



United States  
**Safety Data Sheet**

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**TREE WOUND PRUNING SEALER & GRAFTING COMPOUND**

**Section 1. Identification**

**GHS product identifier** : TREE WOUND PRUNING SEALER & GRAFTING COMPOUND  
**Product type** : Registration Not Required  
**SDS #** : 320000009121

**Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

Use only in accordance with label directions.

**Section 2. Hazards identification**

This product is regulated by the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) for label precautionary text see Section 15.

**OSHA/HCS status** : This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).  
**Classification of the substance or mixture** : CARCINOGENICITY - Category 2  
SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY (SINGLE EXPOSURE) - Category 2

**GHS label elements**

**Hazard pictograms** : 

**Signal word** : Warning

**Hazard statements** : Suspected of causing cancer.  
May cause damage to organs.

**Precautionary statements**

<b>General</b>	:	Read label before use. Keep out of reach of children. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.
<b>Prevention</b>	:	Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wear protective gloves. Wear eye or face protection. Wear protective clothing. Do not breathe vapor. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
<b>Response</b>	:	IF exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER or physician.
<b>Storage</b>	:	Store locked up.
<b>Disposal</b>	:	Dispose of contents and container in accordance with all local, regional, national and international regulations.
<b>Supplemental label elements</b>	:	None known.
<b>Hazards not otherwise classified</b>	:	None known.

### Section 3. Composition/information on ingredients

<b>Substance/mixture</b>	:	Mixture
<b>Chemical name</b>	:	Not available.
<b>Other means of identification</b>	:	Not available.

Ingredient name	%	CAS number
Asphalt	>= 25 - < 50	8052-42-4
Methanol	>= 5 - < 10	67-56-1

Any concentration shown as a range is to protect confidentiality or is due to batch variation.

**There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as hazardous to health or the environment and hence require reporting in this section.**

Occupational exposure limits, if available, are listed in Section 8.

### Section 4. First aid measures

#### Description of necessary first aid measures

<b>Eye contact</b>	:	Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Continue to rinse for at least 10 minutes. Get medical attention. If necessary, call a poison center or physician.
<b>Inhalation</b>	:	Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If not breathing, if breathing is irregular or if respiratory arrest occurs, provide artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel. Get medical attention. If necessary, call a poison center or physician. If unconscious, place in recovery position and get medical attention immediately. Maintain an open airway.
<b>Skin contact</b>	:	Flush contaminated skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Continue to rinse for at least 10 minutes. Get medical attention. If necessary, call a poison center or physician. Wash clothing before reuse. Clean shoes thoroughly before reuse.
<b>Ingestion</b>	:	Wash out mouth with water. If material has been swallowed and the

exposed person is conscious, give small quantities of water to drink.  
Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel.  
Get medical attention. If necessary, call a poison center or physician.  
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

### **Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed**

#### **Potential acute health effects**

- Eye contact** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.
- Inhalation** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.
- Skin contact** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.
- Ingestion** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### **Over-exposure signs/symptoms**

- Eye contact** : No specific data.
- Inhalation** : No specific data.
- Skin contact** : No specific data.
- Ingestion** : No specific data.

### **Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary**

- Notes to physician** : Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large quantities have been ingested or inhaled.
- Specific treatments** : No specific treatment.
- Protection of first-aiders** : No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

See toxicological information (Section 11)

## **Section 5. Fire-fighting measures**

### **Extinguishing media**

- Suitable extinguishing media** : Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media** : None known.
- Specific hazards arising from the chemical** : In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst.
- Hazardous thermal decomposition products** : Decomposition products may include the following materials:  
carbon dioxide  
carbon monoxide
- Special protective actions for fire-fighters** : Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.
- Special protective equipment for fire-fighters** : Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

## Section 6. Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

- For non-emergency personnel** : No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment.
- For emergency responders** : If specialised clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information in Section 8 on suitable and unsuitable materials. See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".
- Environmental precautions** : Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

- Spill** : Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Approach release from upwind. Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas. Wash spillages into an effluent treatment plant or proceed as follows. Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible, absorbent material e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite or diatomaceous earth and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see Section 13). Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Contaminated absorbent material may pose the same hazard as the spilled product. Note: see Section 1 for emergency contact information and Section 13 for waste disposal.

## Section 7. Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

- Protective measures** : Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Do not get in eyes or on skin or clothing. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Do not ingest. If during normal use the material presents a respiratory hazard, use only with adequate ventilation or wear appropriate respirator. Keep in the original container or an approved alternative made from a compatible material, kept tightly closed when not in use. Empty containers retain product residue and can be hazardous. Do not reuse container.
- Advice on general occupational hygiene** : Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. See also Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures.

- Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities** :
- Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see Section 10) and food and drink. Store locked up. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

## Section 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Occupational exposure limits

Ingredient name	Exposure limits
Asphalt	<p><b>NIOSH REL (1994-06-01)</b>  <b>CEIL</b> 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Form: Fume            Notes: See Appendix A - NIOSH Potential Occupational Carcinogen  <b>ACGIH TLV (2000-03-01) Calculated as benzene soluble aerosol</b>  <b>TWA</b> 0.5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Form: Inhalable fraction            Notes: Substances for which there is a Biological Exposure Index or Indices for Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons</p>
Methanol	<p><b>OSHA PEL 1989 (1989-03-01)</b>  <b>TWA</b> 260 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 200 ppm  <b>STEL</b> 325 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 250 ppm  <b>OSHA PEL (1993-06-30)</b>  <b>TWA</b> 260 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 200 ppm  <b>NIOSH REL (1994-06-01)</b>  <b>TWA</b> 260 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 200 ppm  <b>STEL</b> 325 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 250 ppm  <b>ACGIH TLV (1994-09-01)</b>  <b>TWA</b> 262 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 200 ppm            Notes: Biological exposure index or indicies recommended for substance listed  <b>STEL</b> 328 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 250 ppm            Notes: Biological exposure index or indicies recommended for substance listed</p>

- Appropriate engineering controls** :
- If user operations generate dust, fumes, gas, vapor or mist, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or statutory limits.
- Environmental exposure controls** :
- Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be

necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable levels.

### **Individual protection measures**

- Hygiene measures** : Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.
- Eye/face protection** : Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists, gases or dusts. If contact is possible, the following protection should be worn, unless the assessment indicates a higher degree of protection: safety glasses with side-shields.

### **Skin protection**

- Hand protection** : Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Considering the parameters specified by the glove manufacturer, check during use that the gloves are still retaining their protective properties. It should be noted that the time to breakthrough for any glove material may be different for different glove manufacturers. In the case of mixtures, consisting of several substances, the protection time of the gloves cannot be accurately estimated.
- Body protection** : Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.
- Other skin protection** : Appropriate footwear and any additional skin protection measures should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.
- Respiratory protection** : Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.

## **Section 9. Physical and chemical properties**

### **Appearance**

- Physical state** : liquid [Thick, oily liquid.]
- Color** : Black.
- Odor** : Characteristic
- Odor threshold** : Not available.
- pH** : Not available.
- Melting point** : Not available.
- Boiling point** : 212 °F (100.00 °C)

Flash point	:	Not available.
Evaporation rate	:	Not available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	:	Not available.
Lower and upper explosive (flammable) limits	:	<b>Lower:</b> Not available. <b>Upper:</b> Not available.
Vapor pressure	:	Not available.
Vapor density	:	Not available.
Relative density	:	Not available.
Solubility	:	Not available.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	:	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	:	Not available.
Decomposition temperature	:	Not available.
Viscosity	:	<b>Dynamic:</b> Not available. <b>Kinematic:</b> Not available.

## Section 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	:	No specific test data related to reactivity available for this product or its ingredients.
Chemical stability	:	The product is stable.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	:	Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur.
Conditions to avoid	:	No specific data.
Incompatible materials	:	No specific data.
Hazardous decomposition products	:	Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

## Section 11. Toxicological information

### Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Dose	Exposure
	LD50 Oral	Rat	> 5,000 mg/kg	-
	LC50 Inhalation	Rat	> 5 mg/l	4 h
	LD50 Dermal	Rat	> 5,000 mg/kg	-

Conclusion/Summary : Not available.

#### Irritation/Corrosion

Product/ingredient name	Result	Species	Score	Exposure	Observation
	Eyes - Redness of the conjunctivae	Rabbit	1.0		-

	Skin - Erythema/Eschar	Rabbit	1.0		-
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**Conclusion/Summary**

**Skin** : Not available.  
**Eyes** : No results available.  
**Respiratory** : No results available.

**Sensitization**

Product/ingredient name	Route of exposure	Species	Result
	Skin	Guinea pig	Not sensitizing

**Conclusion/Summary**

**Skin** : Not sensitizing - based on the individual components.  
**Respiratory** : Not available.

**Mutagenicity**

**Conclusion/Summary** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Carcinogenicity**

**Conclusion/Summary** : Not available.

**Reproductive toxicity**

**Conclusion/Summary** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Teratogenicity**

**Conclusion/Summary** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

**Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)**

Product/ingredient name	Category	Route of exposure	Target organs
Methanol			

**Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)**

Not available.

**Aspiration hazard**

Not available.

**Information on the likely routes of exposure** : Not available.

**Potential chronic health effects**

**Conclusion/Summary** : Not available.

**General** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.



<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	:	Suspected of causing cancer. Risk of cancer depends on duration and level of exposure.
<b>Mutagenicity</b>	:	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
<b>Teratogenicity</b>	:	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
<b>Developmental effects</b>	:	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
<b>Fertility effects</b>	:	No known significant effects or critical hazards.

## Section 12. Ecological information

### Toxicity

**Conclusion/Summary** : Not available.

### Persistence and degradability

**Conclusion/Summary** : Not available.

### Mobility in soil

**Soil/water partition coefficient (KOC)** : Not available.

**Other adverse effects** : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

## Section 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal methods** : The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Waste should not be disposed of untreated to the sewer unless fully compliant with the requirements of all authorities with jurisdiction. Waste packaging should be recycled. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Care should be taken when handling emptied containers that have not been cleaned or rinsed out. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

## Section 14. Transport information

<u>Regulatory information</u>	<u>UN no.</u>	<u>Proper shipping name</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>PG*</u>	<u>Note</u>
DOT		Not Regulated			
IATA (C)		Not Regulated			
IATA (P)					

<u>Regulatory information</u>	<u>UN no.</u>	<u>Proper shipping name</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>PG*</u>	<u>Note</u>
IMDG		Not Regulated			
TDG		Not Regulated			

PG\* : Packing group

## Section 15. Regulatory information

### Precautionary statements

- Signal word** : CAUTION!
- Emergency Overview** : Keep out of reach of children.  
When using this product, wear long-sleeved shirt, long pants, socks, shoes, and rubber gloves.  
Wear safety glasses.

- U.S. Federal regulations** : **United States inventory (TSCA 8b):**  
All components are listed or exempted.

### State regulations

#### California Prop. 65

WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

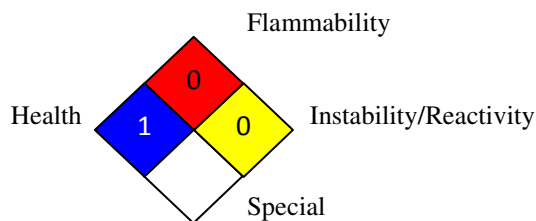
<b>Ingredient name</b>	<b>Cancer</b>	<b>Reproductive</b>	<b>No significant risk level</b>	<b>Maximum acceptable dosage level</b>
Methanol	No.	Yes.	No.	23000 µg/day
	No.	Yes.	No.	47000 µg/day

### International lists

#### National inventory

- Australia** : All components are listed or exempted.
- Canada** : All components are listed or exempted.
- China** : All components are listed or exempted.
- Europe** : All components are listed or exempted.
- Japan** : Not determined.
- Malaysia** : Not determined.
- New Zealand** : All components are listed or exempted.
- Philippines** : All components are listed or exempted.
- Republic of Korea** : All components are listed or exempted.
- Taiwan** : Not determined.

## Section 16. Other information

**National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.):**

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**Procedure used to derive the classification**

Classification	Justification
Carc. 2, H351	Calculation method
STOT SE 2, H371	Calculation method

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