# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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# Section 1: Identification

Product identifier

Product Name SYNTHETIC SPERMACETI WAX

**Product Code(s)** 000000033728

Other means of identification

**CAS No.** 8002-23-1

Chemical name Spermaceti

Synonyms Spermaceti Wax Synthetic; Cetyl Esters Wax; SP-220

Pure substance/mixture Substance

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use**Cosmetic ingredient. Personal care ingredient.

Uses advised against No information available.

Details of manufacturer or importer

**Supplier** 

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Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number 1 800 033 111 (ALL HOURS)

Please ensure you refer to the limitations of this Safety Data Sheet as set out in the "Other Information" section at the end of this Data Sheet.

### Section 2: Hazard identification

Not classified as a hazardous substance in accordance with the criteria of Safe Work Australia - Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for transport by Road and Rail; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

GHS Classification

Label elements

Signal word

None

#### Other hazards which do not result in classification

May form combustible dust concentrations in air.

# Section 3: Composition and information on ingredients

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Spermaceti	8002-23-1	100

### Section 4: First aid measures

**Description of first aid measures** 

General advice For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (e.g. phone Australia 13 11 26; New

Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Eye contact** Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids. Do not rub affected area.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Contact with molten materials requires immediate medical assistance.

**Skin contact**Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes

and shoes. If symptoms persist, call a physician. After contact with molten product, cool skin

area rapidly with cold water. Removal of solidified molten material from skin requires

medical assistance.

**Ingestion** Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious

person. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** No information available.

**Effects of Exposure** No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Note to physicians** Treat symptomatically.

### Section 5: Firefighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Suitable extinguishing media Fine water spray. Foam. Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide (CO2).

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

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chemical

Combustible solid. In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray. Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local

regulations.

Hazardous combustion products Oxides of carbon.

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear.

Use personal protection equipment.

### Section 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not touch or walk

through spilled material. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid generation of dust. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Wash thoroughly after handling. Use personal

protective equipment as required. Avoid breathing dust or spray mist.

Other information Ventilate the area.

For emergency responders Shut off ignition sources. Clear area of all unprotected personnel. Use personal protection

recommended in Section 8.

Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains.

See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Remove ignition sources. Provide adequate

ventilation. Keep out of drains, sewers, ditches and waterways.

Methods for cleaning up Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. Avoid generation of dust. Where

possible allow molten material to solidify naturally. Slippery when spilt. Avoid accidents,

clean up immediately. Cover with damp absorbent (inert material, sand or soil).

# Section 7: Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid generation of dust. Keep away from open

flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash thoroughly after handling. Use personal protection equipment. Use according to package label instructions. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid breathing dust

or spray mist.

General hygiene considerations Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of

equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Wash hands and face before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear

suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place. Keep container closed when

not in use. Protect from direct sunlight. Store away from sources of heat or ignition. Store

away from incompatible materials described in Section 10.

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.

### Section 8: Exposure controls and personal protection

#### Control parameters

Exposure Limits No value assigned for this specific material by Safe Work Australia. However, Workplace

Exposure Standard(s) for particulates:

Dusts not otherwise classified: 8hr TWA = 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

As published by Safe Work Australia Workplace Exposure Standards for Airborne Contaminants.

TWA - The time-weighted average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over an eight-hour working day, for a five-day working week.

These Workplace Exposure Standards are guides to be used in the control of occupational health hazards. All atmospheric contamination should be kept to as low a level as is workable. These workplace exposure standards should not be used as fine dividing lines between safe and dangerous concentrations of chemicals. They are not a measure of relative toxicity.

#### Appropriate engineering controls

#### **Engineering controls**

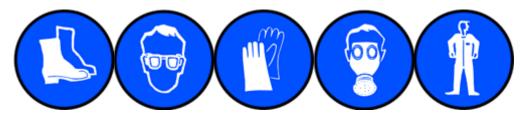
Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

If in the handling and application of this material, safe exposure levels could be exceeded, the use of engineering controls such as local exhaust ventilation must be considered and the results documented. If achieving safe exposure levels does not require engineering controls, then a detailed and documented risk assessment using the relevant Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) (refer to PPE section below) as a basis must be carried out to determine the minimum PPE requirements.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

The selection of PPE is dependent on a detailed risk assessment. The risk assessment should consider the work situation, the physical form of the chemical, the handling methods, and environmental factors.

OVERALLS, SAFETY SHOES, SAFETY GLASSES, GLOVES, DUST MASK.



Eye/face protection

Glasses.

Skin and body protection

Wear suitable protective clothing. Boots. Overalls.

Hand protection

Impervious gloves.

meeting the requirements of AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

Thermal hazards No information available.

# Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Solid
Appearance Flakes
Color White

Odor No information available Odor threshold No information available

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

pН No data available None known None known No data available pH (as aqueous solution) 43 - 48 °C None known Melting point / freezing point Boiling point / boiling range No data available None known Flash point approx. 232.2 °C None known **Evaporation rate** No data available None known No data available Flammability (solid, gas) None known Flammability Limit in Air None known

Upper flammability or explosive

limits

Lower flammability or explosive

limits

No data available

No data available

Vapor pressureNo data availableNone knownVapor densityNo data availableNone knownRelative density<1</th>@ 20 °CWater solubilityNo data availableNone knownSolubility(ies)Insoluble in water. Soluble in organicNone known

solvents when warmed.

Partition coefficientNo data availableNone knownAutoignition temperatureNo data availableNone knownDecomposition temperatureNo data availableNone knownKinematic viscosityNo data availableNone knownDynamic viscosityNo data availableNone known

Other information

### Section 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

**Reactivity** No information available.

Chemical stability

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None. Sensitivity to static discharge None.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

**Conditions to avoid** Avoid exposure to heat, sources of ignition, and open flame. Dust formation. Direct sunlight.

Incompatible materials

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products Oxides of carbon.

### Section 11: Toxicological information

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information No adverse health effects expected if the chemical is handled in accordance with this Safety

Data Sheet and the chemical label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the chemical is

mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

Inhalation May cause irritation. Inhalation of vapours/mists from the heated material may cause

respiratory irritation.

Eye contact May cause irritation. Contact with the hot material can result in pain, thermal burns, and

permanent injury.

**Skin contact** May cause irritation. Contact with hot material may cause skin burns.

Ingestion May cause gastrointestinal discomfort if consumed in large amounts. Contact with hot

material can cause thermal burns.

**Symptoms** No information available.

Acute toxicity .

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

See section 16 for terms and abbreviations

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

**Skin corrosion/irritation**No information available.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation No information available.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization** No information available.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** No information available.

**Carcinogenicity** No information available.

Reproductive toxicity No information available.

**STOT - single exposure** No information available.

**STOT - repeated exposure**No information available.

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

# Section 12: Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

Aquatic ecotoxicity Avoid contaminating waterways.

**Terrestrial ecotoxicity** There is no data for this product.

Persistence and degradability

**Persistence and degradability** Readily biodegradable. (1).

Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** Bioaccumulation is not expected to occur.(1).

**Mobility** 

**Mobility** No information available.

Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects No information available.

### Section 13: Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations. Dispose of waste in

accordance with environmental legislation.

Contaminated packaging Empty containers pose a potential fire and explosion hazard. Do not cut, puncture or weld

containers. Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

See section 8 for more information

### Section 14: Transport information

ADG Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code

(ADG Code) for transport by Road and Rail: NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

IATA Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport

Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air; NON-DANGEROUS

GOODS.

**IMDG**Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous

Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

#### Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

No information available

# Section 15: Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### National regulations

#### Australia

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See section 8 for national exposure control parameters

#### Standard for Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)

No poisons schedule number allocated

Poison Schedule Number Not applicable

### **Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)**

	Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)	Additional information
Spermaceti - 8002-23-1	Present	-

#### Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents

This product does not contain any substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list.

#### International Inventories

AllC This material is listed on the Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals.

NZIOC This material is listed on the New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals.

TSCA

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.

DSL/NDSL

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.

KECL

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.

PICCS Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.

Legend:

**AIIC- Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals** 

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

#### International Regulations

The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Not applicable

The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants Not applicable

The Rotterdam Convention Not applicable

### Section 16: Other information

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Addition/Change of synonymous name(s)

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SDS Services).

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**Revision Note:** 

The symbol (\*) in the margin of this SDS indicates that this line has been revised.

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern for Authorization:
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative, and Toxic (PBT) Substances
vPvB: Very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative (vPvB) Substances

STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity

ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate LC50: 50% Lethal Concentration

LD50: 50% Lethal Dose

#### Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value \* Skin designation

C Carcinogen

Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

**Environmental Protection Agency** 

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)

Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

U.S. National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

World Health Organization

#### **Disclaimer**

This SDS summarises to our best knowledge at the date of issue, the chemical health and safety hazards of the material and general guidance on how to safely handle the material in the workplace. Since Ixom Operations Pty Ltd cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, assess and control the risks arising from its use of the material.

If clarification or further information is needed, the user should contact their Bronson & Jacobs representative or Ixom Operations Pty Ltd at the contact details on page 1.

Ixom Operations Pty Ltd's responsibility for the material as sold is subject to the terms and conditions of sale, a copy of which is available upon request.

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**End of Safety Data Sheet**