

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET (MSDS)

## 1. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Carbon Black

Company: ICI Specialty Carbon Black USA

MSDS No.: CB0031-0431-8

# 2. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredient	CAS#	% by Weight	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	Notes
Carbon	1333-86-4	1–5%	3.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	3.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Not classified
Black					as hazardous

IARC Classification: Group 2B (possible carcinogen).

# 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview: Black, fine pigment powder.

- Inhalation: Mild respiratory irritation possible.
- Eyes: May cause mechanical irritation.
- Skin: Possible dryness with repeated contact.
- Ingestion: Not expected under intended use.

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

- Inhalation: Move to fresh air.
- Eyes: Rinse thoroughly with water for 15 minutes.
- Skin: Wash with soap and water.
- Ingestion: Dilute with water and seek medical care if symptoms persist.

# 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

- Extinguishing Media: CO<sub>2</sub>, water spray, dry chemical.
- Special Hazards: None under normal conditions.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

• Avoid dust inhalation. Sweep gently into a sealed container. Use dust-rated vacuum equipment.

## 7. HANDLING & STORAGE

• Use adequate ventilation. Store in closed containers away from oxidizers.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS & PERSONAL PROTECTION

- Eyes: Safety glasses if dust is present.
- Skin: Wash after handling.
- Respiratory: NIOSH dust mask if airborne levels may exceed limits.

# 9. PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

• Appearance: Odorless black powder.

• pH: 5.5 – 6.5

• Boiling Point: 3500 °C

• Density: 1.71 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

# 10. STABILITY & REACTIVITY

• Stable under normal use. No hazardous reactions expected.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Carbon black classified as IARC Group 2B. Low acute toxicity.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

• Avoid release to waterways. Not expected to be environmentally persistent.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

• Dispose in accordance with local regulations.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

• Not regulated as hazardous for transport (DOT, IATA, IMDG, ADR).

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

• SARA 311/312: Acute, Chronic, Fire hazards.

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

- NFPA: Health 1 | Flammability 1 | Reactivity 0.
- Information provided without warranty.



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