MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1: PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

Product name: shea butter, wildcrafted

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HMIS Rating:
Health: 0
Flammability: 1
Reactivity: 0

The HMIS (Hazardous Materials Identification System) is a subjective rating system developed by the National Paint and Coating Association. Numerical ratings for health (H), flammability (F), and reactivity (R) are made using a scale of 0-4 where 0=no hazard, 1=slight hazard, 2=moderate hazard, 3=high hazard, 4=extreme hazard.

SECTION 2: COMPOSITION AND INGREDIENTS

Not available.

SECTION 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Health hazards (acute and chronic):

Ingestion: Slightly hazardous.
Eye contact: Slightly hazardous
Skin contact: Not hazardous.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID INFORMATION

Emergency and first aid procedures:

Ingestion: If large quantities are swallowed, call a doctor immediately.
Eye contact: Flush thoroughly with water for 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.
Skin: Wash with warm soapy water.
Inhalation: Remove to fresh air.
NZ Emergency Telephone Number: 111 or
call Local Poison Control Centre: 0800764766.

SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING INFORMATION

Suitable extinguishing media: foam, dry powder, carbon dioxide.
Unsuitable extinguishing media: water spray, jet spray.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: Equip clean crew with proper protection.
Environmental precautions: Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if product enters these.
Clean up any spill as soon as possible, using an absorbent material to collect it. Use suitable disposal containers.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Keep away from heat, from sources of ignition. No smoking.
Keep container tightly closed, in a well-ventilated area.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

None.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Not available.

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Possible hazardous reactions/conditions/byproducts: none known.
Conditions of instability: chemically stable
Conditions to avoid: sparks, flame, heat sources.
Hazardous decomposition products: carbon oxides.
Stability: stable.
Hazardous polymerisation: will not occur.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Routes of entry: skin and eyes.
Toxic effects: Not available.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity: Not available.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL AND TRANSPORT CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose in accordance with local regulations.
Transport information: Not regulated.

SECTION 14: REGULATORY INFORMATION

N/A.

SECTION 15: DISCLAIMER

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