# **SAFETY DATA SHEET** spectrum



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# 1. Identification

**Product identifier** 

GRAPHITE, POWDER **Product Name** 

Other means of identification

**Product Code(s)** G1042

**Synonyms** None

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

No information available Recommended use

Restrictions on use No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Address

Spectrum Chemical Mfg. Corp. 14422 South San Pedro St. Gardena, CA 90248 (310) 516-8000

Emergency telephone number

**Emergency Telephone** Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

#### Classification

Carcinogenicity	Category 1A
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	Category 1
Combustible dust	Yes

# Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

## Label elements

# Danger

#### Hazard statements

May cause cancer

Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

May form combustible dust concentrations in air



Appearance Powder Physical state Solid Odor Odorless

# **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

#### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up.

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Other information

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### Substance

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%	Trade secret
Graphite	7782-42-5	100	*

<sup>\*</sup>The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

# 4. First-aid measures

#### Description of first aid measures

General advice IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Show this safety data sheet to the

doctor in attendance.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air.

**Eye contact** Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids.

Consult a physician.

**Skin contact** Wash skin with soap and water.

**Ingestion** Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians

Treat symptomatically.

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the

surrounding environment.

Large Fire CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

Avoid generation of dust. Fine dust dispersed in air may ignite.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact none.

Sensitivity to static discharge yes.

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout

gear. Use personal protection equipment.

# 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid generation of dust. Avoid contact with eyes. Use

personal protective equipment as required. Do not breathe dust. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). Take precautionary

measures against static discharges. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent dust cloud.

Methods for cleaning up

Take up with inert, damp, non-combustible material using clean non-sparking tools and

place into loosely covered plastic containers for later disposal. Pick up and transfer to

properly labeled containers.

# 7. Handling and storage

#### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Ensure adequate

ventilation. Avoid generation of dust. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with eyes. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Take precautionary measures

against static discharges. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store locked up.

Keep out of the reach of children.

# 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### Control parameters

## **Exposure Limits**

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Graphite	No data available	15 mg/m³ TWA	-
7782-42-5	7782-42-5		
		15mppcfTWAnatural	

#### **Appropriate engineering controls**

Engineering controls Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Hand protection** Wear suitable gloves.

**Skin and body protection** Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are

exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

None known

None known

General hygiene considerations Do not breathe dust. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands

before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical stateSolidAppearancePowderColorGray; blackOdorOdorless

Odor threshold No information available

Remarks • Method Property Values no data available Hq None known None known no data available Melting point / freezing point no data available None known Boiling point / boiling range Flash point no data available None known **Evaporation rate** no data available None known

Flammability (solid, gas) no data available
Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Lower flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Vapor pressureNo data availableNone knownVapor densityno data availableNone known

Relative density2.25None knownWater solubilityNo data availableNone known

Solubility(ies)no data availableNone knownPartition coefficientNo data availableNone knownAutoignition temperatureno data availableNone knownDecomposition temperatureNone known

Kinematic viscosityno data availableNone knownDynamic viscosityNo data availableNone known

Other information

Explosive properties

Oxidizing properties

No information available

No information available

No information available

No information available

12.01 g/mol (Atomic weight)

VOC Content (%)

No information available

Liquid Density

No information available

No information available

# 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity** No information available.

Chemical stability Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing.

**Conditions to avoid** Excessive heat. Heating in air. dust formation.

**Incompatible materials**None known based on information supplied.

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

# 11. Toxicological information

## Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

**Inhalation** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of

respiratory tract.

**Eye contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

**Skin contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

**Ingestion** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

## Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

**Symptoms** No information available.

**Acute toxicity** 

**Numerical measures of toxicity** 

Chemical name	Chemical name Oral LD50		Inhalation LC50	
Graphite	-	-	> 2000 mg/m³ (Rat) 4 h	
7782-42-5				

## Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation
Serious eye damage/eye irritation
Respiratory or skin sensitization
Germ cell mutagenicity

No information available.
No information available.
No information available.

Reproductive toxicity No information available.

**STOT - single exposure** No information available.

STOT - repeated exposure Target organ effects Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

respiratory system, Central Vascular System (CVS).

Aspiration hazard

No information available.

Other adverse effects

No information available.

Interactive effects

No information available.

# 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Graphite	-	LC50: >100mg/L (96h,	-	-
7782-42-5		Danio rerio)		

Persistence and degradability

**Bioaccumulation** 

No information available. Inherently biodegradable.

Other adverse effects

No information available.

# 13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with

environmental legislation.

Contaminated packaging

Do not reuse empty containers.

# 14. Transport information

**DOT** not regulated

TDG not regulated

MEX not regulated

ICAO (air) not regulated

**IATA** not regulated

**IMDG** not regulated

RID not regulated

ADR not regulated

**ADN** not regulated

# 15. Regulatory information

## **International Inventories**

TSCA Complies

DSL/NDSL Complies EINECS/ELINCS Complies

ENCS This product complies with ENCS: IECSC This product complies with China:

KECL Complies PICCS Complies

AICS All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical

Substances (AICS).

#### Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

#### **US Federal Regulations**

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

## SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

### **CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

#### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

### **US State Regulations**

### **California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

## **U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

This product does not contain any substances regulated under applicable state right-to-know regulations

## U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

## 16. Other information

# NFPA

Health hazards 0 Flammability 1 Instability 0 Physical and chemical properties -

HMIS

Health hazards 1\*
Flammability 0
Physical hazards 0
Personal protection X

Chronic Hazard Star Legend \*= Chronic Health Hazard

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value

Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

World Health Organization

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