

1. Identification

Product identifier **SS-1**
Other means of identification None.
Recommended use Not available.
Recommended restrictions None known.
Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information
Manufacturer: Ergon Asphalt & Emulsions, Inc.
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 Jackson, MS 39232
Website: www.ergonasphalt.com
Telephone: 1-800-222-7122 (Customer Service)
E-mail: sds@ergon.com
24 hour Emergency (CHEMTREC): North America 1-800-424-9300; International 1-703-527-3887

2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Not classified.
Health hazards Not classified.
Environmental hazards Not classified.
OSHA defined hazards Not classified.

*Hazards not stated here are "Not classified", "Not applicable" or "Classification not possible".

Label elements

Hazard symbol None.
Signal word None.
Hazard statement The mixture does not meet the criteria for classification.

Precautionary statement

Prevention Observe good industrial hygiene practices.
Response Wash hands after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
Storage Keep cool. Store in a well-ventilated place. Store locked up. Store away from incompatible materials.
Disposal Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC) Molten asphalt presents a thermal hazard.

Supplemental information None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients
Mixtures

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
ASPHALT		8052-42-4	50 - 70
WATER		7732-18-5	30 - 50
Other components below reportable levels			1.51

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation

If breathing is difficult, remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Move to fresh air. Oxygen or artificial respiration if needed. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim inhaled the substance. Induce artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Get medical attention immediately. Get medical attention, if needed. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Skin contact

Immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Wash off with soap and water. Wash off with warm water and soap. Rinse skin with water/shower. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. For minor skin contact, avoid spreading material on unaffected skin. Wash clothing separately before reuse.

Eye contact

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Flush eyes with water as a precaution. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention immediately. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Ingestion

Rinse mouth. Rinse mouth thoroughly. Do not induce vomiting. Do not induce vomiting without advice from poison control center. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested the substance. Induce artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. If ingestion of a large amount does occur, call a poison control center immediately.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Not available.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

In case of shortness of breath, give oxygen. Keep victim warm. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

General information

In the case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible). IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). In case of shortness of breath, give oxygen. Keep victim warm. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Water. Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases. H₂S

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Firefighters must use standard protective equipment including flame retardant coat, helmet with face shield, gloves, rubber boots, and in enclosed spaces, SCBA. Wear full protective clothing, including helmet, self-contained positive pressure or pressure demand breathing apparatus, protective clothing and face mask. Firefighters should wear full protective clothing including self contained breathing apparatus. Structural firefighters protective clothing will only provide limited protection.

Fire fighting equipment/instructions

In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Firefighters must use standard protective equipment including flame retardant coat, helmet with face shield, gloves, rubber boots, and in enclosed spaces, SCBA. If tank, rail car or tank truck is involved in a fire, ISOLATE for 800 meters (1/2 mile) in all directions; also consider initial evacuation for 800 meters (1/2 mile) in all directions. ALWAYS stay away from tanks engulfed in flame. Fight fire from maximum distance or use unmanned hose holders or monitor nozzles. Withdraw immediately in case of rising sound from venting safety device or any discoloration of tanks due to fire. Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk. In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray. Use water spray to cool unopened containers. Cool containers exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out. For massive fire in cargo area, use unmanned hose holder or monitor nozzles, if possible. If not, withdraw and let fire burn out. Some of these materials, if spilled, may evaporate leaving a flammable residue. Use of foam or water may cause frothing.

Specific methods

In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray. Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Consider initial downwind evacuation for at least 500 meters (1/3 mile). Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Ventilate closed spaces before entering them. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Avoid inhalation of vapor, fumes, dust and/or mist from the spilled material.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). Keep combustibles (wood, paper, oil, etc.) away from spilled material. Dike far ahead of spill for later disposal. Avoid dust formation. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Never return spills in original containers for re-use.

Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not contaminate water.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Do not breathe dust or mist. Do not get this material in contact with eyes. Do not get this material in contact with skin. Avoid breathing mist or vapor. Avoid contact with skin. Do not get this material on clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required. Do not use in areas without adequate ventilation. This product is a mixture of water and asphalt. Heating to temperatures above 190°F can cause the water portion to boil, causing excessive frothing resulting in hot asphalt overflow. Avoid prolonged exposure. When using do not eat or drink. Hydrogen sulfide (H₂S) may be given off when this material is heated. Do not depend on sense of smell for warning. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid release to the environment.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

CAUTION Store locked up. Do not handle or store near an open flame, heat or other sources of ignition. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Keep at temperature not exceeding 50 °C. Prevent electrostatic charge build-up by using common bonding and grounding techniques. Store in cool place. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store in a closed container away from incompatible materials. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs. Keep out of the reach of children. Use care in handling/storage. Store in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulation.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Components	Type	Value	Form
ASPHALT (CAS 8052-42-4)	TWA	0.5 mg/m ³	Inhalable fume.

US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards

Components	Type	Value	Form
ASPHALT (CAS 8052-42-4)	Ceiling	5 mg/m ³	Fume.

Biological limit values

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Appropriate engineering controls

Explosion-proof general and local exhaust ventilation. Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Do not get in eyes. Wear eye/face protection. Chemical goggles are recommended. Face-shield. Wear chemical protective equipment that is specifically recommended by the manufacturer.

Skin protection

Hand protection

Wear protective gloves. Chemical resistant gloves.

Other

Do not get this material in contact with skin. Avoid contact with the skin. Wear chemical protective equipment that is specifically recommended by the manufacturer. Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing. It may provide little or no thermal protection. Wear suitable protective clothing. Chemical resistant gloves.

Respiratory protection

If airborne concentrations are above the applicable exposure limits, use NIOSH approved respiratory protection.

Thermal hazards

Not available.

General hygiene considerations

When using do not smoke. Do not get in eyes. Do not get this material in contact with skin. Do not get this material on clothing. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Avoid contact with skin. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Keep away from food and drink. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Viscous liquid
Physical state	Liquid.
Form	Liquid.
Color	Black.
Odor	Mild Petroleum Odor
Odor threshold	Not available.
pH	8.5 - 10.6
Melting point/freezing point	Not available.
Initial boiling point and boiling range	≥ 212 °F (≥ 100 °C)
Flash point	> 212.0 °F (> 100.0 °C)
Evaporation rate	Not available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not available.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	
Flammability limit - lower (%)	Not available.
Flammability limit - upper (%)	Not available.
Explosive limit - lower (%)	Not available.
Explosive limit - upper (%)	Not available.
Vapor pressure	0.00001 hPa estimated
Vapor density	> 1
Relative density	Not available.
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility (water)	Not available.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	> 700 °F (> 371.11 °C)
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
Viscosity	Not available.
Other information	
Specific gravity	1.01

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	Not available.
Chemical stability	Stable under normal temperature conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Conditions to avoid	Contact with incompatible materials.
Incompatible materials	Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products	Not available.

11. Toxicological information**Information on likely routes of exposure**

Inhalation	Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.
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Skin contact No adverse effects due to skin contact are expected.

Eye contact May be irritating to eyes.

Ingestion Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity Not available.

Skin corrosion/irritation May be irritating to the skin.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation May be irritating to eyes.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Respiratory sensitization Not available.

Skin sensitization Irritating to skin.

Germ cell mutagenicity No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

ASPHALT (CAS 8052-42-4)

2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1052)

Not regulated.

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

Not listed.

Reproductive toxicity Contains no ingredient listed as toxic to reproduction

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure Not available.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure Not available.

Aspiration hazard Not available.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity Contains a substance which causes risk of hazardous effects to the environment.

Product	Species	Test Results
SS-1		
Aquatic		
Crustacea	EC50 Daphnia	43237.5 mg/l, 48 hours estimated

* Estimates for product may be based on additional component data not shown.

Persistence and degradability Not available.

Bioaccumulative potential Not available.

Mobility in soil Not available.

Other adverse effects Not available.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. No components are identified as hazardous wastes. Disposal recommendations are based on uncontaminated material.

Local disposal regulations Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Hazardous waste code The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused products Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions). Avoid discharge into water courses or onto the ground.

Contaminated packaging

Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Since emptied containers retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

14. Transport information**DOT**

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code Not available.

15. Regulatory information**US federal regulations****TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)**

Not regulated.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

ASPHALT (CAS 8052-42-4) Listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1052)

Not regulated.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)**SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance**

Not listed.

Classified hazard categories

Flammable (gases, aerosols, liquids, or solids)
Hazard not otherwise classified (HNOC)

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not regulated.

Other federal regulations**Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List**

Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)

Not regulated.

US state regulations

WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.

International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	Yes
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Taiwan	Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI)	Yes
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)
A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

Issue date	10-30-2019
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Further information	HMIS® is a registered trade and service mark of the NPCA.
NFPA ratings	Health: 2 Flammability: 1 Instability: 0
References	ACGIH EPA: AQUIRE database NLM: Hazardous Substances Data Base US. IARC Monographs on Occupational Exposures to Chemical Agents IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens ACGIH Documentation of the Threshold Limit Values and Biological Exposure Indices
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