SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Identification
Product identifier USG Durock™ Brand Genius™
Other means of identification
SDS number 14000040007
Recommended use Adhesive.
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
Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2
Sensitization, skin Category 1
Environmental hazards
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, acute hazard Category 3
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term hazard Category 3
OSHA defined hazards Not classified.
Label elements
Signal word Warning
Hazard statement Causes serious eye irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
Precautionary statement
Prevention Wash thoroughly after handling. Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace. Avoid release to the environment. Wear eye protection/face protection. Wear protective gloves.
Response If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
Storage Store away from incompatible materials.
Disposal Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)
None known.
Supplemental information
44% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute toxicity. 44% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment.

3. Composition/information on ingredients
Mixtures
Ammonium hydroxide

1,2-Benzisothiazol-3(2H)-one

Composition comments
All concentrations are in percent by weight. The specific chemical identity and/or exact percentage of component(s) have been withheld as a trade secret.

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation
Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Skin contact
Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. In case of eczema or other skin disorders: Seek medical attention and take along these instructions.

Eye contact
Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Ingestion
Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed
Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Mild skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Dermatitis. Rash.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed
Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

General information
Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media
Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO2).

Unsuitable extinguishing media
Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical
During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed. Carbon oxides (COx). Nitrogen Oxides (NOx). Sulfur Oxides (SOx).

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters
Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Firefighting equipment/instructions
Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

Specific methods
Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

General fire hazards
No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

6. Accidental release measures

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. Avoid breathing mist/vapors. 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
Prevent product from entering drains.

Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Following product recovery, flush area with water. Retain and dispose of contaminated wash water.

Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

Environmental precautions
Avoid release to the environment. Inform appropriate managerial or supervisory personnel of all environmental releases. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling
Avoid breathing mist/vapors. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged exposure. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Avoid release to the environment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.
8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

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

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. Provide eyewash station.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles). Face shield is recommended.

Skin protection

Hand protection

Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves. Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove supplier.

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.

Thermal hazards

Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

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

Appearance

Physical state

Liquid.

Form

Liquid.

Color

White.

Odor

Acrylic.

Odor threshold

Not applicable.

pH

7.5 - 8.8

Melting point/freezing point

Not applicable. / 32 °F (0 °C)

Initial boiling point and boiling range

Not applicable.

Flash point

> 199.9 °F (> 93.3 °C)

Evaporation rate

Not applicable.

Flammability (solid, gas)

Not applicable.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

- Flammability limit - lower (%): Not applicable.
- Flammability limit - upper (%): Not applicable.
- Vapor pressure: Not applicable.
- Vapor density: Not available.
- Relative density: > 0.99
- Solubility(ies):
  - Solubility (water): Not applicable.
- Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not applicable.
- Auto-ignition temperature: Not applicable.
- Decomposition temperature: Not applicable.
- Viscosity: 50000 - 100000 cps

Other information
- Explosive properties: Not explosive.
- Oxidizing properties: Not oxidizing.
- VOC: 2.17 g/L

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: Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Avoid temperatures exceeding the flash point. Contact with incompatible materials.
Incompatible materials: Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products: No hazardous decomposition products are known.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure
- Inhalation: Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.
- Skin contact: May cause an allergic skin reaction. Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.
- Eye contact: Causes serious eye irritation.
- Ingestion: Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics
- Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Mild skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Dermatitis. Rash.

Information on toxicological effects
- Acute toxicity: Not expected to be acutely toxic.

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Germ cell mutagenicity  No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity  Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity  Not listed.

NTP Report on Carcinogens  Not listed.


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  Not classified.

Aspiration hazard  Not an aspiration hazard.

Chronic effects  Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

Further information  The toxicological properties of this material have not been fully investigated. 27% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute toxicity.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity  Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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Persistence and degradability  No data is available on the degradability of this product.

Bioaccumulative potential  No data available for this product.

Mobility in soil  No data available.

Other adverse effects  None known.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions  Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

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. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).

Contaminated packaging  Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

14. Transport information

DOT  Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA  Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG  Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code  Not established.
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)
Ammonium hydroxide (CAS 1336-21-6) Listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification
Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)
Not regulated.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance
Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical

Yes

Classified hazard categories
Serious eye damage or eye irritation
Respiratory or skin sensitization

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)
Not regulated.

Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List
Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)
Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)
Not regulated.

US state regulations

US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List
Ammonium hydroxide (CAS 1336-21-6)

US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act
Ammonium hydroxide (CAS 1336-21-6)

US. Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Law
Ammonium hydroxide (CAS 1336-21-6)

US. Rhode Island RTK
Not regulated.

California Proposition 65
California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): This material is not known to contain any chemicals currently listed as carcinogens or reproductive toxins. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

Issue date 17-December-2018
Revision date -
Version # 01

Further information
NFPA Ratings:
Health: 2
Flammability: 1
Physical hazard: 0

Hazard Scale: 0 = Minimal  1 = Slight  2 = Moderate  3 = Serious  4 = Severe

NFPA ratings

USG Durock™ Brand Genius™
List of abbreviations


Disclaimer

This information is provided without warranty. The information is believed to be correct. This information should be used to make an independent determination of the methods to safeguard workers and the environment.