



Shay and Company

Supplier of Wholesale Oils, Butters, Waxes, Candle Supplies and Essential Oils

Shea Butter, Nilotica, Virgin
Lot# 000924
Country of Origin: Kenya
Manufacture Date: 01/2024
Expiration Date: 01/2027

Ingredient Name (INCI): Butyrospermum Parkii or Vitellaria Paradoxa Butter (Shea Butter)

Composition: 100% Nilotica Shea Butter

Packaging: Bags, buckets, boxes

Description: Pale to creamy yellow when cool translucent liquid when heated; mild nutty smell, characteristic to virgin shea butter

Applications: Skincare, Soap Manufacturing, Food

Certificates: non-GMO

Method of Extraction: Physical extraction; no chemicals used

Plant Part Used: Seed

Vegan: Yes

Gluten Free: Yes

Allergen: None (highly refined oils are exempt as major food allergens)

Food Grade: Yes

Saponification Value: 185-195

Refined, bleached and deodorized: No

Melt Point: 25-30°C/77-86°F

Parameter	Units	Limits		Results
Free Fatty Acid	%		2.9	3.85
C16:0 Palmitic	%	2.80	8	4.11
C18:0 Stearic	%	32	53	30.6
C18:1 Oleic	%	34	57	56.2
C18:2 Linoleic	%	4	9	6.22
C20:0 Arachidonic Acid	%		2	1.18
C20:1 Gondoic Acid	%		1	0.26
C22:0 Tricosylic Acid	%		1	.14

Shelf life is guaranteed for three years from time of manufacture when stored in original, unopened container between 59° F to 86°F and protected from light. Shay and Company diligently sources and provides the highest quality ingredients, but it is the customer's responsibility to ensure the products purchase from Shay and Company meets their expectations. Any additional testing will be the responsibility of the customer.

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