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**SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION**

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**PRODUCT NAME:** GAFGLAS® STRATAVENT® Perforated Venting Base Sheet,  
GAFGLAS® STRATAVENT® Nailable Venting Base Sheet

**MANUFACTURER:** GAF

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**INFORMATION ONLY:** 800-766-3411

**PREPARED BY:** Corporate EHS

**APPROVED BY:** Corporate EHS

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**SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

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As defined in the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200, the products listed below are considered articles and do not require an SDS. In addition, articles are not included in the scope of the Globally Harmonization System (GHS). As such, the GHS labeling elements are not included on this SDS. All components listed for this product are bound within the product. When handled as intended and under normal conditions of use, there is no evidence that any of the ingredients are released in amounts that pose a significant health risk. Although these products are not subject to the OSHA Standard or GHS labeling elements, GAF would like to disclose as much health and safety information as possible to ensure that this product is handled and used properly. This SDS contains valuable information critical to the safe handling and proper use of the product. This SDS should be retained and be made available for employees and other users of this product. In addition, the recommendations for handling and use of these products should be included in worker training programs.

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**PRIMARY ROUTE OF EXPOSURE:** Inhalation

**SIGNS & SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE**

**EYES:** Temporary irritation (itching) or redness may occur.

**SKIN:** Temporary irritation (itching) or redness may occur.

**INGESTION:** Not Applicable

**INHALATION:** May cause irritation to the respiratory tract.

**ACUTE HEALTH HAZARDS:** Not Applicable

**CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARDS:**

Studies in humans have found that exposure to respirable crystalline silica (quartz) can cause silicosis, a fibrosis (scarring) of the lungs. Silicosis is a serious and irreversible disease; it may be progressive even after exposure has ceased; it can lead to disability and death.

**CARCINOGENICITY:**

Crystalline Silica: The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) Group 1 - Known Human Carcinogen (listed under Crystalline silica inhaled in the form of quartz or cristobalite from occupational sources).

IARC has determined that occupational exposure to oxidized asphalt and its emissions is probably carcinogenic to humans (Group 2A).

**SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

CHEMICAL NAME	CAS #	% (BY WT)	OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS		
			OSHA	ACGIH	OTHER
Silica, Crystalline Quartz	14808-60-7	3 - 7	50 ug/m <sup>3</sup> / (% SiO <sub>2</sub> + 2) – resp.	0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	REL: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> – resp.
Asphalt	8052-42-4	10-30	NE	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (inhalable fraction, as benzene-soluble aerosol)	REL: 5mg/m <sup>3</sup> – Ceiling (15 min. fumes)
Non-Hazardous Ingredients	NA	70 - 95	NA	NA	NA

NE=Not Established

**SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES****FIRST AID PROCEDURES**

**EYES:** Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes while holding eyelids apart. Consult medical personnel.

**SKIN:** Wash exposed skin with soap and water. If irritation develops or persists, seek medical attention.

**INHALATION:** Move individual to area with fresh air and provide oxygen if breathing is difficult. Consult medical personnel.

**INGESTION:** Consult medical personnel.

**NOTES TO PHYSICIANS OR** Dust from the product may cause mechanical irritation of the eyes, skin,

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**FIRST AID PROVIDERS:** and upper respiratory tract. Treat symptomatically.

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**SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES**

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**SUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** CO2, Foam, Dry Chemical or Water

**HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS:** Not Applicable

**RECOMMENDED FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

**UNUSUAL FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS:** None

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**SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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**ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES:** Pick up pieces and dispose off properly. Vacuum dust. Use a dust suppressant if sweeping is necessary.

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**SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

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**HANDLING AND STORAGE:** Hot asphalt is used to install most of these products and is hazardous if contact is made with the eyes or skin.

**OTHER PRECAUTIONS:** When heated, small amounts of hydrogen sulfide may be given off. Hydrogen sulfide is a flammable, toxic gas. Avoid breathing fumes.

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<b>CONDITIONS TO AVOID (STABILITY):</b>	Not Applicable
<b>INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIAL TO AVOID):</b>	Not Applicable
<b>HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION OR BY-PRODUCTS:</b>	Thermal decomposition may release CO, CO <sub>2</sub> , carbon particulates, methane, ammonia, hydrogen cyanide and hydrogen sulfide.
<b>HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:</b>	Will not occur

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**SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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**TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:**

Crystalline silica is considered a hazard by inhalation. The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) has classified crystalline silica as a Group 1 substance, carcinogenic to humans. This classification is based on the findings of laboratory animal studies (inhalation and implantation) and epidemiology studies that were considered sufficient for carcinogenicity. Excessive exposure to crystalline silica can cause silicosis, a non-cancerous lung disease.

IARC has determined that occupational exposure to oxidized asphalt and its emissions is probably carcinogenic to humans (Group 2A).

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**SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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**ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION:** No information available

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**SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

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**WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:** Dispose of waste material according to Local, State, and Federal, environmental regulations.

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**SECTION 14: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**

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**DOT**

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IATA**

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IMDG**

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION****U.S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS**

**TSCA:** This product and its components are listed on the TSCA 8(b) inventory.

**CERCLA:** None

**SARA**

**311/312 HAZARD CATEGORIES:** None

**313 REPORTABLE INGREDIENTS:** None

**CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65:** This product contains silica, a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.

Other state regulations may apply. Check individual state requirements. The following components appear on one or more of the following state hazardous substances lists:

Chemical Name	CAS #	CA	MA	MN	NJ	PA	RI
Silica, Crystalline Quartz	14808-60-7	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Asphalt	8052-42-4	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

**SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

**ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:** N/A

**DATE OF PREVIOUS SDS:** September 2016

**CHANGES SINCE PREVIOUS SDS:** Update product name.

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