

Shingle-Mate®

Material Safety Data Sheet

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**GAF Materials Corporation
Material Safety Data Sheet
MSDS # 1009A
MSDS Date: February 2009**

SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

PRODUCT NAME: Shingle-Mate®
TRADE NAME: N/A
CHEMICAL NAME / SYNONYM: N/A
CHEMICAL FAMILY: N/A
MANUFACTURER: GAF Materials Corporation
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NFPA Hazard Rating

HMIS Hazard Rating

Health	1	Health	1
Flammable	1	Flammable	1
Reactive	0	Reactive	0
Special Hazards	-	Personal Protection	A

OSHA HAZARDOUS: Yes No

SECTION 2: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS

CHEMICAL NAME	CAS #	%	OSHA	ACGIH	OTHER
Asphalt	8052-42-4	50 – 60	NE	0.5 mg/m ³ (inhalable fraction, as benzene-soluble aerosol)	REL: 5 mg/m ³ – Ceiling (15 min. fumes)
Non-hazardous ingredients		40 – 50	NE	NE	NE

NE = Not Established

As defined in the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200, the products above are considered articles and do not require an MSDS. However, GAF would like to disclose as much health and safety information as possible to ensure that this product is handled properly. All components listed for this product are bound. When handled as intended and under normal conditions, none of the ingredients should be released and should not pose a significant health risk.

SECTION 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

PRIMARY ROUTE OF EXPOSURE: Skin contact, Eye contact and Inhalation

SIGNS & SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE

Eyes: May cause irritation to the eyes.

Skin: May cause irritation to the skin.

Ingestion: This product is not intended to be ingested. If ingested, it may cause temporary irritation to the gastrointestinal (digestive) tract, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

Inhalation: May cause irritation to the respiratory tract. Fumes from hot asphalt may cause nausea, headache, dizziness.

ACUTE HEALTH HAZARDS: See above.

CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARDS: None known.

CARCINOGENICITY: The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) has determined that there is limited or inadequate evidence in humans for the carcinogenicity of exposure to asphalt. Classified as a Group 2B (Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans).

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

FIRST AID PROCEDURES

EYES: Hold eyelids open and wash with gentle stream of water for at least 15 minutes preferably at eyewash fountain. Seek medical assistance if discomfort continues.

SKIN: Wash affected area thoroughly with soap and water.

INHALATION: Remove to fresh uncontaminated air.

INGESTION: Not expected to be ingested. If this product is ingested, rinse mouth with water to remove material or dust and drink plenty of water to help reduce the irritation. Seek medical assistance.

**NOTES TO PHYSICIANS OR
FIRST AID PROVIDERS:**

This product is a mechanical irritant and is not expected to produce any chronic health effects from acute exposures. Treatment should be directed toward removing the source of irritation with symptomatic treatment as necessary.

SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES

SUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water spray, Alcohol foam, Carbon dioxide or Dry chemical.

**HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION
PRODUCTS:** Carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide.

**RECOMMENDED FIRE FIGHTING
PROCEDURES:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

**UNUSUAL FIRE & EXPLOSION
HAZARDS:** None known.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES: Pick up or sweep up large pieces.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING AND STORAGE: No specific handling or storage requirements.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS: None.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS /
VENTILATION:** N/A

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: N/A

EYE PROTECTION: Safety glasses with side shields.

SKIN PROTECTION: None required. Cotton or leather gloves may be worn when handling for comfort.

OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: None

WORK HYGIENIC PRACTICES: Wash exposed skin prior to eating, drinking or smoking and at the

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION: No information available.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD: This product, as supplied, is not regulated as a hazardous waste by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) under Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) regulations. Comply with state and local regulations for disposal.

RCRA HAZARD CLASS: None

SECTION 14: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

U.S. DOT TRANSPORTATION

PROPER SHIPPING NAME: This product is not classified as a hazardous material for transport.

HAZARD CLASS: N/A

ID NUMBER: N/A

PACKING GROUP: N/A

LABEL STATEMENT: N/A

OTHER: N/A

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

U.S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS

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

CERCLA: None

SARA

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

313 REPORTABLE INGREDIENTS: None

CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65: This product contains a chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer and birth defects, or other reproductive harm.
Cancer: asphalt.

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
Asphalt	8052-42-4	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: None.

DATE OF PREVIOUS MSDS: May 2003

CHANGES SINCE PREVIOUS MSDS: Changed to the ANSI 16 section MSDS format.

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