

# RECIPE - 9CL AURORA IN RCX

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## DESCRIPTION



#### **INGREDIENTS FOR EACH CANDLE**

 1x 9cl glass jar

 7.5g of Aurora Fragrance Oil

 67.5g of Candle Shack Ecosystem RCX

 1x CL6 Wick

 1x 15mm Adhesive Wick Pad

1x Three Jar Wick Centering Tool

#### WAX

Candle Shack's EcoSystem Rapeseed & Coconut (RCX) is a natural wax blend. It was developed in Europe exclusively for Candle Shack and is made from rapeseed and coconut oil... and nothing else! It is free from paraffin, soy, palm, beeswax and synthetic additives.

## VESSEL

Our Lauren 9cl Votive glass is manufactured in Italy and meets the highest standards of clarity and tolerance. Height: 67mm Diameter: 56mm Internal height: 57mm

## WICK

Crafted from unbleached cotton and interwoven with a linen thread, CL candle wicks are innovative flat wicks designed to minimise afterglow and smoking while maintaining rigidity. All wicks are 110mm long with a thin paraffin coating for stability.

## **USAGE RECOMMENDATIONS**

- We recommend working at an ambient temperature of 18 to 25°C
- We recommend heating RCX to 60°C to melt.
- Add the fragrance at 60°C and stir for 60 seconds.
- The mixture is ready to pour at 38°C into glasses at room-temperature.
- If the top is uneven once set, you can flash the surface with a heat gun or do a top-up pour to get a clean finish.
- Leave the candle to cure for at least 2 days at 20°C for the best results.

## DISCLAIMER

Each report shows test results for a set of candles made by Candle Shack's R&D team for that particular recipe. The test reports are not a guarantee that all candles made to the recipe will burn in exactly the same way. Variables such as ambient temperature, air flow, or the manufacturing process can affect the burning profile of a candle, so it is recommended that candle makers conduct their own testing to ensure that they are satisfied with the performance of their product.



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Technical report on a test set of candles made in Candle Shack R&D department for sooting behaviour testing and fire safety testing

Date of Report: 26/04/23

Testing Period: 19/04/2023 - 26/04/2023

Sample Ref	RCP0118B-1	No. of Samples	3	
Candle Name	9cl Aurora Candle, 10% in RCX			
Description	75g Rapeseed & Coconut Wax Fragranced Candle			
Fragrance	Aurora		Weight per candle	7.5g
Wax	Candle Shack Ecosystem RCX		Weight per candle	67.5g
Colour	White	Height	67mm	
Wick Type	CL6	Top Diameter (ext)	56mm	
Wick Positioning	Centred	Top Diameter (int)	51mm	
Surface Defects	None	Base Diameter	50mm	

#### **TECHNICAL REPORT**

- Part 1: SPECIFICATION FOR SOOTING BEHAVIOUR To evaluate the performance of a test set of candles in a controlled environment against the requirements of **BS EN 15426:2018** (Candles. Specification for sooting behaviour)
- Part 2: SPECIFICATION FOR FIRE SAFETY To evaluate the performance of a test set of candles in a controlled environment against the requirements of **BS EN 15493:2019** (Candles. Specification for fire safety)



Part 1: SPECIFICATION FOR SOOTING BEHAVIOUR

#### Requirement

When tested in accordance with clause 9 of EN 15426:2018, the average soot index per hour from three tests (samples) shall be less than 1.0/h

The room temperature during testing was 20±5°C

Wicks were trimmed to 5mm before lighting.

Cycles: 3 x 240 ± 5 min cycles with >60min pause between cycles)

Soot testing was performed in wire mesh cylinder Type 2 (Diameter: 300 ± 10 mm)

Sample Ref.	Total burn time t <sub>m</sub> (h)	Hourly soot index Si <sub>h</sub>	Average soot index per hour Si <sub>h</sub>	Result
RCP0118B-1.1	8.00	0.06		
RCP0118B-1.2	8.00	0.06	0.09	PASS
RCP0118B-1.3	8.00	0.16		

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#### Part 2: SPECIFICATION FOR FIRE SAFETY

Test Property	Test Method	Test Requirements	Result	
Stability	EN 15493:2019 4.1	Candle should not tip over when placed on a 10° incline plane	PASS	
Secondary Ignition	(Visual Check) EN 15493:2019 4.2	No secondary ignition shall occur for more	DAGO	
	(Visual Check)	than 10 s	PASS	
		The flame height for all candle types,		
Flame Height	EN 15493:2019 4.3	except for tea lights, shall not exceed	PASS	
	(Measurement)	75mm. The flame height for tea lights shall		
		not exceed 30mm	Maximum: 15 mm	
	EN 15493:2019 4.5.1	After extinguishing the candle shall not	PASS	
	(Visual Check)	spontaneously re-light	1765	
Behaviour after extinguishing	EN 15493:2019 4.5.2 (Measurement)	The wick shall not continue to glow or smoke for an average time of more than	PASS	
	(modear ennemy)	30 s after extinguishing	Average: 5 s	
Container Candles	EN 15493:2019 4.6 (Visual Check)	The container shall not crack or break at any time throughout the burning test	PASS	

The room temperature during testing was 20±5°C

Wicks were trimmed to 5mm before lighting.

Candle Performance (240 ± 5 min cycles with >60min pause between cycles)

Sample Ref.	Gross Weight (g)	Total Wax Consumed (g)	*Total Burning Time (h)	Wax Consumption Rate (g/h)
RCP0118B-1.1	198.9	68.6	20.0	3.43
RCP0118B-1.2	199.0	69.2	20.0	3.46
RCP0118B-1.3	199.3	65.5	20.0	3.28

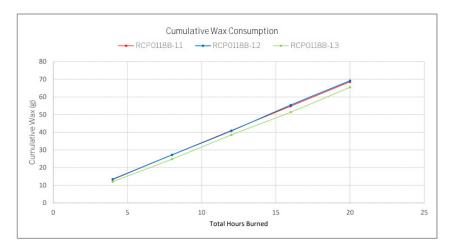
\*If a candle self-extinguishes during the final burn cycle, the time of self-extinguishing is estimated.

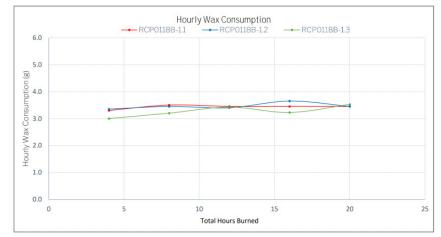
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