The products
in the Black Tea line
contain up to 98%
of ingredients
of natural origin.*

No silicones, parabens, sulphate surfactants and petrolatum

*The remaining percentage of ingredients guarantees product stability and appeal.







Black Tea

A soft, seductive aroma from the valleys of Darjeeling

Darjeeling: the very word is beguiling, just like the flavour of the fragrant tea that bears that name.

The story began in the mid-19th century, when the famous British botanist Robert Fortune travelled from China to the Eastern Himalayas, making his way to the Bengali town of Darjeeling, known as the "place of the thunderbolt".

He brought with him the seeds of Chinese tea plants, with the aim of growing them in this area and establishing a new commercial venture for Britain's East India Company.

The cool, fresh climate of these hills, standing at a height of 1000 to 2000 metres, proved to be ideal for cultivation, giving the tea its delicate fruity flavour, and leading it to be called "the champagne of tea".

The typical dark colour of this much-loved variety is due to the process of oxidation, to which the leaves are subjected after harvesting, maceration and drying.

The leaves are harvested twice a year: in early spring, to produce a tea with a stronger, more complex taste, while the second harvest takes place after longer exposure to the sun, resulting

in a tea with a softer, more fruity flavour.

The leaves of this black tea make the long journey from the Darjeeling hills to our Laboratories, the heart and the mind behind every scented product in the L'Erbolario Collection.

These special leaves have provided three wonderful ingredients for our cosmetics: an extract with a toning, revitalising effect, a refreshing, fragrant infusion, and an oily extract that promotes suppleness.

To make our recipes even more special, we have also drawn on other plants with important cosmetic properties.

So, an extract from Vanilla has a toning and softening effect, and Cardamom has provided us

with an extract which acts as an antioxidant and helps prevent moisture loss.

This perfect blend of ingredients promotes a feeling of well-being in your skin, rather like the sensation you get from a refreshing cup of black tea.





PERFUME

This combination produces a seductive and complex fragrance, beginning with a hint of citrus, broadening into scents of flowers and wood, and ending with notes of vanilla and amber.

The irresistible combination of black tea and hints of vanilla produces a fragrance that is soft and intense, lending particular charm to the wearer.

> Notes of: Bergamot, Maté Absolute, Black Tea, Red Rose, Vanilla Beans, Amber.

SHOWER GEL

with Darjeeling Black Tea infusion and extract of Vanilla

The woody aroma of Black Tea blends harmoniously with the soft notes of amber and vanilla, giving a unique character to this fragrant shower gel.

Cleansing becomes a time of pure

pleasure, thanks to the ingredients in this wonderful recipe: the Black Tea extract and infusion combine with extracts of Cardamom and Organic Ginger to provide a toning effect, while the Vanilla extract with its sweetness gives a soft, fresh feeling to the skin.

CLEANSING GEL FACE & HANDS

with Darjeeling Black Tea infusion and extract of Vanilla

The gentle cleansing properties of this gel are combined with the toning action provided by the extract and infusion of Black Tea and with the softening effects of Vanilla: an ideal way to care for your face and hands while respecting the natural balance of your skin.

A real infusion of gentleness, with the added pleasure of a soft, beguiling fragrance, combining the fresh, woody scent of Black Tea with sweet undertones of Vanilla.

GEL BALM FOR THE BODY

with extracts of Darjeeling Black Tea and Vanilla

This body treatment with a sensual aroma is unique in terms of its texture: it looks like a gel, but once gently massaged into the skin it turns into a wonderful oil with soothing and nourishing effects.

It can be used on dry or on slightly damp skin, immediately after showering.

It is quickly absorbed, leaving the skin soft and silky, and so provides an excellent alternative to cream; or it can be used together with cream as part of your beauty routine.

BODY & HAND CREAM

with Darjeeling Black Tea infusion and extract of Vanilla

This cream is designed for the gentle care of hands and body, and comes in a stylish bottle with a practical dispenser.

The infusion and extract of Darjeeling Black Tea, along with the extract of Vanilla, are the main active ingredients, providing toning and softening properties, while the rich and nourishing Coconut, Cocoa and Sal butters, combined with prized Safflower and Camellia oils, nourish and soften the skin.

Thanks to its fluid consistency, the cream is quickly absorbed into the skin, leaving it soft and velvety, and emitting a floral, woody fragrance which is a real delight for the senses



Gift ideas for special occasions

Irresistible beauty kits for the body, inspired by the beneficial properties of tea, to give yourself or those you love!

Tea Garden Beauty Box

Cleansing Gel Face & Hands 270 ml and Body & Hand Cream 250 ml limited edition with fabric box and metal tray



Tea Terrace Beauty Box

Body & Hand Cream 75 ml and Perfume 10 ml limited edition with fabric box

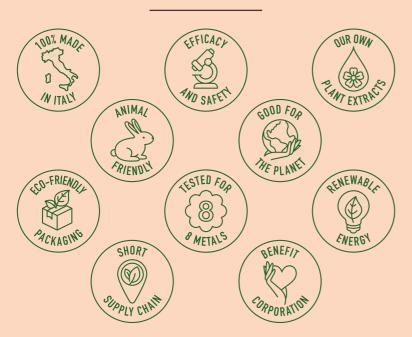


Tea Valley kit

Cleansing Gel Face & Hands 75 ml and Hand Cream 50 ml limited edition



10 good reasons to choose L'Erbolario



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