11. The nonaqueous, extrudable composition according to claim 1, wherein the at least one thermoplastic polymer comprises a water soluble polymer.

12. The nonaqueous, extrudable composition according to claim 1, wherein the composition further comprises a silicate material.

13. A method for making a tobacco product, comprising extruding a nonaqueous composition comprising tobacco and at least one thermoplastic polymer in an amount of more than 20 wt% of the whole composition through an extruder to form an extruded sheet of the nonaqueous composition, wherein the tobacco is present in an amount of less than 100 mg in a single dose of the product, wherein the extruded sheet has a thickness of 10 to 40 mils, wherein the product has a pH of 6 to 9.5 when the product is present in a user's mouth, and wherein the tobacco has a size distribution between 0.1 and 600 microns, such that a user's maximum measured nicotine plasma concentration is greater than 4 ng/ml.

14. The method according to claim ~~14~~13, wherein the extruding of the composition is carried out without injecting gas into the composition.

15. The method according to claim ~~14~~13, wherein the at least one polymer comprises hydroxypropyl cellulose (HPC).

16. The method according to claim 13, wherein the composition is extruded at a temperature of less than 200°F.

17. The method according to claim 13, wherein the composition is extruded at a temperature of 350°F or lower and for a time of 2 minutes or less.

18. The method according to claim 13, wherein the composition is extruded at a temperature of 400°For lower and for a time of 2 minutes or less.