

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

# BEESWAX, YELLOW

# MSDS

### 1. PRODUCT NAME AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name:** BEESWAX  
**Product Use:** Personal Care Formulations  
**Company Name:** Natural Sourcing  
**Company Address:** 341 Christian Street, Oxford, CT 06478, USA  
**Date Issued:** 1/1/2008  
**Emergency Telephone Number:** Chemtrec Tel: (800) 262-8200

### 2. COMPOSITION/INGREDIENT INFORMATION

**Ingredients:**  
Esters: 70%  
Hydrocarbons: 13%  
Fatty Acids: 12%  
Fatty Alcohols: 4%  
Other: 1%  
**Hazardous Components:** None  
**CAS #:** 8012-89-3

### 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Routes of Entry**

**Eye Contact:** No available data  
**Skin Contact:** Molten wax will cause burns on contact with skin  
**Ingestion:** No available data  
**Inhalation:** No available data

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Eyes:** No available data  
**Skin:** Flush with cold water and seek medical attention  
**Ingestion:** No available data  
**Inhalation:** If overcome by fumes remove from exposure and call a physician  
**Medical Conditions Generally Aggravated by Exposure:** None

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Flash Point (Method Used):** >240°C  
**Flammable Limits**  
**LEL:** Not Established

<b>UEL:</b>	Not Established
<b>Extinguishing Media:</b>	Dry Chemical and CO2 for small fires. Use foam for large fires.
<b>Special Firefighting Procedures:</b>	Move exposed containers from fire area if possible. Use water to keep fire exposed containers cooled.
<b>Unusual Fire &amp; Explosion Hazards:</b>	Potential combustible dust if flaked or powdered.
<b>Hazard Thermal Decomposition Products:</b>	Does not decompose up to 400°F
<b>Protection of Firefighters:</b>	Fire fighters should wear proper equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus with full face plate

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES (STEPS FOR SPILLS)

<b>Personal Precautions:</b>	See below
<b>Environmental Precautions:</b>	Advise authorities if product enters sewers.
<b>Methods for Cleaning Up:</b>	Soak up with absorbent material such as paper, rags, or sawdust. Sweep up solidified material.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

##### Handling

<b>Safe Handling:</b>	Use with caution around heat, sparks, static electricity and open flames.
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##### Storage

<b>Requirements for Storage Areas and Containers:</b>	Store in cool, dry well ventilated storage area. Do not store near oxidizing agents or strong acids.
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#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION

<b>Eye:</b>	Splash goggles or face shield
<b>Skin/Body:</b>	Gloves & Aprons should be worn.
<b>Respiratory:</b>	Not needed under normal conditions of use. Use adequate ventilation or NIOSH-approved respiratory devices if heating product.
<b>Ventilation:</b>	A mechanical exhaust/ventilation or fume collection system is recommended if heating product to elevated temperatures.
<b>Other:</b>	Evaluate need based on application.
<b>Work/Hygiene Practice:</b>	N/A

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Physical State:</b>	Solid Wax
<b>Color:</b>	Greenish Tan to Brown
<b>Odor:</b>	Characteristic of wax, honey-like
<b>pH:</b>	N/A
<b>Vapor Pressure (mm Hg.):</b>	N/A
<b>Vapor Density (AIR = 1):</b>	N/A
<b>Boiling Point: (@ 760 mmHg)</b>	>260°C
<b>Melting Point:</b>	62-65°C
<b>Specific Gravity: (@80/4°C)</b>	0.92-0.97
<b>Evaporation Rate:</b>	N/A
<b>Solubility in Water:</b>	Insoluble
<b>Water Reactive:</b>	No

**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

<b>Stability:</b>	Stable under normal conditions
<b>Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid):</b>	Strong oxidants and strong acids
<b>Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts:</b>	CO <sub>2</sub> , CO and other organic compounds may be formed.
<b>Conditions to Avoid:</b>	Excessive heating
<b>Hazardous Polymerization:</b>	Will Not Occur

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

<b>Signs and Symptoms of Exposure:</b>	N/A
<b>Threshold Limit Value:</b>	Non Toxic
<b>Medical Conditions Generally Aggravated by Exposure:</b>	None
<b>Irritancy:</b>	Ingestion: LD <sub>0</sub> 5g/kg  Skin: Not expected to be an irritant  Eyes: Mild irritation potential
<b>Carcinogenicity:</b>	No Data
<b>Reproductive Toxicity:</b>	No Data
<b>Teratogenicity:</b>	No Data
<b>Mutagenicity:</b>	No Data
<b>Name of toxicologically synergistic products:</b>	N/A

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

<b>Biodegradation:</b>	Expected to be ultimately biodegradable
<b>Fish Toxicity:</b>	No Data
<b>Bacterial Toxicity:</b>	No Data

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

<b>Waste Disposal Methods:</b>	Dispose of according to local, state and federal regulations.
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**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

<b>DOT Classification:</b>	
<b>Class/Division:</b>	Not restricted
<b>Proper Shipping Name:</b>	NA
<b>Label:</b>	None
<b>Packing Group:</b>	NA
<b>ID Number:</b>	NA
<b>Hazard:</b>	NA

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

<b>EEC Number:</b>	901
FDA Approved Under Regulations 21 CFR 184.1973 and 21 CFR 184.1975	

## **16. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

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