

SDS – Kerawax 2550

Information

1. Identification of the Substance/Preparation and the Company/Undertaking

1.1 Product identifier:

Product name:	Kerawax 2550
REACH registered name:	Not determined
REACH registered No:	Pre- registered
INCI:	Cera Alba
CAS Number:	8012-89-3

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified use(s): Sectors of Use:- SU3, SU5, SU7, SU8, SU10, SU11, SU12, SU17, SU19

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet:

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2. Hazards Identification

2.1 Classification of the Substance or Mixture:

Does not contain any components which are hazardous according to CLP Regulation 1272/2008/EC

2.2 Label Elements:

Does not require a hazard warning label in accordance with CLP Regulation 1272/2008/EC

2.3 Other Hazards:

- **PBT:** This product is not identified as a PBT / vPvB substance

3. Composition

3.1 Substances: White Beeswax

CAS-No:	Substance Name	Mass % Range	GHS/CLP Classification	EC Number	REACH Reg No
8012-89-3	Beeswax	100	Not classified	232-383-7	Exempt Annex V

3.2 Mixtures: Not Applicable

There are no additional ingredients present which, within current knowledge of the supplier, are classified and contribute to the classification of the substance and hence require reporting in this section in accordance with Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008

4. First aid measures

4.1 Description of First Aid Measures

General Information: Remove contaminated / saturated clothing immediately. In case of accident or illness seek medical advice immediately.

Inhalation: Remove the affected person to fresh air, keep warm and rest. If recovery is not rapid, obtain medical attention

Skin Contact: Wash the affected parts of the body with soap and water. No emergency measures are necessary but if adverse skin effects follow, refer for medical attention.

Eye Contact: Flush eyes immediately with fresh water for at least 5 minutes while holding the eyelids open. No emergency measures are necessary but if adverse eye effects follow, refer for medical attention.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. No emergency measures are needed but if adverse health effects follow or large amounts are swallowed, refer for medical attention.

Self-Protection of First Aider: First aider, pay attention to self-protection.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Inhalation: Over-heated oil can produce fumes which may be irritant when breathed in.

Skin Contact: May cause slight irritation to skin.

Ingestion: No known significant effects or critical hazards

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Eye Contact: May cause slight irritation to eyes

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

In contact with or splashed by hot liquid:

Skin Contact Cool the skin immediately with cool water. Treat burns according to their severity. Obtain medical attention. Never try to remove the material with solvents.

Contact with eyes Cool the area immediately with cold water. Seek advice of an ophthalmologist.

Specific Treatment: First Aider, decontamination, treatment of symptoms.

Notes to doctor: Treat symptomatically.

5. Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media: Foam, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, water mist.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture: Slight flammability hazard when exposed to heat or flame. During a fire, toxic gases (carbon monoxide, nitrous gases) may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

5.3 Advice for firefighters: Only suitably trained personnel should attempt to tackle fires. Do not stay in the danger zone without respiratory protective equipment and PPE

6. Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Surfaces may become slippery after spillage.

6.2 Environmental precautions: Water may be used to flush spills away from sources of ignition. Do not allow the product to enter public drainage system or open water courses.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Use Sand or active clay to absorb spilled substance and remove to containers for disposal

6.4 Reference to other Sections: See sections 8 and 13

7. Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling: Avoid skin contact. Avoid inhalation of vapour, mist or fumes. Do not wear contaminated clothing. Avoid contact with the eyes – wear chemical protective goggles when handling the product. Protective clothing such as impervious gloves should be worn if skin contact is anticipated. Protective clothing should be regularly inspected and maintained, discard oil saturated leather articles. The use of barrier and after work creams may be beneficial. Wash hands after working with the material.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities: Keep containers tightly closed. Avoid heat and sources of ignition. Store in original containers or in other mild steel or high density polyethylene containers which are closable and clearly labelled. Clean up any spilled material immediately

7.3 Specific end use(s): This material is formulated for various uses.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

8.1 Control Parameters: Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

DNEL Values: - No Data Available

PNEC Values: - No Data Available

8.2 Exposure Controls:

Appropriate engineering measures: Facilities storing or utilising this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility.

Respiratory protection: Inhalation of the vapour, fumes or mists should be avoided by safe working practices and good ventilation.

Eye protection: Wear appropriate eye goggles.

Skin protection: No special precautions are needed beyond clean working conditions and safe handling practices. Change heavily contaminated clothing.

Hand protection: Use impervious gloves [conforming to EN374] PVC is suitable for casual contact. If direct contact for more than 2 hours then Neoprene or nitrile gloves recommended.

8.3 Environmental Exposure Controls: See sections 6, 7, 12 and 13

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1 Information on basic chemical and physical properties:

Appearance:	Liquid (at elevated temperature) White/ yellow Solid (at ambient temperature)
Odour:	Typical
Odour threshold:	Not determined
pH:	Neutral
Melting point/ Congealing point:	58 - 65°C
Boiling point/ range:	Initial boiling point >300 °C
Flash Point:	> 150 °C (ASTM D92, COC)
Evaporation Point:	Not determined
Flammability (solid, gas):	May be combustible at high temperature
Explosion Limits:	Not determined
Vapour pressure:	Negligible
Vapour density:	Not determined
Relative density (at 15°C):	0.83 – 0.86
Solubility in water:	<1 mg/l
Solubility in other solvents:	Petroleum Ether, Ethyl Acetate
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water:	Not determined
Auto-ignition temperature:	>200 °C
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined
Viscosity (Kinematic, at 100°C):	10.0 cSt
Explosive properties:	Not determined
Oxidizing properties:	Not determined

9.2 Other Information: None

10. Stability and Reactivity

10.1 Reactivity: This product is not reactive under normal storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

10.2 Chemical stability: Under normal storage and handling conditions, this product is stable. May react with strong oxidising agents, especially at high temperatures.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions: No specific hazardous reactions are expected to occur.

10.4 Conditions to avoid: Extremes of temperature (preferably, store between 5 & 39 °C).

10.5 Incompatible materials: May react with strong oxidants (e.g. chlorates, peroxides).

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products: Thermal decomposition or incomplete combustion may produce carbon monoxide, nitrous gases and irritating fumes.

11. Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute Toxicity

Acute Toxicity (oral)	LD50 >2000mg/kg
Acute Toxicity (dermal)	LD50 >2000mg/kg
Acute Toxicity (inhalation)	No data available

Skin Corrosive / Irritation: Not classified as corrosive/irritant to skin

Serious Eye Damage Irritation: Can cause slight to moderate irritation.

Respiratory Sensitisation: Not classified as a respiratory sensitiser

Skin Sensitisation: Not classified as a skin sensitiser

Repeated Dose Toxicity: No data available

Mutagenicity: No data available

Carcinogenicity: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

Reproductive Toxicity: No data available

STOT-single exposure: Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant.

STOT-repeated exposure: Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant.

Aspiration Hazard: Not classified as presenting an aspiration hazard

12. Ecological Information

12.1 Toxicity:

Environmental Fate:	Not established
Aquatic toxicity (fish):	Data not available
Aquatic toxicity (algae):	Data not available
Aquatic toxicity (invertebrate):	Data not available
Mobility:	Non-volatile and absorption into soil solid phase not expected.
Biodegradation:	Insoluble in water – can be separated from water in suitable effluent treatment plants.
Bioaccumulation potential:	Data not available
Other Ecological information:	No other adverse effects are observed. Do not allow uncontrolled leakage of product into the environment.
Results of PBT and vPvB assessment:	This substance does not fulfil the criteria for being classed as a PBT or vPvB substance.

13 Disposal Considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods:

Disposal Methods: Treat in accordance with EU directive 2008/98/EC. Transport to authorised waste location, or incinerate under controlled conditions (EU Directives 2000/76/EC and 1999/31/EC apply). Do not dispose to drains or sewage systems.

14. Transport Information

14.1 UN number: Not Classified.

14.2 UN Proper shipping name: Not Classified

14.3 Transport Hazard Class(es): Not Classified

14.4 Packing Group: Not Classified

14.5 Environmental Hazards: None

14.6 Special Precautions for user: None

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC code: Not Classified

15. Regulatory Information

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

EU Directives: Commission Regulation (EU) No 453/2010 of 20 May 2010 amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18th Dec 2006 Concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 199/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation Council Regulation (EEC) No793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, and 93/105/EEC and 2000/21/EC including amendments. Statutory Instruments: The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply Regulations 2009 (S.I. 2009 No 716).

Approved Code of Practice: Classification and Labelling of Substances and Preparations Dangerous for Supply. Safety Data Sheets for Substances and Preparations
Guidance Notes: Workplace Exposure Limits EH40. CHIP for everyone HSG 108.

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment: The supplier has not performed a chemical safety assessment of this substance.

16. Other Information

Indication of changes:

V2.0

Section 8 – Reference to TWA TLV data removed.
Section 11 /12 /13 updated

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Abbreviations & Acronyms

PNEC	Predicted No Effect Level
DNEL	Derived No Effect Level
LD50	Median Lethal Dose
LC50	Median Lethal Concentration
CAS No	Chemical Abstract Services number
CLP	Classification Labelling and Packaging Regulation
ES	Exposure Scenario
EC	European Commission
EC No	European Chemical Number – EINECS - ELINCS
ECHA	European Chemical Agency
EINECS	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
ELINCS	European List of Notified Chemical Substances.
OECD	Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development
DSD	Dangerous Substances Directive.
PBT	Persistent Bio accumulative Toxic
vPvB	very Persistent very Bio accumulative
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer

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