

#### SAFETY DATA SHEET

in accordance with 1907/2006/EC (REACH, as amended by 453/2010/EC) 29 CFR 1910.1200 and WHMIS 2015

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# SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### 1.1. Product identifier

5100; 5101

### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Split carbon sleeve is used as a spacer in deep stuffing boxes. Contains no fillers or binders. Applicable for use to 2760°C (5000°F) in a non-oxidizing atmosphere.

# 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company:

Supplier:

A.W. CHESTERTON COMPANY

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Groveland, MA 01834-1507, USA

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(Mon. - Fri. 8:30 - 5:00 PM EST) SDS requests: www.chesterton.com

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# 1.4. Emergency telephone number

24 hours per day, 7 days per week Call Infotrac: 1-800-535-5053

Outside N. America: +1 352-323-3500 (collect)

# **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

# 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

# 2.1.1. Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP] / 29 CFR 1910.1200 / WHMIS 2015 / GHS

This product does not meet the criteria for classification in any hazard class according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, 29 CFR 1910.1200 and GHS.

### 2.1.2. Classification according to Directives 1999/45/EC and 1975/324/EEC

This product does not meet the criteria for classification in any danger category according to Directive 1999/45/EC on classification, packaging and labelling of dangerous preparations.

# 2.1.4. Classification according to WHMIS 1988

D2B: Toxic materials causing other effects

#### 2.1.5. Australian classification

Not classified as hazardous according to criteria of Safe Work Australia.

# 2.1.6. Additional information

For full text of R-phrases: see SECTIONS 2.2 and 16.

# 2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP] / 29 CFR 1910.1200 / WHMIS 2015 / GHS

Hazard pictograms:N/ASignal word:NoneHazard statements:NonePrecautionary statements:None

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Supplemental information: None

# 2.3. Other hazards

None expected in industrial use.

# SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Hazardous Ingredients<sup>1</sup> % Wt. CAS No./ REACH Classification Classification EC No. (67/548/EEC) (CLP/GHS) Reg. No. Graphite 99 7782-42-5 NA Not classified Not classified 231-955-3

Indications of danger acc. to 67/548/EEC: Not applicable

<sup>1</sup> Classified according to: \* 29 CFR 1910.1200, 1915, 1916, 1917, Mass. Right-to-Know Law (ch. 40, M.G.L..O. 111F), California Proposition 65

\* 1272/2008/EC, 67/548/EEC, 99/45/EC, REACH

\* WHMIS 2015

\* Safe Work Australia [NOHSC: 1008 (2004)]

# **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

# 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, administer artificial respiration. Contact physician.

**Skin contact:** Wash skin with soap and water. Contact physician if irritation persists.

**Eye contact:** Flush eyes for at least 15 minutes with large amounts of water. Contact physician if irritation persists.

**Ingestion:** not applicable

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Graphite dust may cause mechanical irritation to the skin, eyes and nasal passages. Repeated inhalation of nuisance dust in excess of exposure limits over an extended period of time may result in injury to the lungs. Symptoms can include cough, shortness of breath and decrease in pulmonary function.

### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptoms.

# **SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Carbon Dioxide, dry chemical, foam or water spray

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

None

# 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Recommend Firefighters wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Flammability Classification: not determined HAZCHEM Emergency Action Code: 2 Z

# **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

# 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Utilize exposure controls and personal protection as specified in Section 8.

#### 6.2. Environmental Precautions

No special precautions.

# 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

No special steps required. Nontoxic.

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#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

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Refer to section 13 for disposal advice.

# **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Accumulations of graphite may cause shorting of electrical circuits.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a cool, dry area. Exposure to heat, humidity, ozone or light may shorten its unlimited shelf life.

# 7.3. Specific end use(s)

No special precautions.

# **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

# 8.1. Control parameters

### Occupational exposure limit values

Ingredients	OSHA PEL <sup>1</sup>		ACGIH TLV <sup>2</sup>		UK WEL <sup>3</sup>		AUSTRALIA ES4	
	ppm	mg/m³	ppm	mg/m³	ppm	mg/m³	ppm	mg/m³
Graphite	15 mppcf	(resp)	(resp)	2	(resp) (inhal)	4 10	(resp)	3

- <sup>1</sup> United States Occupational Health & Safety Administration permissible exposure limits.
- <sup>2</sup> American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists threshold limit values.
- <sup>3</sup> EH40 Workplace exposure limits, Health & Safety Executive
- <sup>4</sup> Adopted National Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment [NOHSC:1003].

# 8.2. Exposure controls

# 8.2.1. Engineering measures

No special requirements.

# 8.2.2. Individual protection measures

**Respiratory protection:** Not normally needed. If exposure limit is exceeded, use approved dust respirator.

**Protective gloves:** Not normally needed.

**Eye and face protection:** Recommend safety glasses.

Other: None

# 8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

Refer to sections 6 and 12.

# **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

# 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	solid	Odour	not applicable
Colour	gray	Odour threshold	not determined
Initial boiling point	not applicable	Vapour pressure @ 20°C	not applicable
Melting point	not determined	% Aromatics by weight	not applicable
% Volatile (by volume)	0.5% (water)	pH	not applicable
Flash point	not applicable	Relative density	not applicable
Method	not applicable	Weight per volume	not applicable
Viscosity	not applicable	Coefficient (water/oil)	not applicable
Autoignition temperature	not determined	Vapour density (air=1)	not applicable
Decomposition temperature	not determined	Rate of evaporation (ether=1)	not applicable
Upper/lower flammability or	not applicable	Solubility in water	insoluble
explosive limits			

Flammability (solid, gas) not applicable Oxidising properties not applicable

**Explosive properties** not applicable

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#### 9.2. Other information

None

#### **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

# 10.1. Reactivity

Refer to sections 10.3 and 10.5.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under conditions of normal use.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None

# 10.5. Incompatible materials

Fluoride, aqua regia, oleum, fuming nitric acid, and Hydrochloric acid and Hydrofluoric acid when used as a positive electrode. Strong oxidizers like liquid Chlorine and concentrated Oxygen.

# 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon Monoxide, Carbon Dioxide and other toxic fumes.

# **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

**Primary route of exposure** Inhalation, skin and eye contact. Personnel with pre-existing chronic respiratory impairments may

**under normal use:** be aggravated by exposure.

**Acute effects:** Graphite dust may cause mechanical irritation to the skin, eyes and nasal passages.

**Chronic effects:** Repeated inhalation of nuisance dust in excess of exposure limits over an extended period of time may

result in injury to the lungs. Symptoms can include cough, shortness of breath and decrease in pulmonary

function.

Carcinogenicity: As per 29 CFR 1910.1200 (Hazard Communication), this product contains no carcinogens as listed by the

National Toxicology Program (NTP), the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC), the

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) or Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.

Aspiration hazard: Not applicable

Other information: None known

# **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Ecotoxicological data have not been determined specifically for this product. The information given below is based on a knowledge of the components and the ecotoxicology of similar substances.

#### 12.1. Toxicity

not determined

# 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Graphite: exists in nature.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

not determined

# 12.4. Mobility in soil

Solid. Insoluble in water. In determining environmental mobility, consider the product's physical and chemical properties (see Section 9).

#### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Not available

# 12.6. Other adverse effects

None known

# **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

# 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Unused product is not a regulated waste. Check local, state and national/federal regulations and comply with the most stringent requirement. This product is not classified as a hazardous waste according to 2008/98/EC.

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**European List of Wastes code:** 06 13 99

# **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

14.1. UN number

**NOT APPLICABLE** ADR/RID/ADN/IMDG/ICAO: **NOT APPLICABLE** TDG: US DOT: **NOT APPLICABLE** 

14.2. UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID/ADN/IMDG/ICAO: NON-HAZARDOUS, NON REGULATED NON-HAZARDOUS, NON REGULATED US DOT: NON-HAZARDOUS, NON REGULATED

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

**NOT APPLICABLE** ADR/RID/ADN/IMDG/ICAO: TDG: **NOT APPLICABLE** US DOT: **NOT APPLICABLE** 

14.4. Packing group

ADR/RID/ADN/IMDG/ICAO: **NOT APPLICABLE** TDG: **NOT APPLICABLE** US DOT: **NOT APPLICABLE** 

14.5. Environmental hazards

NOT APPLICABLE

14.6. Special precautions for user

NOT APPLICABLE

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

**NOT APPLICABLE** 

14.8. Other information

**NOT APPLICABLE** 

# **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

15.1.1. EU regulations

**Authorisations under Title** Not applicable

VII:

**Restrictions under Title** None

VIII:

Other EU regulations: None 15.1.2. National regulations

#### US EPA SARA TITLE III **Hazardous Materials Identification System (HMIS)**

HEAI TH 313 Chemicals: 4 = Severe Hazard 312 Hazards: 3 = Serious Hazard **Immediate** None F 2 = Moderate Hazard 1 = Slight Hazard Р 0 = Minimal Hazard Р

\* = See Section 8

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LAMMABILITY	0	
PHYSICAL HAZARD	1	
Personal Protection	*	

Other national None regulations:

# 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for this substance/mixture by the supplier.

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#### **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

Abbreviations ADN: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways

and acronyms: ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate BCF: Bioconcentration Factor

CLP: Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation (1272/2008/EC)

ES: Exposure Standard

GHS: Globally Harmonized System

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods

LC50: Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population

LD50: Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population

LOEL: Lowest Observed Effect Level

N/A: Not Applicable NA: Not Available

NOAEL: No Observed Adverse Effect Level

NOEL: No Observed Effect Level

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance (Q)SAR: Quantitative Structure-Activity Relationship

REACH: Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals Regulation (1907/2006/EC)

RID: Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail

SDS: Safety Data Sheet

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity

TDG: Transportation of Dangerous Goods (Canada) US DOT: United States Department of Transportation vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative substance

WEL: Workplace Exposure Limit

WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

Other abbreviations and acronyms can be looked up at www.wikipedia.org.

Key literature references Commission de la santé et de la sécurité du travail (CSST) and sources for data: European chemical Substances Information System (ESIS)

European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) - Information on Chemicals

Hazardous Substances Data Bank (HSDB) Hazardous Substances Information System (HSIS)

Swedish Chemicals Agency (KEMI)

Procedure used to derive the classification for mixtures according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008:

Classification	Classification procedure
Not applicable	Not applicable

Relevant H-statements: None
Relevant R-phrases: None
Hazard pictogram names: None

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Further information: None

This information is based solely on data provided by suppliers of the materials used, not on the mixture itself. No warranty is expressed or implied regarding the suitability of the product for the user's particular purpose. The user must make their own determination as to suitability.