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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name

TIMREX Natural Graphite

Substance name Graphite (> 93 %)

Identification numbers

CAS no. 7782-42-5 EC no. 231-955-3

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture

Electrical and thermal conductive additive

Friction modifier Carbon carrier Lubricant Refractories

Uses advised against

No data available.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

For Hazardous Materials [or Dangerous Goods] Incident

Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident

Call CHEMTREC Day or Night

International Number: +1 703-741-5970 (collect calls accepted)

Local number: +(44)-870-8200418

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification information

This product does not meet the classification and labelling criteria given in the Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP).

2.2 Label elements

Not relevant

2.3 Other hazards

Hazard statement: Natural graphite contains crystalline silica, variety quartz. This substance is not admixed with graphite, but is a naturally occurring mineral impurity that is intimately associated with the graphite. In most cases this silica is not in respirable form unless the graphite is very finely divided. IARC Monograph Vol. 68, 1997 concludes that there is sufficient evidence that inhaled crystalline silica causes cancer in human. IARC classification: group 1

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances



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Chemical characterization

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Formula C1 Molecular weight 12.01

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3.2 Mixtures

Not applicable. The product is not a mixture.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General information

In case of persisting adverse effects, consult a physician. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes immediately, and launder thoroughly before reusing.

After inhalation

Remove affected person from the immediate area. Ensure supply of fresh air.

After skin contact

Wash off immediately with soap and water.

After eye contact

Remove contact lenses. Rinse eye thoroughly under running water keeping eyelids wide open and protecting the unaffected eye (at least 10 to 15 minutes).

After ingestion

Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Seek medical advice immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No data available.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Graphite is difficult to combust. Extinguishing measures to suit surroundings.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

No data available.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

In the event of fire, the following can be released: Carbon monoxide (CO); Carbon dioxide (CO2)

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Use self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel

Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. High risk of slipping due to leakage/spillage of product.

For emergency responders

No data available. Personal protective equipment (PPE) - see Section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into the drains/surface waters/groundwater.



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6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Take up mechanically. When collected, handle material as described under the section heading "Disposal considerations".

6.4 Reference to other sections

No data available.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

Provide good ventilation at the work area (local exhaust ventilation, if necessary). If workplace exposure limits are exceeded, respiratory protection approved for this particular job must be worn.

General protective and hygiene measures

Do not eat, drink or smoke during work time. Keep away from foodstuffs and beverages. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Remove soiled or soaked clothing immediately. Wash hands before breaks and after work. Do not inhale dust. Provide eye wash fountain in work area.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Dust can form an explosive mixture with air. Take precautionary measures against static charges. Keep away from sources of heat and ignition.

Dust explosion class

ST1 (slightly dust explosive)

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures and storage conditions

Keep container tightly closed and dry. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated place.

Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Containers which are opened must be carefully closed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Always keep in containers of same material as the original.

Incompatible products

None known

7.3 Specific end use(s)

No data available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Occupational exposure limit values

No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.		
1	Dust				
	List of approved workplace exposure limits (WELs) / EH40				
	Dust respirable				
	WEL long-term (8-hr TWA reference period)	4 r	mg/m³		
	Comments	see Definition	44 "Dust"		
	List of approved workplace exposure limits (WELs) / EH40				
	Dust inhalable				
	WEL long-term (8-hr TWA reference period)	10 r	mg/m³		
	Comments	see Definition	44 "Dust"		

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

No data available.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection

If workplace exposure limits are exceeded, a respiration protection approved for this particular job must be worn. In



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case of aerosol and mist formation, take appropriate measures for breathing protection in the event workplace threshold values are not specified. Dust mask

Respirator FFP2SL (EN 149)

Eye / face protection

Safety glasses with side protection shield (EN 166)

Hand protection

Sufficient protection is given wearing suitable protective gloves checked according to i.e. EN 374, in the event of risk of skin contact with the product. Before use, the protective gloves should be tested in any case for its specific workstation suitability (i.e. mechanical resistance, product compatibility and antistatic properties). Adhere to the manufacturer's instructions and information relating to the use, storage, care and replacement of protective gloves. Protective gloves shall be replaced immediately when physically damaged or worn. Design operations thus to avoid permanent use of protective gloves.

Appropriate Material rubber

Other

Normal chemical work clothing.

Environmental exposure controls

No data available.

Explosive properties

Flammability (solid, gas)

Not relevant

Not relevant

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form/Colour				
Powder				
grey to black				
Odour				
odourless				
Odour threshold				
Not relevant				
pH value				
No data available				
Boiling point / boiling range				
No data available				
Melting point / melting range				
Value	appr.	3500	°C	
Decomposition point / decomposition	on range			
No data available				
Flash point				
Not applicable				
Ignition temperature				
Value	>	600	°C	
Reference substance	dispersed dust			
Value	>	365	°C	
Reference substance deposited dust				
Auto-ignition temperature				
No data available				
Oxidising properties				
Not relevant				



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Lower flammability or explosive limits					
No data available					
Upper flammability or explosive limits					
No data available					
Vapour pressure					
Value	<			0.01	mbar
Reference temperature				20	°C
Vapour density					
Not relevant					
Not relevant					
Evaporation rate					
Not relevant					
TOUTON					
Relative density					
No data available					
Density					
Value		2.1	_	2.3	g/cm³
Reference temperature		2.1		25	°C
Telefelice telliperature				23	0
Bulk density					
Value		70	-	720	kg/m³
Calubility in water					
Solubility in water				0.004	
Value	<			0.001	g/l

Solubility(ies)

No data available

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

No data available

Viscosity

Not relevant

9.2 Other information

Other information

Flammability BZ1: not burning (100 °C), source of ignition: glowing platinium wire, 1000 °C approx.

Impact sensitivity: not impact sensitive

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

No data available.

10.2 Chemical stability

No data available.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Fluorine; Chlorine trifluoride

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

No hazardous decomposition products known.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects



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Acute oral toxicity					
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1	Graphite	778	32-42-5	231-955-3	
LD5	0	>	2000	mg/kg bodyweight	
Species		rat			

Acute dermal toxicity

No data available

Acute inhalational toxicity

No data available

Skir	Skin corrosion/irritation						
No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.				
1	Graphite	7782-42-5	231-955-3				
Duration of exposure			4				
Species		rabbit					
Method		OECD 404					
Evaluation		non-irritant					

Seri	Serious eye damage/irritation						
No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.				
1	Graphite	7782-42-5	231-955-3				
Species		rabbit					
Method		OECD 405					
Evaluation		low-irritant					

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

Reproduction toxicity

No data available

Carcinogenicity

No data available

STOT - single exposure

No data available

STOT - repeated exposure

No data available

Aspiration hazard

Not relevant

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

Contact with the skin and eyes may cause mechanical irritation. Inhalation of dusts may irritate the respiratory tract.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish (acute)

No data available

Toxicity to fish (chronic)

No data available

Toxicity to Daphnia (acute)

No data available

Toxicity to Daphnia (chronic)

No data available



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Toxicity to algae (acute)

No data available

Toxicity to algae (chronic)

No data available

Bacteria toxicity

No data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available.

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available.

12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available.

12.7 Other information

Other information

Do not discharge product unmonitored into the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product

Disposal of the product should be carried out in accordance with all applicable regulations following consultation with the responsible local authority and the disposal company in an authorised and suitable disposal facility. Allocation of a waste code number, according to the European Waste Catalogue, should be carried out in agreement with the regional waste disposal company.

Packaging

Residuals must be removed from packaging and when emptied completely disposed of in accordance with the regulations for waste removal. Incompletely emptied packaging must be disposed of in the form of disposal specified by the regional disposer.

SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1 Transport ADR/RID/ADN

The product is not subject to ADR/RID/ADN regulations.

14.2 Transport IMDG

The product is not subject to IMDG regulations.

14.3 Transport ICAO-TI / IATA

The product is not subject to ICAO-TI / IATA regulations.

14.4 Other information

No data available.

14.5 Environmental hazards

Information on environmental hazards, if relevant, please see 14.1 - 14.3.

14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available.

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not relevant

SECTION 15: Regulatory information



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15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture EU regulations

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) Annex XIV (List of substances subject to authorisation)

In accordance with the Reach regulation (EC) 1907/2006, the product does not contain any substances that are considered as subject to listing in annex XIV, inventory of substances requiring authorisation.

REACH candidate list of substances of very high concern (SVHC) for authorisation

In accordance with article 57 and article 59 of the Reach regulation (EC) 1907/2006, this substance is not considered as subject to listing in annex XIV, inventory of substances requiring authorisation ("Authorization list").

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) Annex XVII: RESTRICTIONS ON THE MANUFACTURE, PLACING ON THE MARKET AND USE OF CERTAIN DANGEROUS SUBSTANCES, PREPARATIONS AND ARTICLES

The substance is not subject to the provisions of annex XVII (restriction entries) of the Reach regulation (EC) 1907/2006.

Directive 2012/18/EU on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances

This substance is not subject to Part 1 or 2 of Annex I

National regulations

National chemical inventories

EINECS/ELINCS (European listed

Community)

USA (TSCA) listed
DSL/NDSL (Canada) DSL listed
ENCS (Japan) listed
ECL (Korea) listed

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AICS (Australia) listed IECSC / NEPA (China) listed PICCS (Philippines) listed

NZIoC (New Zealand) New Zealand: not subject to the provisions of the HSNO Act.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

No data available.

SECTION 16: Other information

Sources of key data used to compile the data sheet:

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), 1272/2008 (CLP) as amended in each case.

EC Directives 2000/39/EC, 2006/15/EC, 2009/161/EU

National Threshold Limit Values of the corresponding countries as amended in each case.

Transport regulations according to ADR, RID, IMDG, IATA as amended in each case.

The data sources used to determine physical, toxic and ecotoxic data, are indicated directly in the corresponding chapter.

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