

# SAFETY DATA SHEET SHEA BUTTER – NATURALLY REFINED

# 1. PRODUCT INFORMATION AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: SHEA BUTTER – NATURALLY REFINED

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#### 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

**GHS Classification:** 

**Physical hazards** 

Not Applicable.

**Health hazards** 

Not Applicable.

**Environmental hazards** 

Not Applicable.

GHS Label:

Symbols:

Not Applicable.

**Hazards statement** 

Not Applicable.

**Precautionary statement** 

Not Applicable.



# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS NO.	%	EINECS Number	EU Number
Refined Shea Butter	91080-23-8	100%	N/A	293-515-7

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# **General Measures:**

Not applicable.

#### Inhalation

Not a direct hazard. Remove from area of exposure. Move to fresh air. Seek medical attention for coughing or choking.

#### Skin contact

Not dangerous under normal conditions.

# Eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with a lot of water for some minutes.

# Ingestion

Not a direct hazard. If ingested, call a physician and poison control center. If advice is not available, do not induce vomiting. Seek medical advice. Take a copy of the label and/or SDS to a health professional.

#### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use CO2 power or foam type extinguishers. Carbon dioxide or dry chemical.

#### **Recommended:**

Spraying extinguishers media to base of flames. Do not use direct water jet on burning material.

#### **Special Measures:**

Avoid vapor inhalation. Keep away from sources of ignition. Do not smoke. Wear positive pressure self- contained breathing apparatus & protective clothing.

# **Extinguishing Procedures:**



Closed containers may build up pressure when exposed to heat and should be cooled with water spray.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## **Personal Precautions:**

Be careful. Danger of sliding possible. Avoid contactwith eyes. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves, and/or eye/faction protection.

# **Environment Precautions:**

Try to avoid spilling. Do not empty into drain. Restrict spill to smallest possible area.

# Cleaning Up Methods for Spillages:

Remove all potential ignition sources. Cover with absorbent material (e.g. Universal binding material, paper towels, sand, siliceous Earth, saw dust)

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

## Precautions for safe handling

Apply good manufacturing practice & industrial hygiene practices Observe good personal hygiene and do not eat, drink, or smoke, while handling product. Avoid static discharges.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in tightly closed original container in a cool, dry location away from heat sources and direct sunlight. Keep air contact to a minimum.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

# **Respiratory Protection:**

No special measures under normal conditions.

#### **Work Hygiene Practices:**

Wash hands with soap & water after handling

#### **Eve Protection:**

Use safety glasses if there is risk of splashing.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance:	White



Form:	Solid Fat	
Color:	White	
Odor:	Neutral	
Taste:	Neutral	
Data Relevant To Safety:	Method (67/584/EU)	
Melting Point:	40-45 °C	
Boiling Point:	More than 300 °C	
Smoke Point:	>180 °C	
Flash Point:	>230 °C	
Ignition:	>300 °C	
Auto Flammability:	None	
Fire Provoking Characteristics:	Temperature of more than 200 C	
	and strong aircirculation:	
Explosive:	Not explosive.	
Vapor Density:	Less than 0.001mm Hg	
Density:	0.89-0.92 kg/m3 at 20 °C	
Water Solubility:	Insoluble	
PH (10G/I):	Neutral at 20 °C	
Thermal Decomposition:	At a temperature more than 150 °C	
Explosion Limits:	None	

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

# Reactivity:

Presents no significant reactivity hazards, by itself, nor on contact with water. Avoid contact with strong acids, alkali, or oxidizing agents.

#### **Decomposition:**

Avoid exposure of light and heat.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# **Toxicological Testing:**

No skin irritation, no eye irritation, no sensitization.

#### Practical experience:

Vegetable oils have been sold and used for years as foods and cosmetics.

#### **General Considerations:**

None



**Biodegradability:**Readily biodegradable.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

	Precautions:			
	Prevent surface contamination of oil at ground & surface water.			
13.	B. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS			
	Product:			
	Vegetable Oil.			
	Suggested Procedure:			
	Suitable incineration plant, take notice of national special regulations.			
	Disposal Code:			
	Suitable waste-disposal site.			
14.	TRANSPORT INFORMATION			
	Road:			
	Not Applicable.			
	Air:			
	Not Applicable.			
	Sea:			
	Not Applicable.			
15.	REGULATORY INFORMATION			
	Hazards:			
	Not Applicable.			
	Symbols:			
	Not Applicable.			
	Risk Phases:			
	Not Applicable.			
	Safety:			

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Not Applicable.

16.	OTHER INFORMATION
	Packing:
	Glass:
	Yes
	Lacquer Lined Steel/Tin
	Yes
	Aluminum:
	Yes
	HPPE:
	Yes
	HMHDPE:
	Yes
	Other Plastics:
	Yes
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