

### PRODUCT DATA SHEET







Today we must draw the alarm bell as regard environmental issues in context increased of agricultural production and development of cropping techniques (e.g.: mechanization, genetically modified seeds or varieties, inputs such as fertilizers, pesticides, etc.). Intensive productions lead to dramatic reductions in the numbers of certain vegetable and animal species.

Pollination is a basic process for the survival and evolution of more than 80% of the vegetable species in the world. Bees are the main player in this process and need to be protected. They are an essential part of our biodiversity.

NATURA-TEC is in favour of sustainable and controlled innovation, respectful of public health and the planet. We therefore developed an alternative to animal derived BEESWAX that mimics its behaviour in cosmetic formulations.

NATURA-TEC VEGETABLE
BEESWAX is a renewable and sustainable 100% vegetable wax elaborated to forge and influence positive environmental consciousness in line with VEGAN principles.

# **NATURA-TEC VEGETABLE BEESWAX**

### **PROPERTIES**

**NATURA-TEC VEGETABLE BEESWAX** is an excellent consistency agent with plastic and kneadable properties at body temperature that nourishes, moisturizes and softens the skin. Due to its high compatibility, it is very easy to use in all type of cosmetic formulations.

Comparative studies with the animal derived grade:

- same properties when used up to 10% in emulsion system in terms of viscosity, pH, sensoriality and stability.
- same properties in term of cracking index and sensorial profile when use in combination with other waxes in a lipstick formulation.
- demonstrate a very important oil binding capacity and structure improvement when used alone in a lipbalm formulation at 25%.

**NATURA-TEC VEGETABLE BEESWAX** is the preferred ingredient to replace animal derived **BEESWAX**.

## **COSMETIC APPLICATIONS**

Decorative (1 to 12%)...Lipstick, eyeliner, mascara, cosmetic pencil, lipbalm Skincare (0,5 – 5%)......Emulsion W in O, O in W

Natural depilatory waxes (0,5 – 5%)

Hair care (0,5-6%)... .Conditioner, styling wax, hair masks Candles, soaps.

## **TECHNICAL DATA**

Appearance: Ivory to pale yellow pellets

Melting point 55 – 65 °C

INCI Stearyl Stearate (and) Rhus Verniciflua Peel Cera

(and) Copernicia Cerifera Cera