SAFETY DATA SHEET



SECTION 1 - PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

MATERIAL NAME: Asphalt Rolled Roofing

SDS NUMBER 101

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION: Asphalt Saturated Organic Felt Underlayments

CHEMICAL FAMILY: Mixture

PRODUCT USE: Weatherproofing

TRADE NAME (S): 15# ASTM Specification Felt, Pro 15 Specification Felt, No. 15 Specification Felt, No. 15 Non-

Spec Felt, 30# ASTM Specification Felt, Pro 30 Specification Felt, No. 30 Specification Felt,

No. 30 Non-Spec Felt

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SECTION 2 – HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:

Overview All components listed for this product are bound within the product. When handled as intended

and under normal conditions of use, the product listed in this SDS is not expected to pose a physical hazard or health risk to humans. This product does not contain any form of asbestos

materials.

Prevention Avoid breathing dust.

Storage/Disposal Dispose of content and/or container in accordance with local, regional, national, and/or

international regulations.

Route of Exposure Inhalation, Skin, Eye, Ingestion

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS:

Inhalation Not expected under normal conditions of use. However, extreme exposures to dust may cause

upper respiratory irritation.

Skin Not expected under normal conditions of use. Repeated contact may cause skin irritation due

to roughness of product. Redness, drying and cracking of the skin (dermatitis) may occur following prolonged and repeated contact. Prolonged or repeated skin contact could result in

absorption of hazardous components.

Ingestion Not intended to be ingested (eaten). If ingested, it may cause temporary irritation to the

gastrointestinal (digestive) tract.

Eyes Not expected under normal conditions of use. If dust enters eye, may cause irritation resulting

in tearing, stinging, redness or swelling.

Carcinogenicity When used under normal conditions, this product is not considered a carcinogen.

HAZARD RATING (NFPA)

HEALTH	1	
FLAMMABILITY	1	
REACTIVITY	0	
SPECIAL NOTICE	-	

HAZARD RATING (HMIS®)

HEALTH	1	
FLAMMABILITY	1	
PHYSICAL HAZARD	0	
PERSONAL PROTECTION	Х	

NFPA - National Fire Protection Association

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Degree of Hazard

- 0 Minimal (Insignificant)
- 1 Slight
- 2 Moderate
- 3 Serious (High)
- 4 Severe (Extreme)

SECTION 3 – COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CHEMICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	CAS NUMBER	PERCENT BY WEIGHT	
Asphalt	Asphalt Flux	8052-42-4	20-65	
Organic Felt	Paper	NA	30-60	

Note:

NA = Not Available

NE = Not Established

SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

INHALATION Exposure to dust may cause irritation of the nose and throat. Drink water to clear throat or blow

nose to clear. Remove to fresh, uncontaminated air. Give artificial respiration and/or oxygen

by trained personnel, if necessary and get immediate medical attention.

SKIN Remove contaminated clothing and wash exposed skin with soap and water. If irritation

develops or persists, seek medical attention. If contacted by hot asphalt, cool with ice or water;

do not attempt to remove the asphalt material immediately; seek medical attention.

INGESTION If product is ingested, do not induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs, keep head lower than hips to

avoid aspiration of vomit into the lungs, which can cause inflammation or pneumonitis. Get

immediate medical attention.

EYES If material comes into contact with the eyes, immediately flush with plenty of cool water for at

least 20 minutes preferably at an eye wash fountain or until irritation subsides, occasionally lifting the eye lids to ensure thorough rinsing. If irritation develops or persists, seek medical

attention.

NOTES TO PHYSICIANS/

FIRST AID PROVIDERS

Treatment must be based on removing the source of irritation with treatment of symptoms as

necessary. Water-Jel products have been shown to be effective in removing asphalt.

SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

Water spray, Foam, Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical.

UNSUITABLE-

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA No data available

HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION-

PRODUCTS Carbon Dioxide, Carbon Monoxide. If burned, the material could release toxic fumes and

smoke.

FIRE FIGHTING-

PROCEDURESCombustible. Avoid breathing fumes. Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local

circumstances and surrounding environment.

FIRE FIGHTER PROTECTION Firefighters should not enter confined space without wearing NIOSH-approved self-contained

breathing apparatus with full face mask and protective equipment.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND-

EXPLOSION HAZARDS When heated, fumes may burn if ignition source is provided. Burning the products will yield

thick, black smoke. Petroleum asphalt fumes can explode if emitted in an enclosed

environment and supplied with an ignition source.

SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS Not applicable EMERGENCY PROCEDURES Not applicable

ENVIRONMENTAL-

PRECAUTIONS No data available

CLEAN-UP PROCEDURES Pick up large pieces. Vacuum dust. If sweeping is necessary, avoid creating dusts by using a

dust suppressant such as water. This will help to minimize potential exposures.

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD Scoop up material and dispose in accordance with Federal, State, and local regulations. Do

not burn.

SECTION 7 – HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING PROCEDURES Use this product with adequate ventilation. When handling uncontained material, use personal

protective equipment as described in Section 8 of this SDS.

STORAGE PROCEDURES Store material in accordance with instructions on the product packaging, if any. Material

should be kept clean, dry, and in original packaging. Keep this product away from heat, sparks, ignition sources, and open flames in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

SPECIAL PACKAGING-

MATERIALS No data available

INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS This product will react with strong oxidizing agents, reducing agents, strong acids and alkalis.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS Do not breathe dusts generated from cutting this material. Comply with OSHA and other

safety standards and codes for roof work. Always use Fall Protection Systems when working on roofs. Product may be slippery when wet, dusty or covered with water, ice, dew, frost, or

snow.

SECTION 8 – EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

RESPIRATORY-

PROTECTION Not needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded, use a NIOSH

approved respirator. Follow all applicable respirator use, fitting, and training standards and

regulations.

EYES/FACE PROTECTION Safety glasses with side shields are recommended

HANDS PROTECTION Leather or cotton gloves recommended when handling to protect against mechanical abrasion.

Promptly clean hands with waterless hand cleaner, clean fingernails and wash with soap and

water after handling.

SKIN/BODY PROTECTION Normal work clothing (long sleeved shirts, long pants, and non-skid shoes or boots with 6-inch

leather uppers) is recommended during application and/or tear-off activities.

OTHER PROTECTIVE-

EQUIPMENT Should be provided as necessary to prevent irritation of the throat, eyes, and skin and to keep

exposures below the applicable exposure limits identified in this section.

WORK HYGIENE-

PRACTICESUse good industrial hygiene practices when handling the material. Wash exposed skin prior to

eating, drinking or smoking and at the end of the shift. Wash work clothes separately from

other clothing.

EXPOSURE GUIDELINES Handle using methods and techniques that minimize dust or fume generation.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS/

VENTILATION Not needed under normal conditions of use.

CUEMICAL MANE	COMMONINAME	CAS	EXPOSURE LIMIT			
CHEMICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	NUMBER	ACGIH (TWA)	OSHA (PEL)		
Asphalt	Asphalt Flux	8052-42-4	0.5 mg/m ³	5 mg/m ³		
Organic Felt	Paper	NA	NE	NE		

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SECTION 9 – PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical Form	Solid	Taste	No data available
Appearance	Sheet in roll form	Odor	Petroleum odor
Color	Black	Odor Threshold	No applicable
Boiling Point	>650° F	Vapor Pressure	No data
Melting Point	>200 ⁰ F	Vapor Density	No data
Freezing Point	No data	Evaporation Rate	No data
Specific Gravity	Variable	VOC (Weight)	No data
Density	No data	VOC (Volume)	No data
Bulk Density	No data	Volatiles (Weight)	No data
Viscosity	No data	Volatiles (Volume)	No data
pH (Undiluted Product)	No data	Flash Point	>450° F
Water Solubility	Insoluble	Flash Point Test Type	COC
Solvent Solubility	No data	Upper Explosion Limit	No data
Partition Coefficient - Octanol / Water	No data	Lower Explosion Limit	No data
Molecular Weight	No data	Auto Ignition >860 ⁰ F	
Decomposition Temp.	No data	Flammability (Solid, Gas) No data	

SECTION 10 – STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

THERMAL STABILITY Stable under normal conditions of use.

HAZARDOUS-

DECOMPOSITION Upon decomposition this product may form carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, oxides of sulfur

and various hydrocarbons during heating or burning.

HAZARDOUS-

POLYMERIZATION Will not occur.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID Keep this product away from heat, sparks, ignition sources, and open flames in accordance

with applicable laws and regulations.

INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS This product will react with strong acids and alkalis, strong oxidizing agents, reducing agents,

and selected amines.

SECTION 11 – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ACUTE EFFECTS Repeated contact may cause skin irritation due to roughness of product. If dust enters eye,

may cause irritation resulting in tearing, stinging, redness or swelling. Inhalation of dust may cause scratchy throat and/or slight coughing. If ingested, it may cause temporary irritation to

the gastrointestinal (digestive) tract.

CHRONIC EFFECTS Redness, drying and cracking of the skin (dermatitis) may occur in the case of prolonged and

repeated contact.. Silicosis (Pulmonary Fibrosis or severe lung scarring) may occur if exposed

to high levels of repeated encounters with dust.

COMPONENT ANALYSIS

Asphalt

(CAS Number: 8052-42-4) Fumes from the heating of roofing asphalt have been determined to be potential occupational

carcinogen by the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH).

SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOTOXICITY No data available for this product

PERSISTENCE/

DEGRADABILITY No data available for this product

BIOACCUMULATION-

POTENTIAL No data available for this product

MOBILITY IN SOIL No data available for this product

OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS-

(GHG, OZONE) No data available for this product

SECTION 13 – DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

PRODUCT INFORMATION This product, as supplied, is not expected to be a hazardous waste when it is disposed of

according to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) under Resource Conservation

and Recovery Act (RCRA) regulations.

DISPOSAL INSTRUCTIONS Dispose of waste material in accordance with Federal, State, and Local environmental

regulations.

RCRA CLASS None

SECTION 14 – TRANSPORT INFORMATION

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Proper Shipping Name N/A
Hazard Class N/A
ID Number N/A
Packing Group N/A
Label Statement N/A
Other N/A

INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT REGULATIONS:

This product is not classified as dangerous goods according to international transport regulations.

UN Number N/A
UN Proper Shipping Name N/A
Packing Group N/A
Environmental Hazards N/A
Transport in Bulk N/A
Special Precautions N/A

SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS

These products are not considered articles per international product regulations and as such, these products do not require registration or notification on the various country-specific inventories.

U. S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS

TSCA This product contains some components that are listed on the TSCA 8(b) inventory

CERCLA None

SARA

Section 302 None of the product components are listed under this section

Section 311/312 Acute Health: Yes; Chronic Health: Yes

Section 313 None of the product components are listed under this section

STATE REGULATIONS Component Analysis – State: The following components appear on one or more of the

following state hazardous substances lists.

CHEMICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	CAS NUMBER	CA	MA	MN	NJ	PA	RI
Asphalt	Asphalt Flux	8052-42-4	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Note: TSCA Toxic Substances Control Act

CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liabilities Act SARA Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) Title III

Section 302 Extremely Dangerous Hazardous Substances
Section 311/312 Immediate health; Delayed health; Fire hazard

Section 313 Reportable Ingredients

SECTION 16 – OTHER INFORMATION

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Removal of California Prop 65 language in Section 15

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