



LES SAVONS DE NOUVELLE-CALÉDONIE



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- **CRAFT/PROFESSION**

Alain SENTOUT makes soaps based on essences from local plants and trees: Ouvéa coconut, Lifou vanilla, niaouli from Bourail and Boulouparis, tamanu and lemongrass from Yaté and sandalwood from Maré.

Alain makes his natural, handcrafted soaps using a traditional cold saponification method which ensures that his soaps retain all the moisturising properties of the essential or plant oils they contain.

Every step is done by hand: making and cutting the soap into bars or tablets, labelling and packaging. Alain specialises in pure, classic soaps with a range of properties designed to suit personal tastes and requirements.

- **BACKGROUND**

Alain worked in a cosmetics laboratory in France but taught himself the skills needed for soap making. And he learned a great deal about craft soaps during his travels, particularly in Africa. African women have long been experts in mixing earth and plant-based facial masks, and their skills have been passed down from generation to generation.

- **INSPIRATION AND ART/DESIGNS**

Alain SENTOUT loves his craft and is proud of the soaps packed with natural goodness he creates. All his soaps contain ingredients to pamper your skin: coconut and vanilla have hydrating, softening and regenerative virtues, tamanu has wondrous healing properties and sandalwood soothes and refreshes.