

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Contact	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. Contact with molten materials, requires immediate medical assistance.
Skin Contact	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. In case of burns, immediately cool affected skin for as long as possible with cold water. Consult a physician.
Inhalation	Move to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Ingestion	Clean mouth with water and afterwards drink plenty of water. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Notes to Physician	Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties	Not flammable.			
Flash Point	Not determined.			
Suitable Extinguishing Media	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.			
Hazardous Combustion Products	Hydrocarbons. Hydrogen sulfide.			
Explosion Data				
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact	None			
Sensitivity to Static Discharge	None			
Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical	Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.			
Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters	As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.			
NFPA	Health Hazard 2	Flammability 0	Instability 0	Physical and Chemical Hazards -
HMIS	Health Hazard 2*	Flammability 0	Physical Hazard 0	Personal Protection X

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions	Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.
Environmental Precautions	Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.
Methods for Containment	Dike far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal.
Methods for Cleaning Up	Use personal protective equipment. Take up mechanically and collect in suitable container for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling	Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use.
Storage	Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Asphalt 8052-42-4	TWA: 0.5 mg/m ³ benzene soluble aerosol fume, inhalable fraction		Ceiling: 5 mg/m ³ fume 15 min

OSHA PEL: Occupational Safety and Health Administration - Permissible Exposure Limits. ACGIH TLV: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists - Threshold Limit Value. NIOSH IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health.

Other Exposure Guidelines Vacated limits revoked by the Court of Appeals decision in AFL-CIO v. OSHA, 965 F.2d 962 (11th Cir., 1992).

Engineering Measures Showers
Eyewash stations
Ventilation systems

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye/Face Protection

Safety glasses with side-shields. If splashes are likely to occur, wear: Goggles.

Skin and Body Protection

Wear protective gloves/clothing.

Respiratory Protection

If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

Hygiene Measures

When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	Black.	Odor	Asphaltic, Slight.
Odor Threshold	No information available.	Physical State	Solid.
pH	No information available.	Autoignition Temperature	No information available.
Flash Point	No information available.	Boiling Point/Boiling Range	No information available.
Decomposition Temperature	No information available.	Explosion Limits	No information available.
Melting Point/Range	180°C	Solubility	Partly soluble.
Flammability Limits in Air	No information available.	Vapor Pressure	No data available.
Specific Gravity	1.02	EPA VOC (g/l)	0
Evaporation Rate	No information available.		
Vapor Density	No data available.		

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Incompatible Products	Strong oxidizing agents.
Conditions to Avoid	Dust formation.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO ₂). Hydrocarbons. Hydrogen sulfide. Sulfur oxides.
Hazardous Polymerization	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity

Product Information No acute toxicity information is available for this product.

Component Information

Chemical Name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Asphalt	5000 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	
Extracts, petroleum, heavy paraffinic distillate solvent	> 2000 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	

Chronic Toxicity

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The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) has determined that there is inadequate evidence that undiluted, air-refined asphalt is carcinogenic to experimental animals. Limited evidence exists that undiluted steam-refined and cracking residue asphalts is carcinogenic to animals. Additionally, IARC has concluded that there is inadequate evidence that asphalts alone are carcinogenic to humans.

Carcinogenicity

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Asphalt		Group 2B Group 3		X
Extracts, petroleum, heavy paraffinic distillate solvent	A2	Group 1		X

ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen

IARC: (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

Group 1 - Carcinogenic to Humans

Group 2B - Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans

Group 3: Not Classifiable as to its Carcinogenicity to Humans

OSHA: (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)

X - Present

Target Organ Effects

Respiratory system.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

Chemical Name	Toxicity to Algae	Toxicity to Fish	Toxicity to Microorganisms	Daphnia Magna (Water Flea)
Extracts, petroleum, heavy paraffinic distillate solvent			EC50 > 1000 mg/L 16 h	EC50 48 h: = 1.4 mg/L (Daphnia magna)

Chemical Name	Log Pow
Asphalt	6.006
Extracts, petroleum, heavy paraffinic distillate solvent	0.5005

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Methods	This material, as supplied, is not a hazardous waste according to Federal regulations (40 CFR 261). This material could become a hazardous waste if it is mixed with or otherwise comes in contact with a hazardous waste, if chemical additions are made to this material, or if the material is processed or otherwise altered. Consult 40 CFR 261 to determine whether the altered material is a hazardous waste. Consult the appropriate state, regional, or local regulations for additional requirements.
Contaminated Packaging	Do not re-use empty containers.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

<u>DOT</u>	Not regulated
<u>TDG</u>	Not regulated
<u>MEX</u>	Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA	Complies
DSL	Complies

Legend

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
DSL/NDL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

U.S. Federal Regulations

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372:

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Asphalt	8052-42-4	88.25	0.1

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	Yes
Fire Hazard	No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

U.S. State Regulations**California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Asphalt	X	X	X		X
Extracts, petroleum, heavy paraffinic distillate solvent		X			

International Regulations

Chemical Name	Carcinogen Status	Exposure Limits
Asphalt		Mexico: TWA 5 mg/m ³ Mexico: STEL 10 mg/m ³

Canada

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

WHMIS Hazard Class

D2B Toxic materials



16. OTHER INFORMATION

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End of Safety Data Sheet