIOXIDE</b> (UNII: ETJ7Z6XBU4)
<b>EDETATE DISODIUM</b> (UNII: 7FLD91C86K)
<b>PHENOXYETHANOL</b> (UNII: HIE492ZZ3T)
<b>EDETATE SODIUM</b> (UNII: MP1J8420LU)
<b>BUTYLATED HYDROXYTOLUENE</b> (UNII: 1P9D0Z171K)
<b>DIAZOLIDINYL UREA</b> (UNII: H5RIZ3MPW4)

### Packaging

#	Item Code	Package Description	Marketing Start Date	Marketing End Date
1	NDC:57627-156-02	1 in 1 CARTON	12/12/2012	
1	NDC:57627-156-01	35 g in 1 TUBE; Type 0: Not a Combination Product		

### Marketing Information

Marketing Category	Application Number or Monograph Citation	Marketing Start Date	Marketing End Date
OTC Monograph Drug	M020	12/12/2012	

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