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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION & THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING)

1.1 PRODUCT IDENTIFIER	
Product Name	Shea Butter Unrefined Organic
INCI Name	Butyrospermum Parkii Butter
Synonyms & Trade Names	-
CAS Number	91080-23-8
EC Number	N/A
EINECS Number	293-515-7
REACH Status	Exempt
1.2 DETAILS OF THE SUPPLIER OF TH E MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET	
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SECTION 2: HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

2.1 CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCES OR MIXTURE	
Classification (EU 1272/2008)	Non-hazardous product.
2.2 LABEL ELEMENTS	
Label in accordance with Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008	
GHS Label:	None.
Signal word:	None.
Contains	N/A
Hazard Statements:	None.
Precautionary Statements:	None.
Supplementary Precautionary Statements:	None.

2.3 OTHER HAZARDS	
PBT or vPvB according to Annex XIII	No data available.
Adverse physio-chemical properties	No data available.
Adverse effects on human health	No data available.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 MIXTURE
N/A

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 DESCRIPTION OF FIRST AID MEASURES	
Inhalation	N/A

Ingestion	Seek medical advice.
Skin Contact	If hot liquid product is splashed onto the skin, cool immediately under water. Do not remove the solidified product. Obtain medical attention.
Eye Contact	Flush eyes with plenty of water. Seek medical attention if any irritation persists.
4.2 MOST IMPORTANT SYMPTOMS. BOTH ACCUTE AND DELAYED.	
No additional data available.	
4.3 INDICATION OF ANY IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION AND SPECIAL TREATMENT IF NEEDED	
No additional data available.	

SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 EXTINGUISHING MEDIA
Use CO2, Dry Powder or Foam type extinguishers, sand.
5.2 SPECIAL HAZARDS ARISING FROM THE PRODUCT
None
5.3 ADVICE FOR FIRE FIGHTERS
Use positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus in conditions of thick smoke.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES
Wear protective clothing, gloves, eye protection. Spilled product can represent a slip hazard.
6.2 ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS
Do not discharge into drains, surface water, and ground water.
6.3 METHODS AND MATERIAL FOR CONTAMINATED AND CLEANING UP
Collect the spilled product mechanically. Recuperate all material in a suitable container for disposal.
6.4 REFERENCES TO OTHER SECTIONS
See sections 8 and 13.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING
Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Wear gloves, eye protection and protective clothing.
7.2 CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE, INCLUDING ANY INCOMPATIBILITIES
Store in a cool dry place in original packaging. Protect from direct heat sources.
7.3 SPECIFIC END USE(S)
No additional data available.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 CONTROL PARAMETERS
Not considered as a dangerous substance.
8.2 EXPOSURE CONTROLS

Protective equipment	 
Process Conditions	No additional data available.
Engineering Measures	No additional data available.
Respiratory Equipment	No additional data available.
Hand Protection	Wear gloves.
Eye Protection	Wear eye protection.
Other Protection	No additional data available.

Hygiene Measures	Good personal hygiene practices are always advisable, especially when working with chemicals / oils.
Personal Protection	No additional data available.
Skin Protection	Wear protective clothing
Environmental Exposure Controls	No additional data available.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 INFORMATION ON BASIS PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES	
Appearance	Solid fat
Colour	Beige, cream or ivory
Odour	Nutty Odour
Specific Gravity @ 20°C	No additional data available.
Refractive Index @ 20°C	No additional data available.
Flash Point (°C)	>200°C
Melting Point (°C)	29 - 34°C
Boiling Point (°C)	No additional data available.
Vapour Pressure	No additional data available.
Solubility in Water @20°C	insoluble in water/ soluble in oils and organic solvents
Auto-ignition temperature (°C)	>200°C
9.2 OTHER INFORMATION	
No additional data available.	

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 REACTIVITY	
No hazardous reactions identified.	
10.2 CHEMICAL STABILITY	
Stable under normal temperature conditions.	
10.3 POSSIBLE HAZARD REACTIONS	
None under normal use conditions.	
10.4 CONDITIONS TO AVOID	
No hazardous reactions identified.	
10.5 INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS	
Strong oxidizing agents.	
10.6 HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS	
If heated to high temperatures, smoke, soot and toxic fumes (carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide) may be produced.	

SECTION 11: TOXOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 INFORMATION ON TOXIOLOGICAL EFFECTS	
Acute toxicity	No additional data available.
Skin corrosion / irritation	No additional data available.
Serious eye damage/irritation	No additional data available.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	No additional data available.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No additional data available.
Carcinogenicity	No additional data available.
Reproductive toxicity	No additional data available.
STOT-single exposure	No additional data available.
STOT-repeated exposure	No additional data available.
Aspiration hazard	No additional data available
Photo-toxicity	No additional data available.
Other information:	No additional data available.

SECTION 12: ECOLGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 TOXICITY
No additional data available.
12.2 PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY
Expected to be ultimately biodegradable
12.3 BIOACCUMULATION POTENTIAL
No additional data available.
12.4 MOBILITY IN SOIL
No additional data available.
12.5 RESULTS OF PBT AND VPVB ASSESSMENT
No additional data available.
12.6 OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS
No additional data available.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 WASTE TREATMENT METHODS
The disposal should be in accordance with all applicable regulations. Do not discharge into drains, surface and ground water.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 UN NUMBER	
UN No. Road	Not regulated
UN No. Sea	Not regulated
UN No. Air	Not regulated
14.2 UN PROPER SHIPPING NAME	
None	
14.3 TRANSPORT HAZARD CLASS(ES)	
None	
14.4 PACKAGING GROUP	
None	
14.5 ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS	
None	
14.6 SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS FOR USER	
No additional data available.	
14.7 TRANSPORT IN BULK ACCORDING TO ANNEX II OF MARPOL73/78 AND THE IBC CODE	
No additional data available.	

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 SAFETY, HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT REGULATIONS / LEGISLATION SPECIFIC FOR THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE
Statutory Instruments The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2009 (S.I 2009 No. 716). Guidance Notes Workplace Exposure Limits EH40. CHIP for everyone HSG (108). EU Legislation Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105/EC and 2000/21/EC, including amendments.
15.2 CHEMICAL SAFETY ASSESSMENT
No additional information available.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Hazard and/or Precautionary Statements in Full	None
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Other Information	Complies with REACH guidance for SDS as circulated by ECHA 2011.
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