# LAMBERT SOUTHWEST Concrete and Masonry Specialties

# SAFETY DATA SHEET Jet Black

## 1. Identification

**Product identifier** 

Product name Jet Black
Product number 219-0046

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Application Industrial color

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier** Lambert Southwest a division of GW Holladay Interests, Inc.

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## 2. Hazard(s) identification

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

Physical hazards Not Classified
Health hazards Not Classified
Environmental hazards Not Classified

**Human health** May be slightly irritating to eyes.

**Environmental** The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment.

Label elements

Hazard statements NC Not Classified

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

## **Mixtures**

CARBON BLACK > 70%

CAS number: 1333-86-4 REACH registration number: Proprietary

Classification
Not Classified

Dispersant < 5%

CAS number: 9084-06-4 REACH registration number: Proprietary

Classification

Skin Irrit. 2 - H315 Eye Irrit. 2 - H319

The Full Text for all Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

Composition comments Carbon Black

#### 4. First-aid measures

#### Description of first aid measures

**Inhalation** Move affected person to fresh air at once. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Give plenty of water to drink.

Keep affected person under observation. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues. Show this Safety Data Sheet to the medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person.

Skin Contact Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists after

washing.

Eye contact Rinse with water. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

## Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Inhalation** Frequent inhalation of dust over a long period of time increases the risk of developing lung

diseases.

**Ingestion** Due to the physical nature of this material it is unlikely that swallowing will occur.

**Skin contact** Prolonged contact may cause redness, irritation and dry skin.

**Eye contact** May cause temporary eye irritation.

## Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes for the doctor Treat symptomatically.

#### 5.Fire-fighting measures

## Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Extinguish with the following media: Water spray, fog or mist. Foam. Dry chemicals, sand,

dolomite etc. Carbon dioxide (CO2).

#### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards Fire or high temperatures create: Carbon dioxide (CO2). Carbon monoxide (CO). Sulfurous

gases (SOx). It may not be obvious that carbon black is burning unless the material is stirred and sparks are apparent. Carbon black that has been on fire should be observed closely for at least 48 hours to ensure no smouldering material is present. Burning produces irritant fumes. The product is insoluble and floats on water. If possible, try to contain floating material. This material creates a fire hazard because it floats on water. May ignite other combustible

materials.

## Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during firefighting

No specific firefighting precautions known.

Special protective equipment Wear self-contained breathing apparatus if this product is involved in a fire.

for firefighters

## 6. Accidental release measures

#### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

In case of spills, beware of slippery floors and surfaces. Wear protective clothing as described Personal precautions

in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

**Environmental precautions** 

**Environmental precautions** Avoid washing into water courses. Avoid contaminating public drains or water supply. This

material creates a fire hazard because it floats on water. If possible, try to contain floating

material.

## Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Wet carbon black produces dangerously slippery walking surfaces. Small spills should be

> vacuumed when possible. Dry sweeping is not recommended. A vacuum equipped with HEPA (high efficiency particulate air) filtration is recommended. If necessary, light water spray will reduce dust for dry sweeping. Large spills may be shoveled into containers. (See Section 13)

Reference to other sections For personal protection, see Section 8.

#### 7. Handling and storage

## Precautions for safe handling

Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Avoid handling which leads to dust formation. Usage precautions

Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Store in tightly-closed, original container in a

dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

Storage class Unspecified storage.

Specific end uses(s)

Specific end use(s) The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

#### 8. Exposure Controls/personal protection

## **Control parameters**

#### Occupational exposure limits

## **CARBON BLACK**

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): ACGIH 3 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Short-term exposure limit (15-minute): ACGIH

ACGIH = American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists.

Unless otherwise indicated as "respirable" or "inhalable", the exposure limit represents a Ingredient comments

"total" value. The

Inhalable exposure limit has been demonstrated to be more restrictive than the total exposure

limit, by a factor of approximately 3

#### **Exposure controls**

#### Protective equipment







Appropriate engineering controls

Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. An eye wash station and safety shower should be readily available where this material is used or handled.

Eye/face protection

Eyewear complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates eye contact is possible. The following protection should be worn: Chemical splash goggles.

Hand protection

Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates skin contact is possible.

Other skin and body protection

Use engineering controls to reduce air contamination to permissible exposure level. Wear

appropriate clothing to prevent any possibility of skin contact.

Hygiene measures

Use engineering controls to reduce air contamination to permissible exposure level. No specific hygiene procedures recommended but good personal hygiene practices should always be observed when working with chemical products. Change work clothing daily before leaving workplace.

Respiratory protection

An approved air-purifying respirator (APR) may be used where airborne concentrations are expected to exceed occupational exposure limits. Protection provided by APRs is limited. Use a positive-pressure, air supplied respirator if there is any potential for uncontrolled release, exposure levels are not known, or any circumstances where air-purifying respirators may not provide adequate protection. A complete respiratory protection program in accordance with national standards and current best practices must accompany use of any respirator.

#### 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Dusty powder.

Color Black.

Odorless.

**pH** pH (diluted solution): 7 50g/L@68F

Initial boiling point and range Not relevant.

Relative density 1.7 - 1.9 @ °C

Solubility(ies) Insoluble in water.

Other information No information required.

Volatile organic compound This product contains a maximum VOC content of None.

## 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity**There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product.

**Stability** No particular stability concerns.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

Not relevant.

Conditions to avoid Avoid contact with the following materials: Strong oxidising agents.

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Materials to avoid Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products

Depending on the amount of carbon black present, ignition in air may occur above 315°C.

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide are emitted. Sulfurous gases (SOx).

## 11. Toxicological information

## Information on toxicological effects

Toxicological effects From literature surveys undertaken on carbon black: LD50 (oral): >8000 mg/kg (Rat) Eyes

(24hr): Non-irritating (Rabbit) Skin (24 hr): Non-irritating (Rabbit)

Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity - in vitro Carbon black is not suitable to be tested in bacterial (Ames test) and other in vitro systems

because of its insolubility. When tested, however, results for carbon black showed no mutagenic effects. Organic solvent extracts of carbon black can, however, contain traces of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs). A study to examine the bioavailability of these PAHs showed that PAHs are very tightly bound to carbon black and not bioavailable.

**Genotoxicity - in vivo** In an experimental investigation, mutational changes in the hprt gene were reported in

alveolar epithelial cells in the rat following inhalation exposure to carbon black. This observation is believed to be rat specific and a consequence of "lung overload" which led to chronic inflammation and release of oxygen species. (see Chronic toxicity above). This is considered to be a secondary genotoxic effect and, thus, carbon black itself would not be

considered to be mutagenic.

#### Carcinogenicity

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Tumor development in Rats caused by lung overload, no epidemiological evidence for lung tumors in Humans.

Lung tumors in rats are the result of exposure under "lung overload" conditions. The development of lung tumors in rats is specific to this species. Mouse and hamster do not develop lung tumors under similar test conditions. The CLP guidance on classification and labeling states, that "lung overload" in animals is listed under mechanism not relevant to humans.

IARC listed: Group 2B (possibly carcinogenic to humans). Not listed as a human carcinogen by NTP, ACGIH, OSHA, or the European Union. ACGIH listed as A3 Confirmed animal carcinogen with unknown relevance to humans: The agent is carcinogenic in experimental animals at a relatively high dose, by route(s) of administration, at site(s), of histological type(s), or by mechanism(s) that may not be relevant to worker exposure. Available epidemiologic studies do not confirm an increased risk of cancer in exposed humans. Available evidence does not suggest that the agent is likely to cause cancer in humans except under uncommon or unlikely routes or levels of exposure. Epidemiology Results of epidemiological studies of carbon black production workers suggest that cumulative exposure to carbon black may result in small decrements in lung function. A recent U.S. respiratory morbidity study suggested a 27 ml decline in FEV1 from a 1 mg/m3 (inhalable fraction) exposure over a 40-year period. An older European investigation suggested that exposure to 1 mg/m3 (inhalable fraction) of carbon black over a 40-year working lifetime would result in a 48 ml decline in FEV1. However, the estimates from both studies were only of borderline statistical significance. Normal age-related decline over a similar period of time would be approximately 1200 ml.

The relationship between other respiratory symptoms and exposure to carbon black is even less clear. In the U.S. study, 9% of the highest exposure group (in contrast to 5% of the unexposed group) reported symptoms consistent with chronic bronchitis. In the European study, methodological limitations in the administration of the questionnaire limit the conclusions that can be drawn about reported symptoms. This study, however, indicated a link between carbon black and small opacities on chest films, with negligible effects on lung function.

A study on carbon black production workers in the UK (Sorahan et al 2001) found an increased risk of lung cancer in two of the five plants studied; however, the increase was not related to the dose of carbon black. Thus, the authors did not consider the increased risk in lung cancer to be due to carbon black exposure. A German study of carbon black workers at one plant (Wellmann et al. 2006, Morfeld et al. 2006(a), Buechte et al. 2006, Morfeld et al. 2006(b)) found a similar increase in lung cancer risk but, like the 2001 UK study, found no association with carbon black exposure. In contrast, a large US study (Dell et al. 2006) of 18 plants showed a reduction in lung cancer risk in carbon black production workers. Based upon these studies, the February 2006 Working Group at IARC concluded that the human evidence for carcinogenicity was inadequate (Baan et al. 2006).

Since this IARC evaluation of carbon black, Sorahan and Harrington (2007) re-analyzed the UK study data using an alternative exposure hypothesis and found a positive association with carbon black exposure in two of the five plants. The same exposure hypothesis was applied by Morfeld and McCunney (2007) to the German cohort; in contrast, they found no association between carbon black exposure and lung cancer risk and, thus, no support for the alternative exposure hypothesis used by Sorahan and Harrington. Overall, as a result of these detailed investigations, no causative link between carbon black exposure and cancer risk in humans has been demonstrated. This view is consistent with the IARC evaluation in 2006.

IARC carcinogenicity

IARC Group 2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

General information

Inhalation

Dust may irritate the respiratory system.

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**Ingestion** No specific health hazards known.

**Skin Contact** Powder may irritate skin. Not a skin sensitiser.

**Eye contact** Dust in the eyes will cause irritation.

Target Organs Respiratory system, lungs

Medical Symptoms RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.

Toxicological information on ingredients.

## CARBON BLACK

Carcinogenicity

IARC carcinogenicity IARC Group 2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

NTP carcinogenicity Reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen.

OSHA Carcinogenicity Not listed.

## 12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity .

**Toxicity** 

Toxicity Fish (Brachydanio rerio): LC50 (96hr) > 1,000 mg/L. (Method: OECD 203).

Daphnia magna: EC50 (24hr) > 5,600 mg/L. (Method: OECD 202). Algae (Scenedesmus subspicatus): EC50 (72hr) > 10,000 mg/L. Algae (Scenedesmus subspicatus): NOEC >= 10,000 mg/L.

Activated sludge: EC0 (3hr) >= 800 mg/L. (Method: DEV L3 TTC test).

Persistance and degradability

Persistence and degradability The product is not readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative Potential Bioaccumulation is unlikely to be significant because of the low water-solubility of this product.

Mobility in soil

**Mobility** The product is insoluble in water.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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assessment

This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects None known.

#### 13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

General information Waste to be treated as controlled waste. Disposal in accordance with federal, state and local

regulations.

Disposal methods Reuse or recycle products wherever possible. Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal

site in accordance with the requirements of the local Waste Disposal Authority.

#### 14. Transport information

General The product is not covered by international regulations on the transport of dangerous goods

(IMDG, IATA, DoT).

Rail transport notes Not classified as dangerous for rail transport.

**Sea transport notes**Not classified as dangerous for sea transport.

**Air transport notes** Not classified as dangerous for air transport.

**UN Number** 

Not applicable.

UN proper shipping name

Not applicable.

Transport hazard class(es)

Not applicable.

Transport labels

Packing group

Not applicable.

**Environmental hazards** 

**Environmentally Hazardous Substance** 

No.

Special precautions for user

Not applicable.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

### 15. Regulatory information

#### **US Federal Regulations**

#### SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Tier II Threshold Planning Quantities

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

## CERCLA/Superfund, Hazardous Substances/Reportable Quantities (EPA)

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

### SARA 313 Emission Reporting

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

## **CAA Accidental Release Prevention**

None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

## **US State Regulations**

#### State Regulations Comments

"carbon black (airborne, unbound particles of respirable size)" is a California Proposition 65 listed substance.

Please note that all three listing qualifiers (airborne, unbound (not bound within a matrix), and respirable size (10 micrometers or less in diameter)) must be met for this substance to be considered a Proposition 65 substance.

Please contact your sales representative for additional information.

## California Proposition 65 Carcinogens and Reproductive Toxins

#### **CARBON BLACK**

Known to the State of California to cause cancer.

#### Massachusetts "Right To Know" List

**CARBON BLACK** 

Yes.

### Rhode Island "Right To Know" List

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Yes.

#### Minnesota "Right To Know" List

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Yes.

## New Jersey "Right To Know" List

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Yes.

## Pennsylvania "Right To Know" List

**CARBON BLACK** 

Yes.

#### **Inventories**

## **EU - EINECS/ELINCS**

**EINECS** 

All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

## Canada - DSL/NDSL

DSI

All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

## US - TSCA

All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

## US - TSCA 12(b) Export Notification

No.

#### Australia - AICS

All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

#### Japan - MITI

All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

#### Korea - KECI

All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

China - IECSC

All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

Philippines - PICCS

All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

New Zealand - NZIOC

All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

## 16. Other information

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Hazard statements in full H315 Causes skin irritation. H319

Causes serious eye irritation.

This information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process. Such information is, to the best of the company's knowledge and belief, accurate and reliable as of the date indicated. However, no warranty, guarantee or representation is made to its accuracy, reliability or completeness. It is the user's responsibility to satisfy himself as to the suitability of such information for his own particular use.