

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## **SECTION I.** MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION

### **VASELINE PURE PETROLEUM JELLY**

**MSDS Number: 4056**

## **SECTION II.** INGREDIENTS

White Petrolatum, USP 100 %

This product is not manufactured to contain a reportable component as defined in 29 CFR 1910.1200.

## **SECTION III.** PHYSICAL DATA

- A. DESCRIPTION: Slightly yellow, odorless unctuous material
- B. PHYSICAL /CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS:
- |                      |               |                |                      |
|----------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------------|
| Boiling Point:       | 550 ° F       | Vapor Pressure | < 0.001              |
| Specific Gravity     | 0.815 – 0.880 | Vapor Density  | >16                  |
| Melting Point        | 100 – 140 ° F | Flash Point    | 400 ° F (Closed Cup) |
| Solubility in water: | Insoluble     |                |                      |

## **SECTION IV.** FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

- A. HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: Non combustible
- B. FLASHPOINT: Not applicable
- C. CONTENTS UNDER PRESSURE: No
- D. EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Carbon dioxide or dry chemicals.
- E. SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES: Wear self contained breathing gear when fighting fire in confined space.

F. EXPLOSIVE: No

**SECTION V. REACTIVITY DATA**

- A. STABLE: Yes
- B. HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Carbon monoxide and asphyxiates
- C. INCOMPATIBLE WITH: Amines, strong alkali
- D. SPECIAL CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Excessive temperature, open flame
- E. CORROSIVE: No

**SECTION VI. HEALTH HAZARDS INFORMATION**

- A. EXPOSURE EFFECTS: Rarely presents a problem when used according to directions. This product is safe for its intended use. Like many consumer products, a very small number of individuals may experience reactions such as redness, rash and /or swelling.
- B. FIRST AID: If reaction to product does not subside quickly (in a few minutes) consult a physician or emergency room immediately.  
  
INGESTION: Ingestion may cause nausea, vomiting or diarrhea. If the victim is conscious, allow for administration of fluids. Seek medical attention.  
  
EYE CONTACT: Flush with copious amounts of water immediately. If reaction persists, consult a physician, eye doctor or emergency room.  
  
SKIN CONTACT: In the unlikely event of a skin reaction such as rash or swelling, flush area with water and consult a physician.  
  
RESPIRATORY: Reaction not expected since product is not volatile. However, seek medical attention in the unlikely event of aspiration.

**SECTION VII. SPILL, LEAK, AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES**

- A. SPILLS, LEAKS: This section is intended for manufacturing facilities. Household spills may simply be wiped up and disposed of in regular household garbage.  
  
Shovel when concealed.  
  
Large Spills - Should be collected in suitable container.
- B. DISPOSAL: Disposal should be in accordance with all applicable local, state and federal regulations.

**SECTION VIII. SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION**

None

**SECTION IX. PRECAUTIONS AND COMMENTS**

- A. STORAGE & HANDLING INFORMATION: Store in a dry area at normal temperatures. Avoid storing at high temperature or near heat source as product quality may be compromised.

B. SPECIAL STORAGE REQUIRED: NFPA Class IIIB Storage

C. SHIPPING INFORMATION: Not regulated

**SECTION X. EXPOSURE LIMITS**

A. OSHA PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMIT: Not applicable

B. ACGIH THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE: Not applicable

C. OTHER APPLICABLE EXPOSURE LIMITS: Not applicable

**SECTION XI. CARCINOGEN LISTINGS**

A. NATIONAL TOXICOLOGY PROGRAM ANNUAL REPORT ON CARCINOGENS: No

B. INTERNATIONAL AGENCY FOR RESEARCH ON CANCER MONOGRAPHS: No

C. OSHA: No

The product(s) described in the Material Safety Data Sheet are regulated under the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetics Act and are safe to use as per directions on container, box or accompanying literature (where applicable).

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