



Durlon® Flexible Graphite

SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier Durlon® Flexible Graphite

Product Family Semi-Metallic

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SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Classification

Not classified under any hazard class.

Label Elements

Not applicable

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	%	Other Identifiers	Other Names
Graphite	7782-42-5	>95		
Crystalline Silica	14808-60-7	<0.8		

SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

First-aid Measures

Inhalation

Do not breathe dust. If exposed to high levels of dust, remove to fresh air. drink water and clear throat. Blow nose to clear dust.

Skin Contact

Wash gently and thoroughly with lukewarm, gently flowing water and mild soap for 5 minutes.

Eye Contact

Rinse the contaminated eye(s) with lukewarm, gently flowing water for 5 minutes, while holding the eyelid(s) open.

Ingestion

Give large quantities of water. Get medical advice or attention if you feel unwell or are concerned.

SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Not combustible. Use extinguishing agent suitable for surrounding fire. Water fog, foam, dry chemical powder or carbon dioxide (CO2).

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Specific Hazards Arising from the Product

Compositions of by-products from the result of fire will vary depending on the specific conditions. Hazardous gases and vapour include dense smoke and carbon monoxide. There may be others unknown to us.

Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-fighters

Self-contained breathing devices and protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment, and Emergency Procedures

No special precautions are necessary. Place spilled material (dust) in a container for disposal. Dispose of all waste according to federal, state, provincial or local laws.

Environmental Precautions

No special precautions are necessary. It is good practice to prevent releases into the environment.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

It is good practice to: avoid breathing product; avoid skin and eye contact and wash hands after handling. Dust should be gathered by wet wiping or vacuuming with HEPA filtration equpped vacuum cleaners. Do not dry sweep or blow dust with compressed air. Graphite dusts are electrically conductive and accumulation of dust may cause shorting of electric circuits and switches. Personnel involved with handling this product should be wearing appropriate personal protective equipment as outlined in Section 8.

Conditions for Safe Storage

No special requirements for storage area. Comply with all applicable health and safety regulations, fire and building codes. Protect from conditions listed in Conditions to Avoid in Section 10 (Stability and Reactivity).

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control Parameters

	ACGIH® TLV®		OSHA PEL		AIHA® WEEL®	
Chemical Name	TWA	STEL [C]	TWA	Ceiling	8-hr TWA	Short-term TWA [C]
Graphite	5 mg/m3					

US ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Graphite (CAS 7782-42-5) TWA - 2 mg/m3, respirable fraction

Crystalline Silica (CAS 14808-60-7) TWA - 0.025 mg/m3, respirable fraction

Appropriate Engineering Controls

Use local exhaust ventilation, if general ventilation is not adequate to control amount in the air.

Individual Protection Measures

Eye/Face Protection

Not required but it is good practice to wear safety glasses or chemical safety goggles.

Respiratory Protection

Use particulate filter respirator for specific particulate concentrations exceeding the occupational exposure limits.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Odour Not applicable

Melting Point/Freezing Point Not applicable (melting); Not applicable (freezing)

Vapour Pressure Not applicable
Relative Density (water = 1) 0.8 - 1.8

Other Information

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Physical State Solid

Other Physical Property 1 Appearance: Black powder

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions of use.

Chemical Stability

Normally stable.

Conditions to Avoid

Avoid contact with highly concentrated acids. Dust is combustable, avoid sources of ignition and strong oxidizing agents. This product should not be used in oxidizing environments.

Incompatible Materials

Oxidizing agents (e.g. peroxides), reducing agents (e.g. hydroquinone).

Hazardous Decomposition Products

By-products from the result of a fire will vary depending on the specific conditions. Hazardous gases/vapours may include dense smoke and carbon monoxide. There may be others unknown to us.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information presented below is for the entire product, unless otherwise specified.

Acute Toxicity

LD50 (Oral)

> 10, 000 mg/kg (Rat)

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Not an irritant, but washing the skin after use or contact is advisable.

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation is observed.

STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Single Exposure

Inhalation

Not likely to be hazardous by inhalation. If exposed to fumes from ignition or combustion of product, move to fresh air. Consult physician symptoms persist.

Prolonged and repeated overexposure to dust can lead to pneumoconiosis. Prolonged exposure is associated with lung cancer. Crystalline silica: Overexposure to the respirable dist of crystalline silica (quartz of crostobalite, less than or equal to 5 microns in size) may lead to silicosis in humans, which is a progressive and irreversible lung disease.

Carcinogenicity

(Crystalline Silica) Has been classified by IARC, NTP and ACGIH as a known human carcinogen and suspected human carcinogen respectively.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

No information was located.

Persistence and Degradability

No information was located.

Bioaccumulative Potential

This product and its degradation products are not expected to bioaccumulate.

Mobility in Soil

No information was located.

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SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Methods

Dispose of in accordance with all applicable municipal, provincial and federal regulations.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not regulated under Canadian TDG regulations. Not regulated under US DOT Regulations.

Special Precautions Not applicable

Transport in Bulk according to International Maritime Organization Instruments

Not applicable

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations

None known.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA Rating Health - 0 Instability - 0

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