

1. Identification

Product identifier	AC-1.5
Other means of identification	None.
Recommended use	Not available.
Recommended restrictions	None known.
Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information	
Manufacturer:	Ergon Asphalt & Emulsions, Inc.
Address:	2829 Lakeland Drive Jackson, MS 39232
Website:	www.ergonasphalt.com
Telephone:	1-800-222-7122 (Customer Service)
E-mail:	sds@ergon.com
24 hour Emergency (CHEMTREC):	North America 1-800-424-9300; International 1-703-527-3887

2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards	Not classified.	
Health hazards	Carcinogenicity	Category 1
	Reproductive toxicity	Category 2
	Specific target organ toxicity, repeated exposure	Category 1
Environmental hazards	Not classified.	
OSHA defined hazards	Not classified.	

*Hazards not stated here are "Not classified", "Not applicable" or "Classification not possible".

Label elements



Signal word	Danger
Hazard statement	May cause cancer. Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child. Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Precautionary statement	
Prevention	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection. Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
Response	Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell. If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
Storage	Store locked up.
Disposal	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)	Molten asphalt presents a thermal hazard.
Supplemental information	Vapors containing hydrogen sulfide may accumulate during storage or transport. HYDROGEN SULFIDE (H2S) can be harmful or fatal if inhaled.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
ASPHALT		8052-42-4	90 - 100
EXTRACTS (PETROLEUM), HEAVY PARAFFINIC DISTILLATE SOLVENT		64742-04-7	0 - 10

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation	If breathing is difficult, remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.
Skin contact	Immediately place the affected skin under running water for at least 20 minutes - DO NOT DELAY. Prolonged flushing/cooling is necessary. Ice (or "cold packs") may be used in the event that water is unavailable. Do not attempt to remove the asphalt. Do not place any sheets or towels on top of the asphalt due to the risk of adhesion. Get immediate medical attention.
Eye contact	Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention or advice.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately. If ingestion of a large amount does occur, call a poison control center immediately.
Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed	Potential for severe thermal burns.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media	Extinguish with foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder or water fog.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	Irritating and toxic gases or fumes may be released during a fire.
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	ALWAYS stay away from tanks engulfed in flame. Fight fire from maximum distance or use unmanned hose holders or monitor nozzles. Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk. In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray. Use of foam or water may cause frothing.
Specific methods	In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Ventilate closed spaces before entering them. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	Dike far ahead of spill for later disposal. Ventilate area and avoid breathing vapors or mist. For large spills, dike far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal. Do not release into sewers or waterways. Allow spilled material to solidify and scrape up with shovels into a suitable container for recycle or disposal.
Environmental precautions	Not available.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling	Avoid contact with molten material. Hydrogen sulfide, a very highly toxic gas, may be present with this material. Keep face clear of tank and/or tank car openings. Do not add water to hot product. This may result in frothing of the mixture causing hot asphalt to overflow the container
Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities	Prevent electrostatic charge build-up by using common bonding and grounding techniques. Store in a well-ventilated place. It is recommended that the storage temperature never exceed 375°F.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

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

Components	Type	Value	Form
EXTRACTS (PETROLEUM), HEAVY PARAFFINIC DISTILLATE SOLVENT (CAS 64742-04-7)	PEL	5 mg/m ³	Mist.

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Components	Type	Value	Form
ASPHALT (CAS 8052-42-4)	TWA	0.5 mg/m ³	Inhalable fraction.

US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards

Components	Type	Value	Form
ASPHALT (CAS 8052-42-4)	Ceiling	5 mg/m ³	Fume.
EXTRACTS (PETROLEUM), HEAVY PARAFFINIC DISTILLATE SOLVENT (CAS 64742-04-7)	STEL	10 mg/m ³	Mist.
	TWA	5 mg/m ³	Mist.

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

Safety glasses. Wear face shield if there is risk of splashes.

Skin protection

Hand protection

Thermally protective, chemical resistant gloves are recommended. If contact with forearms is likely wear gauntlet style gloves.

Other

Normal work clothing (long sleeved shirts and long pants) is recommended. Wear 100% cotton clothing.

Respiratory protection

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

Thermal hazards

Not available.

General hygiene considerations

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Brown to black in color.

Physical state

Liquid.

Form

Semi-solid at ambient temperature

Color

Black.

Odor

Tar-like

Odor threshold

Not available.

pH

Not available.

Melting point/freezing point

Not available.

Initial boiling point and boiling range

680 °F (360 °C) estimated

Flash point

50.0 °F (10.0 °C) estimated

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	Not available.
Vapor density	Not available.
Relative density	Not available.
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility (water)	Not available.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	500 °F (260 °C) estimated
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
Viscosity	Not available.
Other information	
Density	0.99 g/cm3 estimated

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	Do not overheat product.
Incompatible materials	Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products	Upon decomposition, this product may yield sulfur dioxide, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and/or low molecular weight hydrocarbons. Hydrogen sulfide.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation	May cause irritation to the respiratory system.
Skin contact	Molten material will produce thermal burns. Frequent or prolonged contact may defat and dry the skin, leading to discomfort and dermatitis.
Eye contact	Molten material will produce thermal burns. Irritating to eyes. May cause tearing, burning sensation and redness.
Ingestion	Causes digestive tract burns.

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

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity	Not available.
Skin corrosion/irritation	Causes mild skin irritation. Defatting, drying and cracking of skin. Molten material will produce thermal burns.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	May cause minor irritation on eye contact.
Respiratory or skin sensitization	
Respiratory sensitization	Not available.
Skin sensitization	Not available.
Germ cell mutagenicity	Not available.

Carcinogenicity IARC: occupational exposures to straight-run bitumens and their emissions during road paving are "possibly carcinogenic to humans" (Group 2B). Contains polycyclic aromatic compounds (PACs). Prolonged and/or repeated skin contact with certain PACs has been shown to cause skin cancer. Prolonged and/or repeated exposures by inhalation of certain PACs may also cause cancer of the lung and of other sites of the body. May cause cancer.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

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2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

Not listed.

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

Not regulated.

Reproductive toxicity	Suspected of damaging the unborn child.
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	Not available.
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	Adrenal glands. Bone marrow. Kidneys. Liver. Lymph system. Stomach. Thymus.
Aspiration hazard	Not available.
Chronic effects	Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity	This product has no known eco-toxicological effects.
Persistence and degradability	Not available.
Bioaccumulative potential	Not available.
Mobility in soil	Not available.
Other adverse effects	Not available.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions	Allow molten resin to solidify before disposal. Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. When this product as supplied is to be discarded as waste, it does not meet the definition of a RCRA waste under 40 CFR 261.
Hazardous waste code	Not applicable.
Waste from residues / unused products	Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).
Contaminated packaging	No special precautions.

14. Transport information

DOT	
UN number	UN3257
UN proper shipping name	Elevated temperature liquid, n.o.s., at or above 100 C and below its flash point (including molten metals, molten salts, etc.)
Transport hazard class(es)	
Class	9
Subsidiary risk	-
Label(s)	9
Packing group	III
Special precautions for user	Not available.
Special provisions	IB1, T3, TP3, TP29
Packaging exceptions	None
Packaging non bulk	None
Packaging bulk	247
IATA	
UN number	UN3257
UN proper shipping name	Elevated temperature liquid, n.o.s. at or above 100°C and below its flash point (including molten metals, molten salts, etc.)
Transport hazard class(es)	
Class	9
Subsidiary risk	-
Packing group	Not applicable.
Environmental hazards	No.
ERG Code	9L
Special precautions for user	Not available.

Other information

Passenger and cargo aircraft Forbidden
Cargo aircraft only Forbidden

IMDG

UN number UN3257
UN proper shipping name ELEVATED TEMPERATURE LIQUID, N.O.S. at or above 100°C and below its flashpoint (including molten metals, molten salts, etc.)

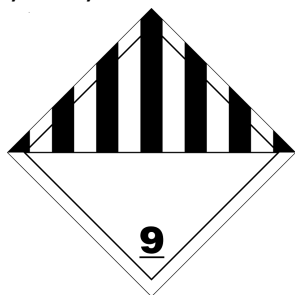
Transport hazard class(es)

Class 9
Subsidiary risk -
Packing group III

Environmental hazards

Marine pollutant No.
EmS F-A, S-P
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**15. Regulatory information****US federal regulations****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 regulated.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

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

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical No

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

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

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Listed: January 1, 1990

US. California. Candidate Chemicals List. Safer Consumer Products Regulations (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 22, 69502.3, subd. (a))

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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)	No
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

Issue date	02-07-2018
Version #	01
NFPA ratings	Health: 2 Flammability: 1 Instability: 0 Special hazards: -W-
Disclaimer	Not available.