



GAF
Safety Data Sheet
SDS # 4076
SDS Date: November 2021

SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

PRODUCT NAME: GAF Flexseal Sealant Black
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SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

NFPA and HMIS RATINGS:

	NFPA Hazard Rating		HMIS Hazard Rating
Health	2	Health	2
Flammable	2	Flammable	2
Reactive	0	Reactive	0
Special Hazards	-	Personal Protection	X

GHS LABEL ELEMENTS:

GHS

CLASSIFICATION: Flammable Liquid - Category 2
Acute Toxicity - Category 4
Reproductive Toxicity – Category 2
Skin Irritant - Category 2
Respiratory Irritant
Target Organ (SE) - Category 3
Target Organ (RE) - Category 2
Eye damage - Category 1
Carcinogenicity - Category 2
Mutagenicity - Category 2
Aquatic Environment (chronic) - Category 3

GHS PICTOGRAMS:**SIGNAL WORD:** Danger

HAZARD STATEMENTS: Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
Causes serious eye irritation or damage.
May cause respiratory irritation.
Harmful if inhaled.
Harmful in contact with skin.
May be fatal if swallowed or enters airways.
Suspected of causing cancer.
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.
May cause genetic defects.
May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces – no smoking.
Keep out of reach of children.
Keep container tightly closed.
Read label before use.
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. In case of fire use a dry chemical fire extinguisher for extinction.
Wear protective rubber gloves and ANSI approved safety glasses when handling this product.
Dispose of contents and empty containers in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

ADDITIONAL HAZARD IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION:**PRIMARY ROUTE OF EXPOSURE:** Eye contact, Skin contact, Inhalation**SIGNS & SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE**

EYES: This material is an eye irritant. Contact with the liquid or exposure to mist or vapor may cause stinging, redness and swelling.

SKIN: This material may cause mild skin irritation. Prolonged contact may cause redness, burning and drying or cracking of the skin. Skin absorption may produce systemic toxicity.

INGESTION: Harmful or fatal if swallowed and/or vomiting occurs. Can enter lungs and cause damage. This material can enter lungs during swallowing or vomiting and cause lung inflammation and damage.

INHALATION: High concentrations of vapor or mist may cause irritation of the nose and throat and signs of nervous system depression. Can cause headaches, drowsiness, dizziness, and loss of coordination. May affect liver, kidneys and respiratory system.

ACUTE HEALTH HAZARDS: See above.

CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARDS: None known.

CARCINOGENICITY: IARC has determined that occupational exposure to Titanium Dioxide is possibly carcinogenic to humans (Group 2B). IARC concluded lung tumors were observed in rats following high dose exposure by inhalation and in female rats exposed by intra-tracheal instillation. Other studies have shown no tumors in rats following inhalation exposure and no tumors in mice or rats following oral exposure.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CHEMICAL NAME	CAS #	% (BY WT)	OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS		
			OSHA	ACGIH	OTHER
Calcium Carbonate	1317-65-3	30 – 40	5 mg/m ³ – resp. 15 mg/m ³ – total	3 mg/m ³ – resp. 10 mg/m ³ – total	REL: 5 mg/m ³ – resp. 10 mg/m ³ – total
Xylene	1330-20-7	10 – 20	100 ppm	100 ppm 125 ppm STEL	REL: 100 ppm 125 ppm STEL
Toluene	108-88-3	2 – 10	200 ppm 300 ppm ceiling	20 ppm	REL: 100 ppm 150 ppm STEL
Titanium Dioxide	13463-67-7	2-5	15 mg/m ³ – total	10 mg/m ³ – total	NE
Carbon Black	1333-86-4	1-5	3.5 mg/m ³	3 mg/m ³	NE
Fumed Silica	112945-52-5	0 – 1	NE	NE	NE
Non-hazardous ingredients		24– 56	NE	NE	NE

NE = Not Established

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

FIRST AID PROCEDURES

EYES: Flush eyes immediately with water for 15 minutes. Call a physician.

SKIN: Remove contaminated clothes. Wash exposed areas with soap and water. If redness or swelling develops, seek medical assistance.

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Call a physician.

INGESTION: If product is swallowed, call a physician or poison control center for most current information. If professional advice is not available, do not induce vomiting. Never induce vomiting or give diluents (milk or water) to someone who is unconscious, having convulsions, or who cannot swallow. Seek medical advice. Take a copy of the label and/or SDS with the victim to the health professional.

NOTES TO PHYSICIANS OR FIRST AID PROVIDERS: Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES

SUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water, fog, carbon dioxide and foam.

HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS: Carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide.

RECOMMENDED FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Self contained breathing apparatus recommended.

UNUSUAL FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS: Material is flammable and may be ignited by flames, sparks, heat or other sources of ignition.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES: Eliminate all ignition sources (flames, hot surfaces and sources of electrical, static or frictional sparks). Dike and contain spill with inert material (e.g. sand, earth). Transfer to covered metal containers for recovery or disposal, or remove with inert absorbent. Use only non-sparking tools. Prevent contamination of sewers, streams and groundwater with spilled material or used absorbent.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING AND STORAGE: Store in a well ventilated area, 50 – 80 °F. As with all chemicals, avoid getting this product ON YOU or IN YOU. Wash thoroughly after handling this product. Do not eat, drink, smoke, or apply cosmetics while handling this product. Avoid breathing vapors/mists generated by this product. Use in a well-ventilated location. Remove contaminated clothing immediately.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS: Avoid open flames, electrical sparks or static electricity.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

ENGINEERING CONTROLS / VENTILATION:	Provide sufficient mechanical (general and/or local exhaust) ventilation to maintain exposure below exposure limits.
RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:	If personal exposure concentrations cannot be maintained below the appropriate exposure limits using engineering controls, a NIOSH/MSHA approved organic vapor air purifying respirator may be appropriate based on employer-determined exposure levels.
EYE PROTECTION:	Safety goggles or safety glasses with side shields.
SKIN PROTECTION:	Wear appropriate impermeable gloves and protective clothing as necessary to prevent skin contact.
OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:	Not applicable.
WORK HYGIENIC PRACTICES:	Wash exposed skin prior to eating, drinking, or smoking and at the end of each shift.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE & ODOR:	Heavy black paste with a solvent odor.		
FLASH POINT:	79 °F	LOWER EXPLOSIVE LIMIT:	1.1%
METHOD USED:	TCC	UPPER EXPLOSIVE LIMIT:	6.6%
EVAPORATION RATE:	0.8	BOILING POINT:	280 °F
pH (undiluted product):	No data	MELTING POINT:	No data
SOLUBILITY IN WATER:	No data	SPECIFIC GRAVITY:	1.24
VAPOR DENSITY:	3.7	PERCENT VOLATILE:	No data
VAPOR PRESSURE:	6.6 @ 20 °C	MOLECULAR WEIGHT:	No data
VOC (g/L):	295		

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

THERMAL STABILITY: **STABLE** **UNSTABLE**

CONDITIONS TO AVOID (STABILITY): None known.

INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIAL TO AVOID): Strong oxidizing agents.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION OR BY-PRODUCTS: Carbon dioxide or carbon monoxide.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

CHEMICAL NAME	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Calcium Carbonate	6450 mg/kg (Rat)	NA	NA
Xylene	4300 mg/kg (Rat)	NA	5000 ppm (Rat)
Toluene	5580 mg/kg (Rat)	12267 mg/kg (Rat)	>20 mg/l (Rat)
Titanium Dioxide	>5000 mg/kg (Rat)	>10,000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	>6.8 mg/l (Rat)

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION: This product contains components that will normally float on water. These components may be harmful to aquatic organisms and may cause long term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. Contains components that are potentially toxic to freshwater and saltwater ecosystems.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD: Disposal should be in accordance with applicable local, regional, national laws and regulations.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

DOT

If the individual container size is less than 5.0 liters (1.3 gallons), the proper shipping name is: Limited Quantity per DOT 173.150.

IATA

UN number	UN1307
UN proper shipping name	Xylenes
Hazard Class	3
Packing group	III
Description	UN1107, Xylenes, 3, III

IMDG

UN number UN1307
 UN proper shipping name Xylenes
 Hazard Class 3
 Packing group III
 EmS-No F-E, S-D
 Description UN1107, Xylenes, 3, III

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**U.S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS**

TSCA: This product and its components are listed on the TSCA 8(b) inventory.

CERCLA: CERCLA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302)

Reportable Quantity – Components

Xylene, 1330-20-7, 1000 lbs.

Toluene: 108-88-3, 1000 lbs.

SARA

311/312 HAZARD CATEGORIES: Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard, Fire Hazard

313 REPORTABLE INGREDIENTS: Xylene 1330-20-7, 10 – 20%
 Toluene 108-88-3, 2 – 10%

CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65: This product contains titanium dioxide and carbon black, chemicals known to the state of California to cause cancer and toluene, a chemical known to the state of California to cause birth defects, or other reproductive harm.

Other state regulations may apply. Check individual state requirements. The following components appear on one or more of the following state hazardous substances lists:

Chemical Name	CAS #	CA	MA	MN	NJ	PA	RI
Calcium Carbonate	1317-65-3	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Xylene	1330-20-7	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Toluene	108-88-3	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Titanium Dioxide	13463-67-7	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Carbon Black	1333-86-4	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Fumed Silica	112945-52-5	No	No	No	No	No	No

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: None

DATE OF PREVIOUS SDS: None

CHANGES SINCE PREVIOUS SDS: New product.

This information relates to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process. Such information is to the best of our knowledge and belief accurate and reliable as of the date compiled. However, no representation, warranty or guarantee, expressed or implied, is made as to its accuracy, reliability, or completeness. It is the user's responsibility to satisfy himself as to the suitability and completeness of such information for his particular use. We do not accept liability for any loss or damage that may occur from the use of this information. Nothing herein shall be construed as a recommendation for uses which infringe valid patents or as extending a license of valid patents.