



## NV'Soy™ Wax Facts

- ❖ NV'Soy™ Wax Candles are made of ALL NATURAL COMPOUNDS that release NO TOXINS when burned
- ❖ NV'Soy™ wax is a renewable, environmentally preferable alternative to replace non-renewable petroleum-based paraffin wax
- ❖ NV'Soy™ wax comes from sustainable and renewable agricultural sources
- ❖ Consumers are DEMANDING a *safe* alternative
- ❖ Due to LOW MELTING POINT soy wax BURNS COOLER, LONGER and SAFER than paraffin
- ❖ This feature also allows fragrances to be released into the air faster and they last longer
- ❖ NV'Soy™ wax is water-soluble and can be easily cleaned from glass, tin, fabric and other material for efficient recycling.
- ❖ CLEAN-BURNING with NO PETRO SOOT EMISSIONS
- ❖ Soy wax burns an average of 25% to 65% longer than paraffin

## More NV'Soy™ Wax Facts

### THE PROCESSING OF SOYBEAN WAX

A 60 pound bushel is the traditional farm measure. When soybeans are processed they are crushed and pressed to separate the soybean meal from the soybean oil. In each 60 pound bushel, 49 pounds of soymeal and 11 pounds of soybean oil are produced.

The 49 pounds of soymeal is where the protein content of the soybean is, so soymeal is processed into animal feeds and foods for human consumption such as soy milk, tofu and texturized soy protein (a meat substitute such as "veggie" burgers).

Taking the 11 pounds of soybean oil out of each 60 pound bushel and making it into soy wax is done by a process of partial hydrogenation of the soybean oil.

### SOYBEAN OIL CONTENT OF SOY WAX

The very high majority percentage of all Soy wax products is soybean oil. A small minority of other vegetable oils are added to achieve better performance characteristics for a smooth and even wax surface, strong fragrance throw, longer shelf life, color blend and in the case of the pillar and votive wax, ease of mold release. It is much more important to us to have the very best wax performance rather than 100% soy content. Our NV'Soy™ candles are 100% vegetable with no chemicals, animal fat or petroleum additives – when only the BEST will do.