

1. Identification

Product identifier **BH5501**
Other means of identification Not available.
Recommended use Not available.
Recommended restrictions None known.
Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information
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2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Flammable liquids Category 3
Health hazards Not classified.
Environmental hazards Not classified.
OSHA defined hazards Not classified.

Label elements


Signal word Warning
Hazard statement Flammable liquid and vapor.
Prevention Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking. Keep container tightly closed. Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment. Use only non-sparking tools.
Response In case of fire: Use CO2 for extinction.
Storage Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
Disposal Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. See section 13 of this SDS for disposal instructions.
Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC) None known.
Supplemental information None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients
Mixtures

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
STODDARD SOLVENT		8052-41-3	20 - 35
ASPHALT		8052-42-4	0 - 50
ASPHALT, OXIDIZED		64742-93-4	0 - 50
QUARTZ		14808-60-7	< 1

Composition comments The full text for all R-phrases is displayed in Section 16 of the SDS.

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation

Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Oxygen or artificial respiration if needed. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim inhaled the substance. Induce artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. For minor skin contact, avoid spreading material on unaffected skin. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

Eye contact

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If a contact lens is present, DO NOT delay irrigation or attempt to remove the lens. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Ingestion

Rinse mouth thoroughly. Do not induce vomiting without advice from poison control center. If vomiting occurs, keep head low so that stomach content doesn't get into the lungs. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested the substance. Induce artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Aspiration may cause pulmonary edema and pneumonitis. If ingestion of a large amount does occur, call a poison control center immediately.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Not available.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

In case of shortness of breath, give oxygen. Symptoms may be delayed.

General information

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide (CO₂). Extinguish with water fog.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Firefighters must use standard protective equipment including flame retardant coat, helmet with face shield, gloves, rubber boots, and in enclosed spaces, SCBA. Structural firefighters protective clothing will only provide limited protection.

Fire-fighting equipment/instructions

In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Firefighters must use standard protective equipment including flame retardant coat, helmet with face shield, gloves, rubber boots, and in enclosed spaces, SCBA. Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk. For massive fire in cargo area, use unmanned hose holder or monitor nozzles, if possible. If not, withdraw and let fire burn out. Some of these materials, if spilled, may evaporate leaving a flammable residue. Water runoff can cause environmental damage.

Specific methods

In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray. Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Remove sources of ignition. Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Do not touch or walk through spilled material.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Dike far ahead of spill for later disposal. Cover with DRY earth, DRY sand, or other non-combustible material followed with plastic sheet to minimize spreading or contact with rain. Collect spillage. Prevent product from entering drains.

Never return spills in original containers for re-use.

Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not contaminate water.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

DO NOT handle, store or open near an open flame, sources of heat or sources of ignition. Protect material from direct sunlight. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not use in areas without adequate ventilation. Avoid prolonged exposure. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not empty into drains.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

The pressure in sealed containers can increase under the influence of heat. Do not handle or store near an open flame, heat or other sources of ignition. This material can accumulate static charge which may cause spark and become an ignition source. Prevent electrostatic charge build-up by using common bonding and grounding techniques. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Use care in handling/storage.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Type	Value
STODDARD SOLVENT (CAS 8052-41-3)	PEL	2900 mg/m ³ 500 ppm

US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Type	Value	Form
QUARTZ (CAS 14808-60-7)	TWA	0.3 mg/m ³ 0.1 mg/m ³ 2.4 mppcf	Total dust. Respirable. Respirable.

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Components	Type	Value	Form
ASPHALT (CAS 8052-42-4)	TWA	0.5 mg/m ³	Inhalable fraction.
QUARTZ (CAS 14808-60-7)	TWA	0.025 mg/m ³	Respirable fraction.
STODDARD SOLVENT (CAS 8052-41-3)	TWA	100 ppm	

U.S. - NIOSH

Components	Type	Value
ASPHALT, OXIDIZED (CAS 64742-93-4)	REL	5 mg/m ³

US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards

Components	Type	Value	Form
ASPHALT (CAS 8052-42-4)	Ceiling	5 mg/m ³	Fume.
QUARTZ (CAS 14808-60-7)	TWA	0.05 mg/m ³	Respirable dust.
STODDARD SOLVENT (CAS 8052-41-3)	Ceiling	1800 mg/m ³	
	TWA	350 mg/m ³	

Biological limit values

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Appropriate engineering controls

Provide adequate ventilation, including appropriate local extraction, to ensure that the defined occupational exposure limit is not exceeded.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Chemical goggles are recommended.

Hand protection

Chemical resistant gloves are recommended. If contact with forearms is likely wear gauntlet style gloves.

Other

Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing. Chemical resistant gloves.

Skin protection

Respiratory protection

When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.

Thermal hazards

Not available.

General hygiene considerations

When using do not smoke. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid contact with skin. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Viscous liquid

Physical state

Liquid.

Form

Liquid.

Color

Brown to Black

Odor

Mild Petroleum Odor

Odor threshold

Not available.

pH

Not available.

Melting point/freezing point

Not available.

Initial boiling point and boiling range

212 °F (100 °C)

Flash point

100.0 - 140.0 °F (37.8 - 60.0 °C) Cleveland Open Cup

Evaporation rate	Not available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not available.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	
Flammability limit - lower (%)	Not available.
Flammability limit - upper (%)	Not available.
Explosive limit - lower (%)	Not available.
Explosive limit - upper (%)	Not available.
Vapor pressure	3.25 hPa estimated
Vapor density	> 1
Relative density	Not available.
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility (water)	Not available.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
Viscosity	Not available.
Other information	
Density	8.42 lb/gal
Flammability class	Class II
Specific gravity	1.01
VOC (Weight %)	< 350 g/l

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
Chemical stability	Stable under normal temperature conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Conditions to avoid	Heat, flames and sparks.
Incompatible materials	Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products	Irritants. Toxic gas.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Ingestion	May cause discomfort if swallowed. However, ingestion is not likely to be a primary route of occupational exposure.
Inhalation	May cause irritation to the respiratory system. However, this product does not currently meet the criteria for classification.
Skin contact	Frequent or prolonged contact may defat and dry the skin, leading to discomfort and dermatitis.
Eye contact	Causes eye irritation.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Not available.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity	Not classified.
Skin corrosion/irritation	May cause defatting of the skin, but is neither an irritant nor a sensitizer.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Not classified. May be irritating to eyes.
Respiratory or skin sensitization	
Respiratory sensitization	Not available.
Skin sensitization	Irritating to skin.

Germ cell mutagenicity	No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.
Carcinogenicity	Risk of cancer cannot be excluded with prolonged exposure. This product contains crystalline silica. Silica is a known carcinogen; however in this encapsulated form the normal routes of exposure are unavailable.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

ASPHALT (CAS 8052-42-4)	2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.
ASPHALT, OXIDIZED (CAS 64742-93-4)	2A Probably carcinogenic to humans.
QUARTZ (CAS 14808-60-7)	1 Carcinogenic to humans.
STODDARD SOLVENT (CAS 8052-41-3)	3 Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

QUARTZ (CAS 14808-60-7)	Known To Be Human Carcinogen.
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US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not listed.

Reproductive toxicity	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	Not available.
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	Not available.
Aspiration hazard	Not classified.
Chronic effects	Not expected to be hazardous by OSHA criteria.
Further information	Symptoms may be delayed.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity	Components of this product are hazardous to aquatic life. Accumulation in aquatic organisms is expected. Not expected to be harmful to aquatic organisms.
Persistence and degradability	Not available.
Bioaccumulative potential	Not available.
Partition coefficient n-octanol / water (log Kow)	
STODDARD SOLVENT	3.16 - 7.15
Mobility in soil	Not available.
Other adverse effects	Not available.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions	Contract with a disposal operator licensed by the Law on Disposal and Cleaning. Dispose of this material and its container to hazardous or special waste collection point. If discarded, this product is considered a RCRA ignitable waste, D001. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.
Hazardous waste code	D001: Waste Flammable material with a flash point <140 F
Waste from residues / unused products	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.
Contaminated packaging	Offer rinsed packaging material to local recycling facilities.

14. Transport information

DOT	
UN number	UN1999
UN proper shipping name	Tars, liquid
Transport hazard class(es)	
Class	Combustible Liquid
Subsidiary risk	-
Label(s)	3
Packing group	III
Environmental hazards	
Marine pollutant	No
Special precautions for user	If shipped by ground in quantities LESS than 119 gallons (450 L): Not regulated as a hazardous material.
Special provisions	B1, B13, IB3, T1, TP3
Packaging exceptions	150
Packaging non bulk	203
Packaging bulk	242

IATA

UN number	UN1999
UN proper shipping name	Tars, liquid
Transport hazard class(es)	
Class	3
Subsidiary risk	-
Packing group	III
Environmental hazards	No.
ERG Code	3L
Special precautions for user	Not available.
Other information	
Passenger and cargo aircraft	Allowed.
Cargo aircraft only	Allowed.

IMDG

UN number	UN1999
UN proper shipping name	Tars, liquid
Transport hazard class(es)	
Class	3
Subsidiary risk	-
Packing group	III
Environmental hazards	
Marine pollutant	No.
EmS	F-E, S-E
Special precautions for user	Not available.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code Not available.

DOT**IATA; IMDG****Further information**

If shipped by ground in quantities LESS than 119 gallons (450 L): Not regulated as a hazardous material. If shipped by vessel in individual containers that are less than 7.9 gallons (30 L) each, then IMDG 2.3.2.5 exception applies: Not regulated as a hazardous material.

15. Regulatory information**US federal regulations**

This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.
CERCLA/SARA Hazardous Substances - Not applicable.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

ASPHALT (CAS 8052-42-4)

Listed.

US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not listed.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories
 Immediate Hazard - No
 Delayed Hazard - No
 Fire Hazard - Yes
 Pressure Hazard - No
 Reactivity Hazard - No

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 No**Hazardous chemical****SARA 313 (TRI reporting)**

Not regulated.

Other federal regulations**Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List**

Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) Not regulated.**US state regulations** WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.**US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List**

ASPHALT (CAS 8052-42-4)
 QUARTZ (CAS 14808-60-7)
 STODDARD SOLVENT (CAS 8052-41-3)

US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

Not regulated.

US. Pennsylvania RTK - Hazardous Substances

ASPHALT (CAS 8052-42-4)
 QUARTZ (CAS 14808-60-7)
 STODDARD SOLVENT (CAS 8052-41-3)

US. Rhode Island RTK

Not regulated.

US. California Proposition 65**US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Carcinogenic substance**

ASPHALT (CAS 8052-42-4) Listed: January 1, 1990
 QUARTZ (CAS 14808-60-7) Listed: October 1, 1988

International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	Yes
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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References ACGIH
EPA: AQUIRE database
NLM: Hazardous Substances Data Base
US. IARC Monographs on Occupational Exposures to Chemical Agents
HSDB® - Hazardous Substances Data Bank
IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity
National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens
ACGIH Documentation of the Threshold Limit Values and Biological Exposure Indices

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Revision Information Composition / Information on Ingredients: Ingredients
Physical & Chemical Properties: Multiple Properties
Transport information: Further information
GHS: Classification