

# **Safety Data Sheet**

# **Cationic Asphalt Emulsion**

#### **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product Identifier
Other Means of
Identification

CSS-H, CSS-1H, CQS-1h, CQS-1hP, CRS-2, CRS-2P

Recommended Use Restrictions on Use

Microsurfacing and Slurry Seal

**Cationic Asphalt Emulsion** 

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#### **SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION**

**Classification** This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OHSA Hazard Communication

Standard.

Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Category 2	
Serious Eye Damage	Category 2A	
Carcinogenicity	Category 2	
Acute Aquatic Toxicity	Category 3	

#### **Label Elements**





**Other Hazards** 

Hot liquid which may cause thermal burns May release hydrogen sulfide gas



## **SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Concentration %w/w	Common name / Synonyms	Other identifiers
Asphalt Cement	8052-42-4	55-70	Asphalt, Bitumen	
Co-polymer	9003-55-8	0-4	Latex	
Cationic	Mixture	0.5-2	Surfactant	
Emulsifier				
Phosphoric Acid	7664-38-2	<1	Acid	

**Notes** 

#### **SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES**

Inhalation Fumes or vapours released may result in irritation to the nose and throat as well

as symptoms such as headache, dizziness, nausea, loss of coordination and drowsiness. If symptoms of overexposure to asphalt fume develop, move to fresh air in a position comfortable for breathing. If symptoms or irritation occur,

call a poison control center or doctor.

Skin Contact Direct exposure can cause skin irritation or severe burns. Chronic exposure may

result in dry skin, dermatitis or defatting of skin.

Eye Contact Contact to the eyes can result in irritation, redness, itching and severe burns.

Eye exposures require immediate first aid treatment.

Ingestion Avoid ingesting asphalt emulsion. Ingestion may result in thermal burns,

nausea, vomiting, diarrhea and restlessness.

Adverse Effects Frequent and/or prolonged contact with cold material may cause irritation.

Additional effects may include skin sensitization. Exposure to hot melted

material can cause thermal burns.

#### **SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

**Extinguishing Media** 

Suitable

**Extinguishing Media** 

For small fires, Class B fire extinguishing media such as CO2, dry chemical, foam (AFFF/ATC) or water fog can be used. For large fires, water spray, fog or foam (AFFF/ATC) can be used. Firefighting should be attempted only by those who are adequately trained and equipped with proper protective equipment. Do not use straight streams. Water contact can cause violent eruption of hot asphalt.

**Extinguishing Media** 

Specific Hazards
Arising from the

Unsuitable

Product

Hazardous

Combustion Products Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-Fighters Flammable vapours can accumulate in closed systems or areas with insufficient ventilation. This product is no a combustible liquid but will ignite and burn at

temperatures exceeding its flash point.

Smoke, carbon monoxide, and other products of incomplete combustion. Firefighters should wear full protective clothing and positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece, as appropriate. Avoid using straight water streams. Water spray and foam (AFFF/ATC) must be applied carefully to avoid frothing and from as far a distance as possible. Avoid excessive water spray application. Keep run-off water out of sewers and water sources.



## **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment, and Emergency Procedures Keep public away. Isolate and evacuate the area. Shut off source if safe to do so. Use personal protection measures as recommended in Section 8. Advise authorities if product entered a water course of sewer. Notify local health and pollution control agencies, if appropriate. Contain liquid with sand or soil.

Environmental Precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Avoid subsoil penetration.

Methods for Containment and Cleaning Up Use suitable absorbent materials such as vermiculite, sand or clay to clean up residual liquids. Recover and return free product to proper containers.

#### **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Precautions for Safe Handling

Handle asphalt emulsion with care. Store material in closed containers with appropriate labels and in a cool well-ventilated area. Avoid breath fumes, gas or vapors, contact to skin, eyes and clothing. Take caution to prevent exposure to heat, open flames, strong oxidizers and other sources of ignition. Refrain from performing heat producing tasks on/near containers such as cutting, drilling, grinding or welding as they may contain flammable residues.

Avoid contact with asphalt emulsion and use additional precautions when handling hot material. Minimize employee exposure, ensure adequate ventilation and ensure proper Person Protective Equipment is available at all times.

Conditions for Safe Storage

Store in containers or tanks isolated from ignition sources or open flames. Avoid freezing of asphalt emulsions. Do not store above 90°C as temperatures above this value may cause boiling of the aqueous phase, resulting in

overflowing of the container.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizing agents.

#### SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Control Parameters**

Chemical Name	ACGIH	ACGIH® TLV®		OSHA PEL	
	TWA	STEL	TWA	STEL	
Asphalt Cement	0.5 mg/m3 TWA	-	-	-	
Co-polymer					
Cationic Emulsifier					
Phosphoric Acid					

Appropriate Engineering Controls Local or general exhaust required in an enclosed area or when there is inadequate ventilation.

Individual Protection Measures



Eye/Face Protection To prevent contact of asphalt emulsion with eyes, wear CSA/ANSI approved

safety goggles or face shields.

Skin Protection When in contact with hot product, wear insulated chemical resistant gloves. Do

not use barrier creams. Additional protection may be required to prevent exposure including aprons, arm covers, face shields and boots. Remove and clean asphalt emulsion soiled clothing. Thoroughly wash hands and/or exposed

skin.

Respiratory Protection

Wear a NIOSH approved respirator that is properly fitted and in good condition

when exposed to concentrated vapours.

#### **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance Black/Brown Liquid

Odour Petroleum Odour

Odour Threshold N/A

pH N/A

Melting Point and Freezing Point

0°C

Initial Boiling Point and Boiling Range

100°C

Flash Point

Evaporation Rate N/A

Flammability (solid,

gas)

N/A

N/A

Upper and Lower Flammability or Explosive Limit

N/A

Vapour Pressure Negligible @25°C

**Vapour Density** 

(air = 1)

N/A

**Relative Density** 

(water = 1)

1.1-1.2

Solubility in Water

Negligible

Solubility in Other

Liquids

N/A

Partition Coefficient, n-Octanol / Water

(Log Kow)

N/A



Auto-ignition Temperature

N/A

Decomposition Temperature

N/A

Viscosity 20-300 SFS (Saybolt Furol Seconds)

#### **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity This product is non-reactive under normal conditions.

Chemical Stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of

None under normal processing.

**Hazardous Reactions** 

Conditions to Avoid Sources of heat or ignition.

Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

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Hazardous Decomposition

**Products** 

None known under normal conditions of use.

#### **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **Likely Routes of Exposure**

 $\underline{x}$  Inhalation  $\underline{x}$  Skin contact  $\underline{x}$  Eye contact  $\underline{x}$  Ingestion

**Acute Toxicity** 

LC50 >94.4 mg/m3 (Rat) 4h LD50 (oral) >5000 mg/kg (Rat) LD50 (dermal) >2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)

**Notes** 

Potential Short-term Adverse Effects from Overexposures

Inhalation Fumes or vapours from the heated material may be irritating to the respiratory

tract. May release highly toxic hydrogen sulfide gas that quickly fatigues the

sense of smell.

Eye Contact Vapours may cause eye irritation and sensitivity to light. Contact with hot

material may cause thermal burns.

Skin Contact May cause skin irritation. Contact with hot material may cause thermal burns.



Ingestion If swallowed at ambient temperature no significant adverse effects are expected.

Ingestion of large amounts may cause gastrointestinal blockage. Swallowing hot

material may cause burns to the mouth, throat and stomach.

Skin Corrosion /

**Not Classified** 

Irritation

Serious Eye Damage /

**Not Classified** 

Irritation

STOT (Specific Target

**Not Classified** 

Organ Toxicity) -

**Single Exposure Aspiration Hazard** 

**Not Classified** 

STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) -

**Not Classified** 

**Repeated Exposure** Respiratory and/or Skin Sensitization

May cause sensitization by skin contact. Not expected to be a respiratory

sensitizer.

Carcinogenicity Suspected of causing cancer.

#### **Notes**

**Reproductive Toxicity** 

**Development of Not Classified** 

Offspring

**Sexual Function and** 

**None Known** 

**Fertility** 

Effects on or via

Lactation

Germ Cell Not Classified

Mutagenicity

**Interactive Effects** Not available

## SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION (section heading must appear; all content is optional)

**Ecotoxicity** This product should be considered toxic to aquatic organisms, with the potential to

cause long lasting adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Persistence and **Degradability** 

Not expected to be readily biodegradable.

**Bioaccumulative** 

**Potential** 

Not expected to bioaccumulate in aquatic organisms.

**Mobility in Soil** 

Not likely to move rapidly with surface or groundwater flows because of its lower water

solubility.

Other Adverse Effects N/A



## SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS (section heading must appear; all content is optional)

**Disposal Methods** 

# SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION (section heading must appear; all content is optional)

Regulation	UN No.	Proper Shipping Name	Technical Name (for N.O.S. entry)	Transport Hazard Class(es)	Packing Group

**Special Precautions** 

TDG (Canada) Not Regulated.

Environmental

Hazards

Transport in Bulk

Not regulated.

According to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and

the IBC Code

## **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION** (section heading must appear; all content is optional)

Safety, Health and Environmental

N/A

Environmental Regulations

## **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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