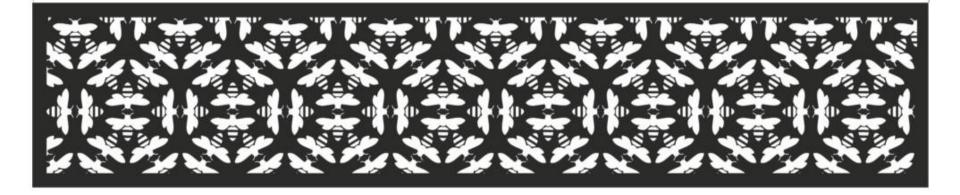
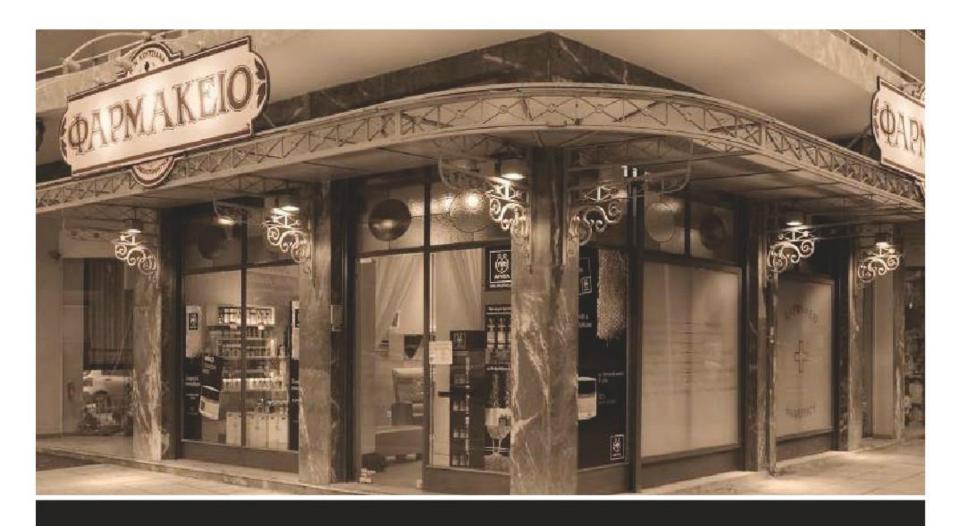






Greek Sustainable Business Since 1979





it all started here: in this pharmacy in Athens ...



1972







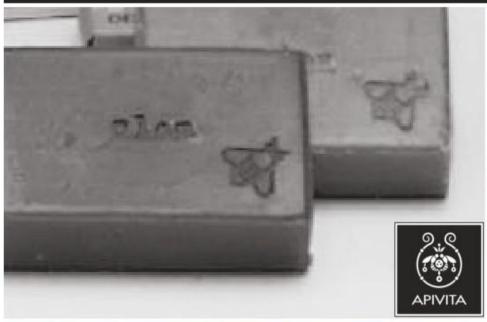


The story begins in 1972 when Niki and Nikos Koutsianas created their first natural products combining propolis, honey, royal jelly, natural extracts and essential oils



a journey driven by a great passion for bees and a great love for nature!

# Our first soap made with propolis... black, with the scent of thyme!















## Our INSPIRATIONS are our USP



#### **BEE SOCIETY**

As a super organism that is guided by the greater common good

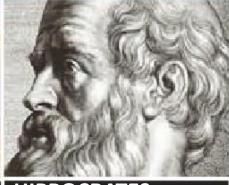
The means of Pollination of ecosystems and the added value products of the beehive



#### **GREEK FLORA**

rich biodiversity (6.800+ plant species & subspecies) High concentration of endemics (800+ unique plants)

About 13.000 species are recorded in all of Europe.



#### **HIPPOCRATES**

2.500 years of Tradition, knowledge and Holistic approach to health, beauty and well being



# GREEN PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT PLATFORM

The APIVITA Research and
Development team transforms
the philosophy of the company, its
inspiration and values into
innovative green products

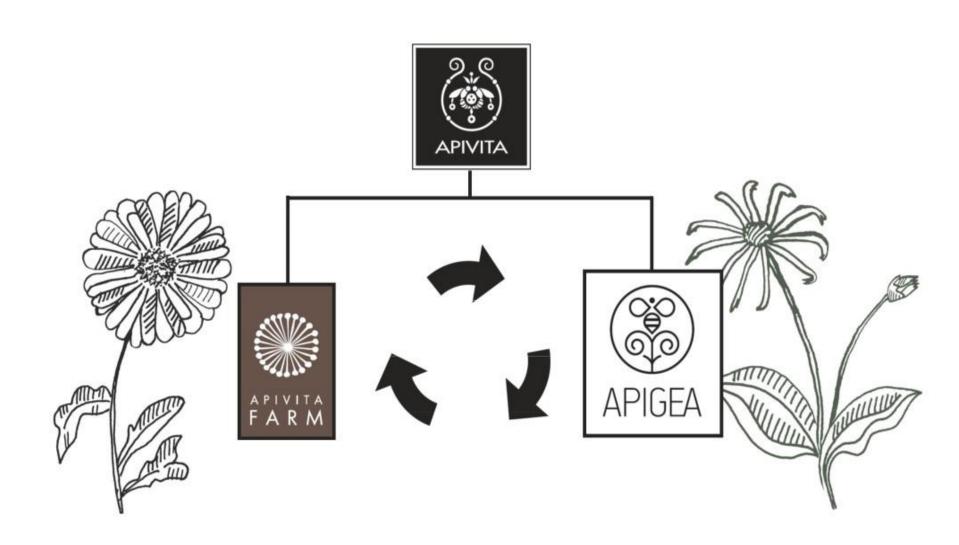
#### **Inspired by...**





...we develop unique, authentic and innovative green products

# SUSTAINABLE VERTICALLY INTEGRATED BUSINESS APIVITA/APIVITA FARM/APIGEA





## 80%-100% Natural Formulas & bio-eco certified products

## **NATURAL**



## with

Plant Extracts
Plant Oils
Organic Plant Infusions
Bee Products

## without

Parabens
Silicones
Propylene Glycol & Mineral Oil
Ethanolamines
Phthalates, Nitro Masks &
Polycyclic Mask

# **EFFECTIVE**

APIVITA's R&D department has a proven track record of experience in developing effective cosmetics.

- The ingredients used are on the cutting edge of green cosmetology and fulfill efficacy substantiation requirements
- Ingredients' activity and effectiveness is measured in house and in collaboration with other institutes
- In vivo clinical studies are conducted on the final products in close partnership with research institutes and universities
- Extensive scientific literature for ingredients' action substantiation
- Synergistic effect of actives
- Sophisticated skin delivery systems
- Besides the specialized action of each line the aim of each product is to fulfill fundamental prerequisites of skin, scalp and hair
- Clinical Studies for every new product in our Skin Care range



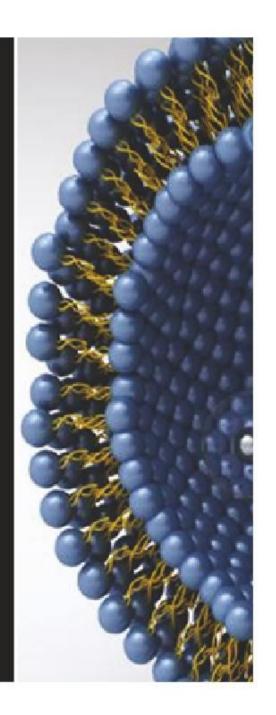
## **Innovations**

Patented Greek Propois extract

Greek royal jelly encapsulated in liposomes

Replacement of water with herb infusions to enhance effectiveness

Patented infusion of a combination of 3 sideritis species (Sideritis Scardica, Sideritis Perfoliata, Sideritis Raiseri) All 3 sideritis species are collected from organic crops with antioxidant, hydrating and photoprotective properties.

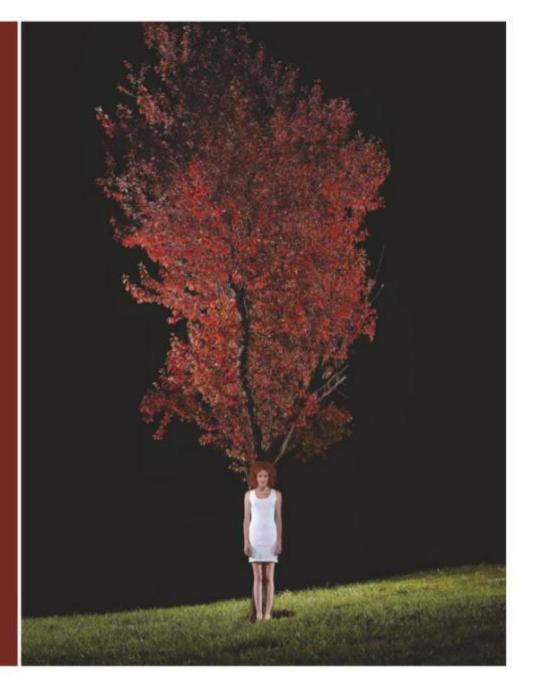


# HOLISTIC

Holistic approach on health and beauty based on Hippocrates Philosophy.

- ✓ aromatherapy effect on body, mind and soul
- ✓ skincare treatments able to cover multiple skin needs
- √ food supplements (royal jelly, herbs, bee pollen)
- ✓ care for the environment and for society (without parabens, silicone, mineral oils, recycled pet packaging)

Formulas enriched with 100% pure organic essential oils in order to enhance a feeling of well being



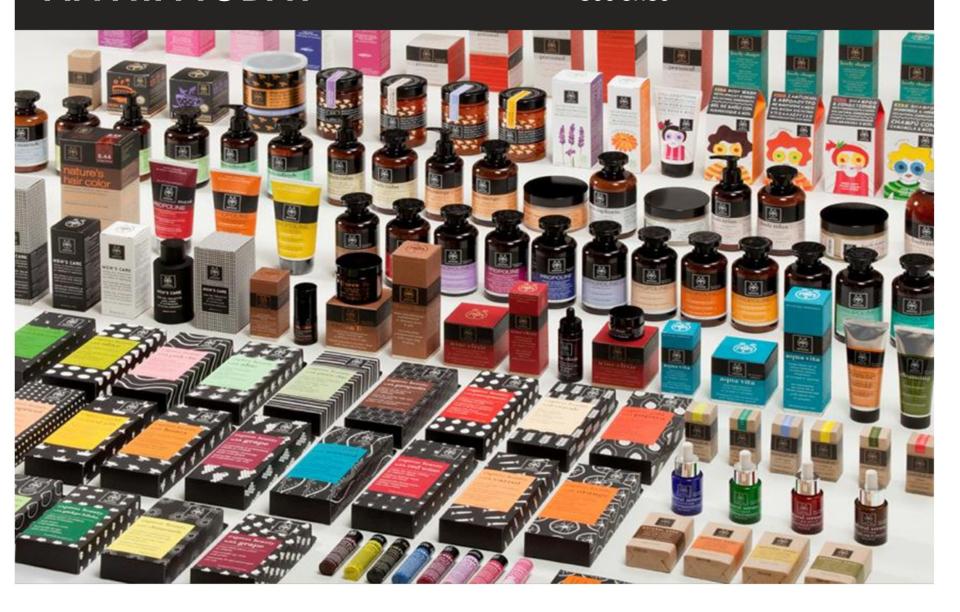
## APIVITA SCIENTIFIC SYNERGIES ECOSYSTEM



Collaboration with 71 Universities and Research Institutes in 22 countries

# **APIVITA TODAY**

### **3**00 SKUs





# WHAT MAKES THE HONG KONG & APIVITA 'FORMULA' SO SUCCESSFUL?

#### HONG KONG cosmetic customer:

Has great knowledge of Ingredients and cosmetics

Is passionate about:

- ✓ Natural formulas
- ✓ Effectiveness proved by clinical studies.
- ✓ Holistic approach through their fathers of medicine like Shennong, Hua Tuo and Li Shizhen



# HOW DID APIVITA PENETRATE THE HONG KONG MARKET?

#### How did we penetrate the HK market:

- √ Harrods strategic move
- ✓ Olympic games
- ✓ Imaginex big player
- √ 2<sup>nd</sup> big premium market is necessary

### Apivita ride - challenging:

- ✓ We had to prove to IMX premiumness
- ✓ Learn the premium retail channel
- ✓ Build the brand
- ✓ We had to invest like big premium brands
- ✓ Mandarin Hotel SPAs

## Geography

At the south-eastern tip of China, Hong Kong covers Hong Kong Island, Lantau Island, the Kowloon Peninsula and the New Territories, including 262 outlying islands. Between Hong Kong Island and the Kowloon Peninsula lies Victoria Harbour, one of the world's most renowned deep-water harbours.

**Total area:** 1 105.7 square kilometres

Land developed: less than 25%

**Country parks and nature reserves:** 40%

Apivita has spread its wings in many HK districts reaching a range of consumer needs



### **Climate**

Hong Kong's climate is sub-tropical, with temperatures dropping below 10 degrees Celsius in the winter and exceeding 31 degrees Celsius in summer. It is warm, sunny and dry in autumn, cool and dry in winter, and hot, humid and rainy from spring to summer.

Average annual rainfall: 1 874.5mm

Wettest months: July

**Driest months:** November

Due to the importance of our sales revenues in HK
we also take the climate much into consideration
when developing new products,
when working on our cosmetic marketing plan
and for the timing of all product launches



### Government

Hong Kong is a Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China. Following British rule from 1842 to 1997, China assumed sovereignty under the 'one country, two systems' principle. The Hong Kong Special Administrative Region's constitutional document, the Basic Law, ensures that the current political situation will remain in effect for 50 years. The rights and freedoms of people in Hong Kong are based on the impartial rule of law and an independent judiciary.

**Head of Government:** Chief Executive

Cabinet: Executive Council

Legislature: Legislative Council, 70 seats

**Highest Court:** Court of Final Appeal

Despite of the adverse political and economic conditions from end of 2015 which have greatly affected the retail of HK, Apivita has managed to maintain its market position more so than certain other main cosmetic brands



## **Economy**

Hong Kong's economy is characterized by free trade, low taxation and minimum government intervention. It is the world's 9th largest trading economy, with the mainland of China as its most significant trading partner. Hong Kong is also a major service economy, with particularly strong links to mainland China and the rest of the Asia-Pacific region.

Currency: Hong Kong dollar

**GDP:** HK\$2,402.5 billion (2015)

**GDP per capita:** HK\$328,854 (2015)

**Real GDP growth:** +2.4% (2015)

Labour force: 3.927 million (2015)



#### **Population**

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Population ('000)	7,374.90	0.9% YOY Growth Rate	
Male population ('000)	3,388.80	46% of Population	
Female population ('000)	3,986.10	54% of Population	
Domestic Households		ı	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Number of domestic households ('000)	2,503.60		Apivita Ratio
Average domestic household size	2.90		90% Female 10% Male
Vital Events		;	
Number of births ('000)	60.80	1.6%	6 YOY Growth Rate
Number of deaths ('000)	46.90	1.7%	6 YOY Growth Rate
Number of marriages ('000)	49.50	-4.19	% YOY Growth Rate
Expectation Of Life			
Expectation of life at birth for males (years)	81.3		
Expectation of life at birth for females (years)	87.3		



## **Population by Nationality**

	Year	2016	
Population		n	
		Number of Persons	Percentage
Nationality			
Chinese (Place of domicil	e - Hong Kong)	6,646,415	90.59%
Chinese (Place of domicil	e - other than Hong Kong)	121,775	1.66%
Filipino	,	186,869	2.55%
Indonesian	APIVITA customer:	159,901	2.18%
British	55% Local Hong Kong	35,069	0.48%
Indian	45% Mainland Chinese	28,777	0.39%
Nepalese	5% Other Travelers	22,679	0.31%
Pakistani		15,234	0.21%
American		14,749	0.20%
Australian		14,669	0.20%
Thai		11,493	0.16%
Japanese		10,678	0.15%
Others		68,277	0.93%
Total		7,336,585	100.00%

Source:

2016 Population By-census Office Census and Statistics Department

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

Palassa data



## **Population and Population Density by District**

Year		2016		2016
District Hone Kone		Population		Number of
Land/ Marine	District - Hong Kong Island/ Kowloon/ New Territories/ Marine	Number of Persons	Percentage	Persons per squared kilometers
	Hong Kong Island	1,253,417	17.10%	15,691
Land	Kowloon	2,241,347	30.60%	47,748
Lanu	New Territories	3,840,620	52.30%	4,019
	Sub-total	7,335,384	100%	
Marine	Marine	1,201	§ (2)	
	Sub-total	1,201	§ (2)	
Total	Total	7,336,585	100%	6,777

Note(s):

(2) Denotes value less than 0.05%

Source:

2016 Population By-census Office Census and Statistics Department

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

APIVITA stores in: HK Island Kowloon New Territories



Population Aged 15 and Over, Population Aged 15 and Over by Educational Attainment

	Year	2016	
		Population Age Over (Exclu Foreign Don Helpers	ıding nestic
		Number of	Percent
		Persons	age
Educational Attainment (Highest Level Completed)	Educational Attainment (Highest Level Completed)		
	No schooling/ Pre-primary <sup>(1)</sup>	774,039	12.50%
Primary and below	Primary <sup>(2)</sup>	860,334	13.90%
	Sub-total	1,634,373	26.40%
	Lower secondary <sup>(3)</sup>	1,058,560	17.10%
Secondary	Upper secondary <sup>(4)</sup>	1,570,685	25.40%
	Sub-total	2,629,245	42.50%
	Post-secondary: Diploma/ Certificate	366,444	5.90%
Post-secondary	Post-secondary: Sub-degree course	243,728	3.90%
	Post-secondary: Degree course	1,310,545	21.20%
	Sub-total	1,920,717	31.10%
Total	Total	6,184,335	100%

#### Note(s):

- (1) Figures include all persons with no schooling or who have completed Pre-primary, Pri
- (2) Figures include all persons who have completed Primary 6 to Secondary 2 education
- (3) Figures include all persons who have completed Secondary 3 to Secondary 4 education persons who have completed Secondary 3 to Secondary 5 education but (c) have not completed.

HK the Cosmetic Customer has a very high level of knowledge in cosmetics and ingredients used, compared to Europeans



## **APIVITA Facts**

- ☐ Launched in July 2005
- □ Local distributor
- □ Average yearly growth over last 10 years, 27%
- ☐ Total 11 Point-of Sales as of Mar 2017
- □ Selling over 270 product codes across all our categories
- ☐ Customer Profile:
  - ▶ 55% Local Hong Kong
  - → 45% Mainland Chinese
  - ➤ 5% Travelers except Mainland Chinese
  - ➤ 90% Female / 10% Male



**HK 2016 Best Seller Examples** 

Over 430,000 boxes of Express Masks were sold in 2016

Average 4
Express masks
sold per minute
during business
hours

Almost 70,000 bottles of Intimate Care were sold in 2016

1 Intimate bottle sold for every 60 female population

Almost 15.000 bottles of Anti Hair Loss were sold in 2016

1 anti hair loss bottle sold for every 4 Apivita customers in HK



## HONG KONG DISTRIBUTION



## **Times Square, Causeway Bay**



**Location** Shop B219, Times Square, Causeway Bay

Shop size (gross) 320 sq ft

**Gateway Arcade, Tsim Sha Tsui** 



Location	Shop 2208, Gateway Arcade, Harbour City, TST
Shop size (gross)	355 sq ft

## Langham Place, Mongkok



Location	Shop L2-06, Langham Place, Mongkok
Shop size (gross)	290 sq ft

## **New Town Plaza, Shatin**



Location	Shop 203, Phase 1, New Town Plaza, Shatin
Shop size (gross)	416 sq ft



## The Landmark, Central

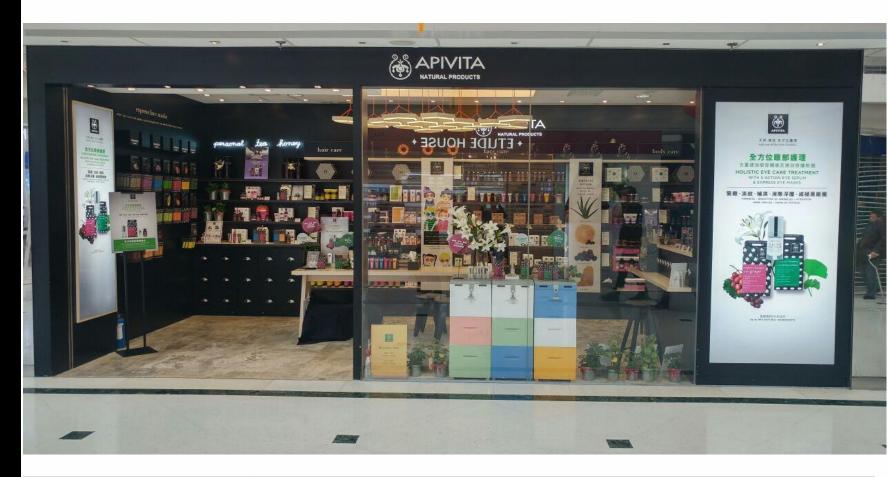




Location	Shop B33, First Basement Floor, Landmark, Central
Shop size (gross)	146 sq ft



## Telford Plaza II, Kowloon Bay



Location	Shop 328, Telford Plaza II, Kowloon Bay
Shop size (gross)	302 sq ft

## Tuen Mun Town Plaza, Tuen Mun



Location	Shop 1033, Phase 1, Tuen Mun Town Plaza, Tuen Mun
Shop size (gross)	146 sq ft



## Facesss Lab Concept, Queensway Plaza, Admiralty



Location	Facesss Lab Concept, Queensway Plaza, Admiralty
Shop size (gross)	85 sq ft

## Sogo, Causeway Bay



Location	3/F, 555 Hennessy Road, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong
Shop size (gross)	140 sq ft



## Facesss, Ocean Terminal, Tsim Sha Tsui



Location	Facesss, Ocean Terminal, Tsim Sha Tsui
Shop size (gross)	166 sq ft

## Sogo, Tsim Sha Tsui



Location	Shop B107, Sogo, 20 Nathan Road, Kowloon, HK
Shop size (gross)	263 sq ft



