

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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1. Identification

Product Name Beeswax, bleached, white

Cat No.: AC222390000; AC222395000

Synonyms No information available

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against

Not for food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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# 2. Hazard(s) identification

#### Classification

Classification under 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

### Label Elements

None required

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

# 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS-No	Weight %
Beeswax (The wax obtained from the honeycomb	8012-89-3	100
of the bee. It consists primarily of myricyl palmitate,		
cerotic acid and esters and some high-carbon		
paraffins.)		

# 4. First-aid measures

Eye Contact Immediate medical attention is required. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under

the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes. Obtain medical attention. Take off contaminated clothing and shoes

immediately.

**Inhalation** Remove from exposure, lie down. Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial

respiration. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Ingestion** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Drink plenty of water. Call a

physician immediately. If possible drink milk afterwards.

Most important symptoms and

effects

**Notes to Physician** 

No information available.

Treat symptomatically

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

surrounding environment.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

Autoignition Temperature 299 °C / 570.2 °F

**Explosion Limits** 

Upper No data available
Lower No data available
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available
Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

#### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors

## **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

NFPA

HealthFlammabilityInstabilityPhysical hazards010N/A

#### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment.

**Environmental Precautions** See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

**Methods for Containment and Clean** Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. **Up** 

# 7. Handling and storage

Handling Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid contact with clothing. Remove and wash

contaminated clothing before re-use. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Do not ingest. Wash

thoroughly after handling.

Storage Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

## 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure

limitsestablished by the region specific regulatory bodies.

**Engineering Measures** None under normal use conditions.

Personal Protective Equipment

**Eve/face Protection** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by

OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard

EN166.

**Skin and body protection**Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respiratory Protection** No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions.

Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical StateSolidAppearanceOff-whiteOdorOdorless

Odor Threshold No information available

pH No information available

Melting Point/Range 61 - 65 °C / 141.8 - 149 °F

Boiling Point/Range No information available

Flash Point No information available Evaporation Rate Not applicable

Flammability (solid,gas)

No information available

Flammability or explosive limits

UpperNo data availableLowerNo data available

Vapor Pressure No information available

Vapor Density Not applicable

Specific GravityNo information availableSolubilityNo information availablePartition coefficient; n-octanol/waterNo data availableAutoignition Temperature299 °C / 570.2 °FDecomposition TemperatureNo information available

Viscosity Not applicable

# 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard None known, based on information available

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid Incompatible products.

Incompatible Materials Oxidizing agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors

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**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

None under normal processing. **Hazardous Reactions** 

# 11. Toxicological information

**Acute Toxicity** 

**Product Information** 

No acute toxicity information is available for this product

**Component Information** 

**Toxicologically Synergistic** 

No information available

**Products** 

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

No information available Irritation

Sensitization No information available

Carcinogenicity The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component	CAS-No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Beeswax (The wax	8012-89-3	Not listed				
obtained from the						
honeycomb of the bee.						
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myricyl palmitate,						
cerotic acid and esters						
and some high-carbon						
paraffins.)						

**Mutagenic Effects** No information available

**Reproductive Effects** No information available.

No information available. **Developmental Effects** 

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

STOT - single exposure None known STOT - repeated exposure None known

**Aspiration hazard** No information available

Symptoms / effects,both acute and No information available

delayed

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** No information available

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

# 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

Do not empty into drains.

Soluble in water Persistence is unlikely based on information available. Persistence and Degradability

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

### 13. Disposal considerations

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a **Waste Disposal Methods** 

hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

14. Transport information							
DOT	Not regulated						
DOT TDG	Not regulated						
<u>IATA</u>	Not regulated						
IMDG/IMO	Not regulated						

# 15. Regulatory information

#### International Inventories

Component	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	PICCS	ENCS	AICS	IECSC	KECL
Beeswax (The wax obtained	Χ	Х	-	232-383-7	-		Х	Х	Х	Х	Χ
from the honeycomb of the											
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and esters and some											
high-carbon paraffins.)											

#### Legend:

- X Listed
- E Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
- F Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
- N Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
- P Indicates a commenced PMN substance
- R Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.
- S Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
- T Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
- XU Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B).
- Y1 Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
- Y2 Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

#### U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

SARA 313 Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

CWA (Clean Water Act) Not applicable

Clean Air Act Not applicable

**OSHA** Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Not applicable

CERCLA Not applicable

California Proposition 65 This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

U.S. State Right-to-Know

Regulations

Not applicable

### **U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N
DOT Marine Pollutant N

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DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

#### **U.S. Department of Homeland Security**

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

### Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade No information available

16. Other information

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Revision Summary

This document has been updated to comply with the US OSHA HazCom 2012 Standard

replacing the current legislation under 29 CFR 1910.1200 to align with the Globally

Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS).

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