



1. Identification

Product identifier	USG Durock™ Brand ASC Plus™ Floor Patch
Other means of identification	
SDS number	1400000041
Synonyms	Advanced Skim Coat Plus * ASC+
Recommended use	Floor Patch
Recommended restrictions	Use in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/	Distributor information
Company name United States Gypsum Company	
Address	550 West Adams Street
	Chicago, Illinois 60661-3637
Telephone	1-800-874-4968
Website	www.usg.com
Emergency phone number	1-800-507-8899

2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards	Not classified.	
Health hazards	Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
	Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
	Sensitization, skin	Category 1
	Carcinogenicity (inhalation)	Category 1A
	Specific target organ toxicity, repeated exposure	Category 2 (Lung)

Not classified.

OSHA defined hazards

Label elements



Signal word	Danger	
Hazard statement	Causes serious eye damage. Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction. May cause cancer by inhalation. May cause damage to organs (Lung) through prolonged or repeated exposure.	
Precautionary statement		
Prevention	Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Do not breathe dust. Wash thoroughly after handling. Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.	
Response	If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a poison center/doctor. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.	
Storage	Store locked up.	
Disposal	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.	
Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)	None known.	
Supplemental information	None.	

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical name		CAS number	%
Limestone		1317-65-3	< 50
Calcium aluminate cement		65997-16-2	< 25
TRADE SECRET		Proprietary	< 10
Calcium sulfate dihydrate		13397-24-5	< 5
Perlite		93763-70-3	< 5
Portland Cement		65997-15-1	< 5
TRADE SECRET		Proprietary	< 5
Attapulgite		12174-11-7	< 1
Lithium Carbonate		554-13-2	< 1
Impurities			
Chemical name		CAS number	%
Crystalline silica (Quartz)		14808-60-7	< 2
Composition comments	All concentrations are in percent by weigh	nt.	
4. First-aid measures	percent of respirable crystalline silica four crystalline silica during the normal use of testing.		
nhalation	Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symp		
Skin contact	Remove contaminated clothing immediate eczema or other skin disorders: Seek me contaminated clothing before reuse.		
Eye contact	Do not rub eyes. Immediately flush eyes contact lenses, if present and easy to do.		
Ingestion	Trade Secret hardens and if ingested ma gelatin solutions or large volumes of wate occur.		
Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed	Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may incl vision. Permanent eye damage including tract, skin and eyes. Coughing. Discomfo cause redness and pain. May cause an a exposure may cause chronic effects.	blindness could result. Dusts may rt in the chest. Shortness of breat	 irritate the respire h. Skin irritation.
ndication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed	Provide general supportive measures and Symptoms may be delayed.	d treat symptomatically. Keep vict	im under observa
General information	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical ac (show the label where possible). Ensure to involved, and take precautions to protect	hat medical personnel are aware	of the material(s)
5. Fire-fighting measures			
uitable extinguishing media	Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate	for surrounding materials.	
Insuitable extinguishing nedia	None known.		
specific hazards arising from he chemical	Not a fire hazard.		
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Selection of respiratory protection for firefighting: follow the general fire precautions indicated in the workplace. Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Special protective equipment

and precautions for firefighters

Fire fighting equipment/instructions	Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.	
Specific methods	Cool material exposed to heat with water spray and remove it if no risk is involved.	
General fire hazards	No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.	
6. Accidental release mea	sures	
Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not breathe dust. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.	
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	Avoid dispersal of dust in the air (i.e., clearing dust surfaces with compressed air). Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Collect dust using a vacuum cleaner equipped with HEPA filter. Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk.	
	Large Spills: Wet down with water and dike for later disposal. Shovel the material into waste container. Following product recovery, flush area with water.	
	Small Spills: Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.	
	Never return spills to original containers for re-use. Put material in suitable, covered, labeled containers. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.	
Environmental precautions	Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.	
7. Handling and storage		
Precautions for safe handling	Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Do not breathe dust. Do not get this material in contact with eyes. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged exposure. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.	
Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities	Store locked up. Store in tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).	

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Impurities	Туре	Value	
Crystalline silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7)	TWA	0.05 mg/m3	
US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air C	ontaminants (29 CFR 1910.1	000)	
Components	Туре	Value	Form
Calcium sulfate dihydrate (CAS 13397-24-5)	PEL	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
Limestone (CAS 1317-65-3)	PEL	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
Portland Cement (CAS 65997-15-1)	PEL	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
TRADE SECRET	PEL	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
		5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.10	000)		
Components	Туре	Value	Form
Perlite (CAS 93763-70-3)	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m3	Total dust.

US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Туре	Value	Form
		50 mppcf	Total dust.
		15 mppcf	Respirable fraction.
Portland Cement (CAS 65997-15-1)	TWA	50 mppcf	
TRADE SECRET	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
		50 mppcf	Total dust.
		15 mppcf	Respirable fraction.
Impurities	Туре	Value	Form
Crystalline silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7)	TWA	0.1 mg/m3	Respirable.
		2.4 mppcf	Respirable.
US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values Components	Туре	Value	Form
Calcium sulfate dihydrate (CAS 13397-24-5)	TWA	10 mg/m3	Inhalable fraction.
Portland Cement (CAS 65997-15-1)	TWA	1 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
TRADE SECRET	TWA	10 mg/m3	Inhalable fraction.
		1 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
Impurities	Туре	Value	Form
Crystalline silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7)	TWA	0.025 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chem	ical Hazards		
Components	Туре	Value	Form
Calcium sulfate dihydrate (CAS 13397-24-5)	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable.
		10 mg/m3	Total
Limestone (CAS 1317-65-3)	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable.
		10 mg/m3	Total
Perlite (CAS 93763-70-3)	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable.
		10 mg/m3	Total
Portland Cement (CAS 65997-15-1)	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable.
		10 mg/m3	Total
TRADE SECRET	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable.
		10 mg/m3	Total
Impurities	Туре	Value	Form
Crystalline silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7)	TWA	0.05 mg/m3	Respirable dust.

Biological limit values

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Exposure guidelines

Occupational exposure to nuisance dust (total and respirable) and respirable crystalline silica should be monitored and controlled.

Appropriate engineering controls	Good general ventilation should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. If engineering measures are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of dust particulates below the Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL), suitable respiratory protection must be worn. Provide eyewash station and safety shower.		
Individual protection measures,	such as personal protective equipment		
Eye/face protection	Wear approved safety goggles.		
Skin protection Hand protection	Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.		
Skin protection			
Other	Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing. Use of an impervious apron is recommended.		
Respiratory protection	If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not been established), an approved respirator must be worn. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits. Wear respirator with dust filter.		
Thermal hazards	Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.		
General hygiene considerations	Observe any medical surveillance requirements. 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. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.		

9. Physical and chemical properties

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Арр	earance	
	Physical state	Solid.
	Form	Powder.
	Color	Gray.
Odo	r	Low to no odor.
Odo	or threshold	Not applicable.
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Melt	ting point/freezing point	Not applicable. Not applicable.
Initia rang	al boiling point and boiling ge	Not applicable.
Flas	sh point	Not applicable.
Eva	poration rate	Not applicable.
Flan	nmability (solid, gas)	Not applicable.
Upp	er/lower flammability or exp	losive limits
	Flammability limit - lower (%)	Not applicable.
	Flammability limit - upper (%)	Not applicable.
	Explosive limit - lower (%)	Not applicable.
	Explosive limit - upper (%)	Not applicable.
Vap	or pressure	Not applicable.
Vap	or density	Not applicable.
Rela	ative density	1.9 - 3.2 (H2O=1)
Solu	ubility(ies)	
	Solubility (water)	Soluble.
	ition coefficient ctanol/water)	Not applicable.
Auto	o-ignition temperature	Not applicable.
Dec	omposition temperature	Not applicable.
Visc	osity	Not applicable.

Other information	
Bulk density	82 lb/ft ³
Explosive properties	Not explosive.
Oxidizing properties	Not oxidizing.
VOC	Not applicable.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.		
Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.		
Possibility of hazardous reactions	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.		
Conditions to avoid	Contact with incompatible materials. Exposure to moisture. When mixed with water this product can become very hot. Encasing or making moulds of any body part can cause serious burns that may require surgical removal of affected tissue and even amputation of encased body part.		
Incompatible materials	Acids. Fluorine.		
Hazardous decomposition products	No hazardous decomposition products are known.		

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

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Inhalation	Dust may irritate respiratory system. Prolonged and repeated exposure to airborne respirable crystalline silica can cause silicosis and/or lung cancer.		
Skin contact	Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction.		
Eye contact	Causes serious eye damage.		
Ingestion	May cause discomfort if swalle	wed.	
Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics	Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Permanent eye damage including blindness could result. Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes. Coughing. Discomfort in the chest. Shortness of breath. Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Dermatitis. Rash. Prolonged exposure may cause chronic effects.		
Information on toxicological effe	cts		
Acute toxicity	Not expected to be acutely toxic.		
Skin corrosion/irritation	Causes skin irritation.		
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Causes serious eye damage.		
Respiratory or skin sensitization			
Respiratory sensitization	Not a respiratory sensitizer.		
Skin sensitization	May cause an allergic skin reaction.		
Germ cell mutagenicity	No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.		
Carcinogenicity	Repeated and prolonged exposures to high levels of respirable crystalline silica may cause cancer.		
IARC Monographs. Overall E	Evaluation of Carcinogenicity		
Attapulgite (CAS 12174-1	1-7)	2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans. 3 Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.	
Crystalline silica (Quartz) NTP Report on Carcinogens	z) (CAS 14808-60-7) 1 Carcinogenic to humans.		
Crystalline silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7) Known To Be Human Carcinogen. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)			
Crystalline silica (Quartz)) (CAS 14808-60-7) Cancer		
Reproductive toxicity	This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.		
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	Not classified.		
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	May cause damage to organs (Lung) through prolonged or repeated exposure.		

Aspiration hazard Chronic effects Not an aspiration hazard.

Prolonged and routine inhalation of high levels of respirable crystalline silica particles can lead to the lung disease known as silicosis. Some studies show excess numbers of cases of scleroderma, connective tissue disorders, lupus, rheumatoid arthritis, chronic kidney diseases and end-stage kidney disease in workers exposed to respirable crystalline silica. Pre-existing skin and respiratory conditions including dermatitis, asthma and chronic lung disease might be aggravated by exposure. Occupational exposure to respirable dust and respirable crystalline silica should be monitored and controlled.

12. Ecological information

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The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Components		Species	Test Results
Calcium sulfate dihydrate (C	AS 13397-24-5)		
Aquatic			
Fish	LC50	Fathead minnow (Pimephales promelas)) > 1970 mg/l, 96 hours
TRADE SECRET (CAS Prop	orietary)		
Aquatic			
Fish	LC50	Fathead minnow (Pimephales promelas)) > 1970 mg/l, 96 hours
ersistence and degradability	No data is av	ailable on the degradability of this product.	
oaccumulative potential	No data available.		
obility in soil	No data avail	able.	
her adverse effects	None expecte	ed.	

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions	Dispose in accordance with applicable federal, state, and local regulations. Recycle responsibly.
Local disposal regulations	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.
Hazardous waste code	The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.
Waste from residues / unused products	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.
Contaminated packaging	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

14. Transport information

DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

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Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to Not applicable. Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

15. Regulatory information

US federal regulations This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200. TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)
Not regulated. CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)
Not listed. SARA 304 Emergency release notification
Not regulated. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053) Crystalline silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7) Cancer
lung effects
immune system effects
kidney effects
kidney effects

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Superfund Amendments and Re SARA 302 Extremely hazard		6 (SARA)	
Not listed. SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical	Yes		
Classified hazard categories	Skin corrosion or irritatio Serious eye damage or e Respiratory or skin sensi Carcinogenicity Specific target organ tox	eye irritation itization	eated exposure)
SARA 313 (TRI reporting) Chemical name		CAS number	% by wt.
TRADE SECRET		Proprietary	< 5
Other federal regulations			
Clean Air Act (CAA) Sectior	112 Hazardous Air Pollu	itants (HAPs) List	
Not regulated. Clean Air Act (CAA) Sectior	n 112(r) Accidental Releas	se Prevention (40	CFR 68.130)
Not regulated.			
Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)	Not regulated.		
US state regulations			
US. Massachusetts RTK - S	ubstance List		
Calcium sulfate dihydrate Crystalline silica (Quartz) Limestone (CAS 1317-65 Lithium Carbonate (CAS Perlite (CAS 93763-70-3) Portland Cement (CAS 6 TRADE SECRET (CAS F	(CAS 14808-60-7) 5-3) 554-13-2)) 5997-15-1)		
US. New Jersey Worker and		ow Act	
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US. Rhode Island RTK			
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California Proposition 65			
WARNING: Th the Ca	e State of California to caus	se cancer, and Lith	ding Crystalline silica (Quartz), which is known to ium Carbonate, which is known to the State of uctive harm. For more information go
	65 - CRT: Listed date/Card		nce
Attapulgite (CAS 12		Listed: Dec	ember 28, 1999 ober 1, 1988

California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Developmental toxin

Lithium Carbonate (CAS 554-13-2) US. California. Candidate Chemicals List. Safer Consumer Products Regulations (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 22, 69502.3, subd. (a))

Attapulgite (CAS 12174-11-7) Crystalline silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7) Lithium Carbonate (CAS 554-13-2)

International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	No
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)	No
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)	No
Taiwan	Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI)	No
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes
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*A "Yes" indicates this product complies 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	17-September-2020
Revision date	-
Version #	01
Further information	Crystalline silica: Raw materials in this product contain respirable crystalline silica as an impurity. Exposures to respirable crystalline silica are not expected during the normal use of this product. However, actual levels must be determined by workplace hygiene testing. Prolonged and repeated exposure to airborne free respirable crystalline silica can result in lung disease (i.e., silicosis) and/or lung cancer.
	Trade secret: Is classified as a hazardous substance but is generally considered a safe material for routine use. When used responsibly it is not considered as a dangerous material. However, when mixed with water this product can become very hot. DO NOT attempt to make a cast enclosing any part of the body. Encasing any body part can cause serious burns and even amputation of the encased body part.
	OSHA's "Preventing Skin Problems from Working with Portland Cement" provides excellent guidance and can be downloaded at: https://www.osha.gov/dsg/guidance/cement-guidance.html
	At high doses lithium carbonate has been reported to cause developmental effects in animals by ingestion and adverse effects to kidneys and the central nervous system. Ingestion of lithium carbonate is unlikely in occupational settings.
	NFPA Ratings: Health: 2 Flammability: 0 Physical hazard: 0
	Hazard Scale: 0 = Minimal 1 = Slight 2 = Moderate 3 = Serious 4 = Severe
NFPA ratings	

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