

Rubbersolutions Asia-Pacific Ltd

SAFETY DATA SHEET

Ambient ground rubber crumb

1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Ambient ground rubber crumb derived mainly from recycled truck tyre rubber.

Other Names: N/A

Chemical Family: Recycled tyre rubber

Molecular formula: N/A

Recommended Use: Various Industrial Processes. Typical uses include roading (meets standards for

use by various road authorities in Australia) adhesives, sealants and general rubber products

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Product is classified non Hazardous

HSNO Classifications: none **Signal word:** n/a

Risk Phrases:

HH20 May cause an allergic skin reaction HH32 May cause irritation of the respiratory tract HH19 May cause eye irritation

Safety Phrases:

PP60 Do not breathe dust/fumes PP89 Use personal protective equipment as required PR21 If eye irritation persists, get medical advice/attention

Dangerous Goods Classification: n/a

Poisons Schedule n/a

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3. COMPOSITION: Information on Ingredients

Exact composition varies according to the tyre treads being recycled.

Chemical Ingredient	CAS No.	Proportion (%w/v)
Polymer	Generic Types	45 approx
Carbon Black	Generic Types	40 approx
Organic Materials	Generic Types	15 approx

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

For advice, contact a doctor.

Ingestion:

If swallowed in large quantities do not induce vomiting. Immediately rinse mouth with water. If victim is rapid losing consciousness, or convulsing do not give anything by mouth. As the effect of ingestion of rubber has not been determined, only obtain medical assistance if large quantities have been ingested.

Eye Contact:

Do not rub eye, this may cause particles to scratch the eye. Hold eyelids apart & flush the eye. Take care not to flush rubber into the unaffected eye. Neutral saline can be used if available. Seek medical help if irritation persists.

Skin Contact:

Wash thoroughly with soap and water, and apply a lanolin based hand cream if needed.

Inhalation:

Remove from contaminated area to fresh air immediately. Assist breathing if necessary. Consult a physician if irritation develops.

If ignited, this product will release toxic and irritating smoke. Smoke may contain noxious compounds, and acrid compounds of sulphur.

First Aid facilities:

Normal facilities will be sufficient.

Medical Attention:

Treat according to symptoms.

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5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media:

Dry chemical, foam, CO₂, water spray. Do not use high pressure water, as that will spread the crumb.

Hazards from combustion products:

Oxides of Carbon and Nitrogen. Other unidentified hydrocarbons.

Precautions for fire fighters and special protective equipment:

Full protective clothing, self-contained breathing apparatus.

Hazchem Code:

n/a

Note, fight fire with similar procedures as used for burning tyres.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Emergency Procedures

Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal. Avoid raising dust. Observe all local chemical disposal regulations. Refer to local waste management authority for very large spills.

Methods and materials for containment

Major Land Spill

Refer to local waste management authority for very large spills

Major Water Spill

-Notify the port or relevant authority; however product is not expected to cause problems

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions tor safe handling

This product is combustible. Transport in bags, and keep away from heat and strong oxidising agents

Conditions for safe storage

Keep away from heat and strong oxidising agents.

Incompatible materials

N/a

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8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS: PERSONAL PROTECTION

National Exposure Standards

No occupational exposure standards are recommended by the National Occupational Health and Safety Commission (NOHSC) or other major overseas jurisdiction.

Biological limit values

None specified

Engineering Controls: Ventilation

Under normal operating conditions use in a well-ventilated area.

Avoid generating atmospheres of rubber dust. Keep the product in bags when not in use, and store in a cool dry location. Local exhaust ventilation is recommended when using in areas with poor natural ventilation.

Personal Protective Equipment

Respiratory Protection:

If used in an area with poor ventilation, wear a dust mask.

Eye Protection:

Safety glasses with side shields should be worn when handling.

Skin/Body Protection:

Wear gloves for routine industrial use.

Wear clothing suitable for the task.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Property	Unit of measurement	Typical value	
Appearance		Black rubber crumb	
		granules	
Boiling Point	°C	Not available	
Flash Point	°C	>250	
Specific Gravity@ 20°C	g/ml	1.15	
Vapour Pressure @ 20 °C	kPa	Not available	
Flammability Limits (v/v%)	%	Not available	
Solubility with Water	%w/w	insoluble	

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The values listed are indicative of this product's physical and chemical properties. For a full product specification, please consult the Product Data Sheet.

10. STABILITYAND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability

Combustible

Conditions to avoid

Keep away from heat and strong oxidising agents

Hazardous decomposition products

Oxides of Carbon and Nitrogen. Other unidentified hydrocarbons.

Hazardous reactions

n/a

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Effects

Ingestion

May cause health effects in large amounts.

Eye Contact

May cause irritation to the eyes but will not permanently damage eye tissue unless through physical trauma.

Skin Contact

Unlikely to cause Irritation

Inhalation

May cause irritation to respiratory tract.

Chronic Effects

None known

Other Health Effects Information

n/a

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Toxicological Information

n/a

12.ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Eco toxicity

Aquatic Toxicity

No adverse effects on aquatic organisms.

Persistence/degradability

Available from Rubber Solutions on request.

Mobility

Not Available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Methods

Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal. Avoid raising dust. Observe all local chemical disposal regulations. Refer to local waste management authority for very large spills.

Special Precautions for Landfill or Incineration

Suitable for landfill.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Road and Rail Transport		Marine Transport		Air Transport	
UN No.	n/a	UN No	n/a	UN No	n/a
Proper	Rubber	Proper	Rubber	Proper	Rubber
Shipping	Crumb	Shipping	Crumb	Shipping	Crumb
Name		Name		Name	
DG Class	n/a	DG Class	n/a	DG Class	n/a
Sub Risk	None	Sub Risk	None	Sub Risk	None
Pack	n/a	Pack	n/a	Pack	n/a
Group		Group		Group	
Hazchem	n/a	Hazchem	n/a		n/a

Dangerous Goods Segregation

Not classed as dangerous goods.

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Country/Region: New Zealand

Inventory: NZCIC Status: Not Listed

Poisons Schedule: None established

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Reasons for issue: Update to include extra information.

Abbreviations:

NZCIC. NZ Chemical Industry Council CAS Number: Chemical Abstracts Number

References:

None

The information sourced for the preparation of this document was correct and complete at the time of writing to the best of the writer's knowledge. The document represents the commitment to the company's responsibilities surrounding the supply of this product, undertaken in good faith. This document should be taken as a safety guide for the product and its recommended uses, but is in no way an absolute authority. Please consult the relevant legislation and regulations governing the use and storage of this type of product. For further information, please contact Rubber Solutions Asia-Pacific Ltd.

Link to: Rubber Solutions web page

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