

## **Section 1 - Product and Company Identification**

Material Name • 5720 Bridge-Dek

Chemical CategoryArticle - SolidProduct CodeAP-5720

Product Description • Asphalt Sheet Panel with Reinforcing Fabric

Product Use • Railroad Bridge Waterproofing Membrane Protection Panel

Synonyms • Asphalt Panel

Manufacturer • APOC

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**Emergency** • 800-424-9300 - CHEMTREC

Emergency • 703-527-3887 - CHEMTREC (Outside US)

#### Section 2 - Hazards Identification

# GHS HAZARDS AND PRECAUTIONS SIGNAL WORD: WARNING!

Do not burn using direct heat or flame. Inhalation of product dust may cause respiratory irritation. May cause eye or skin irritation with prolonged contact. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled. May be harmful in contact with skin. This product contains petroleum asphalt. Petroleum asphalt is not listed as a carcinogen by OSHA or NTP. The National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), has concluded that at higher temperatures roofing asphalt fumes are a potential occupational carcinogen. If this product is heated or burning, avoid breathing fumes. This product may contain small amounts of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH's) which are recognized carcinogens in humans and experimental animals. Mouse skin painting studies of roofing asphalt vapor concentrate have shown evidence of tumor formation associated with localized skin irritation in recent studies. Under normal specific use of this product at ambient temperature, asphalt vapors are not expected.

**Prevention** Do not burn using direct heat or flame. Wear gloves and protect exposed skin with clothing to prevent irritation.

Use caution when cutting product to prevent exposure to any airborne dust.

**Response** IF exposed or if you feel unwell: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.



Physical Form • Solid Sheet

Color • Black

Odor

Mild Hydrocarbon.

**Flash Point** 

• Not Applicable - Solid

OSHA(HCS2012)

 Based on Asphalt - Specific Target Organ Toxicity Single Exposure - Category 3: Respiratory Tract Irritation (burning product), Specific Target Organ Toxicity Repeated Exposure - Category

2, Skin Corrosion/Irritation

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Based on Asphalt - Specific Target Organ Toxicity Single Exposure - Category 3: Respiratory Tract Irritation (burning product), Specific Target Organ Toxicity Repeated Exposure - Category 2, Skin Corrosion/Irritation

#### **Potential Health Effects**

#### Inhalation

Acute (Immediate) • May cause irritation. May be harmful if inhaled.

Chronic (Delayed) • Repeated and prolonged exposure may be harmful.

#### Skin

Acute

• May be harmful if absorbed through the skin. May cause irritation.

(Immediate)

Chronic (Delayed)

 Repeated and prolonged exposure may cause dermatitis. May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

## Eye

Acute (Immediate) • This product contains fiberglass which may irritate the eye.

Chronic (Delayed) • Repeated and prolonged exposure to eye may cause irritation.

## Ingestion

Acute (Immediate) • May be harmful if swallowed.

Chronic (Delayed) • Repeated and prolonged exposure may be harmful.

#### Carcinogenic Effects • See Section 11 - Toxicological Information.

Carcinogenic Effects			
	CAS	IARC	NTP
Asphalt(high temp)	8052-42-4	Group 2B-Possible Carcinogen  Group 3-Not Classifiable	Under Consideration

See Section 12 for Ecological Information.

## Section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

Hazardous Components					
Chemical Name	Identifiers	%(weight)	LD50/LC50	Classifications According to Regulation/Directive	Comments
Asphalt	CAS:8052-42-4 UN:NA1999 EINECS:232-490- 9	90-100%	Ingestion/Oral-Rat LD50 >5000 mg/kg Inhalation-Rat LC50 >94.4 mg/m³	WHMIS: Other Toxic Effects - D2A UN GHS: Carc. 2; Eye Irrit. 2A; Skin Irrit. 2	
Glass Fibers	CAS: N/A	5-15%		UN GHS: Not Classified	

This product is an encapsulated mixture which reduces the likelihood of exposure to hazardous particulates. Airborne exposures to hazardous dusts or vapors may be generated by cutting this product.

See Section 11 for Toxicological Information.

#### Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Inhalation • Remove to fresh air. Call a physician or poison control center. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

Skin

• Wash the contaminated area of body with soap and fresh water.

Eye

• Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first five minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Get medical attention immediately.

Ingestion • Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce vomiting.

See Section 2 for Potential Health Effects.

## **Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures**

Extinguishing Media

LARGE FIRE: Water spray, fog or regular foam.

SMALL FIRES: Dry chemical or CO2.

Media

**Unsuitable Extinguishing** • Do not use direct stream of water.

Firefighting Procedures

 Keep unauthorized personnel away. Stay upwind. Fire fighters should wear complete protective clothing including self-contained breathing apparatus.

Unusual Fire and **Explosion Hazards**   Some of these materials may burn, but none ignite readily. May release irritating or toxic gases, fumes, or vapors.

**Hazardous Combustion Products** 

 Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, hydrocarbons. Sulfur Oxides, Nitrogen Oxides, Hydrogen Sulfide.

**Protection of Firefighters** • Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

Flash Point

NA

**Explosion Limits:** 

Upper NA NA Lower Autoignition Temperature • > 800°F

## Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

**Personal Precautions** 

 Take precaution when approaching burning materials. Toxic and Hazardous gases can be released.

**Emergency Procedures** 

Be aware of stacked product pallets becoming unstable if damaged.

Containment/Clean-up Measures

 Pick up large pieces of material. Secure damaged rolls on a pallet before attempting to move.

**Prohibited Materials** 

Avoid contact with strong oxidizing agents and acids.

# Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Handling

• Keep sheets tightly secured and wrapped on pallets when not in use. Use in areas with adequate ventilation to prevent dust exposure.

**Storage** 

• Keep away from sources of ignition - No Smoking. Do not directly heat or burn this product. Keep away from incompatible materials. KEEP OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN!

**Ignition Sources** 

**Incompatible Materials or** • Avoid contact with strong oxidizing agents and acids.

# Section 8 - Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

## Personal Protective Equipment

**Pictograms** 







Respiratory • Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or

symptoms are experienced.

Eye/Face

• Wear protective eyewear (goggles, face shield, or safety glasses).

Hands

- Wear protective gloves when handling this product. Gloves that protect the forearm are recommended.
- **Skin/Body** Wear clothing that covers the skin to prevent skin exposure

General Industrial Hygiene Considerations

• Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke during work. Wash hands before eating.

**Engineering Measures/Controls** • Adequate ventilation systems as needed to control concentrations of airborne dust and contaminants below applicable threshold limit values.

Exposure Limits/Guidelines					
	Result	ACGIH	Mexico	NIOSH	United States - California
Asphalt	TWAs	0.5 mg/m3 TWA (fume, inhalable fraction, as benzene soluble aerosol)	5 mg/m3 TWA LMPE-PPT		5 mg/m3 PEL (fume)
(8052-42-4)	Ceilings	Not established	Not established	5 mg/m3 Ceiling (fume, 15 min)	Not established

## **Exposure Control Notations**

ACGIH

Asphalt (8052-42-4): Carcinogens: (A4 - Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen (fume, coal tar-free))

## **Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties**

Material Description			
Physical Form	Solid Sheet	Appearance/Description	Panel Sheets
Color	Black	Odor	Mild Hydrocarbon.
General Properties			
Boiling Point	N/A	Melting Point	>200°F
Density	No data available	Bulk Density	No data available
Water Solubility	No data available	Solvent Solubility	No data available
Volatility			
Vapor Pressure	N/A	Vapor Density	N/A
Flammability		•	
Flash Point	N/A	UEL	N/A
LEL	N/A	Autoignition	> 800 °F

# Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Stability

Hazardous Polymerization Conditions to Avoid

**Incompatible Materials** 

- Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.
- Hazardous polymerization not indicated.
- Do not heat or burn this material with direct flame. Avoid contact with strong oxidizing agents and acids.

Strong oxidizers and acids.

# **Section 11 - Toxicological Information**

Component Name	CAS	Data
Asphalt (30% TO 60%)	8052-42-4	Acute Toxicity: orl-rat LD50:>5000 mg/kg; ihl-rat LC50:>94.4 mg/m3; ihl-hmn TDLo:10 mg/m3/5.5Y-I; Tumorigen/Carcinogen: skn-mus TDLo:905 gm/kg/2Y-I
Hydrogen sulfide (< 0.1%)	7783-06-4	Acute Toxicity: ihl-mus LC50:634 ppm/1H; Irritation: eye-hmn 0.000125 ppm/5H
Other Information – Asphalt	INlational Institute of Occupational Satety and Health (NIC)SH), has concluded that at higher temperatur	

	hydrocarbons (PAH's) which are recognized carcinogens in humans and experimental animals. Mouse skin painting studies of roofing asphalt vapor concentrate have shown evidence of tumor formation associated with localized skin irritation in recent studies. Inhalation studies of high airborne concentrations of asphalt/bitumen fumes in rats and mice produced bronchitis, pneumonitis, and lung changes such as fibrosis and cell damage.
Other Information – Glass Fibers	This product contains glass fibers manufactured with trace amounts of formaldehyde. Trace amounts of formaldehyde may be released when contacted with moisture, including humidity. This release is most prevalent in conditions of high heat and humidity. During cutting, milling or other processing of these products, particles may be generated that does not represent a health hazard if below the recommended exposure limits for particles not otherwise regulated (PNOR) (inhalable and respirable fraction). Temporary mechanical abrasion (itching) of skin, eyes and respiratory tract may occur upon exposure to particles during handling of this product and cannot occur unless there is direct contact. Abrasion effects should subside after cessation of exposure.

## **Section 12 - Ecological Information**

**Ecological Fate** 

No data available.

Persistence/Degradability • No data available.

Bioaccumulation Potential • No data available.

**Mobility in Soil** 

No data available.

## **Section 13 - Disposal Considerations**

Product • Dispose of content and/or container in accordance with local, regional, national, and/or international regulations.

## Section 14 - Transportation Information

**DOT** - United States - Department of Transportation - Not Regulated

TDG - Canada - Transport of Dangerous Goods - Not Regulated

IMO/IMDG -International Maritime Transport - Not Regulated as Hazardous Material

## **Section 15 - Regulatory Information**

SARA Hazard Classifications • Acute, Chronic

Risk & Safety Phrases

• California PROP 65: Asphalt and Asphalt Fumes may contain detectable amounts of chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive harm.

State Right To Know						
Component	CAS	MA	M	N	NJ	
Asphalt	8052-42-4	Yes	Yes		Yes	
Inventory						
Component	CAS	EU EINECS	TSCA		EU EINECS	
Asphalt	8052-42-4	Yes		Yes		

## Canada

## Labor

Canada - WHMIS - Classifications of Substances

Asphalt 8052-42-4 30% TO 60% Not Listed

## **United States**

#### Environment

U.S. - CERCLA/SARA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities

Asphalt 8052-42-4 30% TO 60% Not Listed

U.S. - CERCLA/SARA - Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances EPCRA RQs

Asphalt 8052-42-4 30% TO 60% Not Listed

## **United States - California**

#### Labor

U.S. - California - 8 CCR Section 339 - Director's List of Hazardous Substances

Asphalt 8052-42-4 30% TO 60% (Petroleum fumes, includes any liquids or products that could give rise to fumes under normal conditions)

## **Section 16 - Other Information**

## **Prepared By**

**Last Revision Date** 

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• GG Inc.

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