

Body Butter Base Processing Instructions

1. Add required amount of Body Butter Base to a suitable vessel.
2. With continuous agitation, heat the product to 50 – 60C. If microwaving the product, ensure the product is stirred thoroughly every 1 minute to keep the product homogenous.
3. With continuous agitation, add colour and or desired fragrance/extract to product. It is recommended that no more than 2% fragrance/extract is added to the product.

N/B – For larger production batches, processing should be scaled up appropriately. Consideration will need to be given to stirring equipment and appropriate filling equipment.

4. Continue stirring the product until it cools to 50 – 55C. Fill the product into required containers. Opaque containers are recommended as the natural ingredients in the product may darken when exposed to direct sunlight. Product should remain open and without a lid on, until cooled and set at ambient temperature.
5. Take sample for microbiological testing both before and after filling

Please note:

1. ***Like all water based personal care products, Body Butter Base is susceptible to microbial contamination, even though it has passed microbial preservative challenge testing. Good hygiene and good manufacturing practices must be carried out when using this product at all times.***
2. ***Like all your products, formulations should first pass stability testing and microbial preservative challenge testing before you manufacture them***

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