



DRIVING SURFACE PERFECTION

# GRAVITEX BLACK

## Safety Data Sheet

according to the Work Health and Safety (WHS) Regulations  
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### SECTION 1: Product identifier

#### 1.1. GHS Product identifier

Product form : Mixture  
Trade name : GRAVITEX BLACK  
Product code : GRA/NB1-AU

#### 1.2. Other means of identification

No additional information available

#### 1.3. Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Coating

#### 1.4. Details of manufacturer or importer

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#### 1.5. Emergency phone number

No additional information available

### SECTION 2: Hazard identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the hazardous chemical

##### Classification according to the model Work Health and Safety Regulations (WHS Regulations)

Flammable liquids, Category 3	H226
Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 2	H315
Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2A	H319
Specific target organ toxicity – Single exposure, Category 3, Respiratory tract irritation	H335
Specific target organ toxicity – Repeated exposure, Category 2	H373

#### 2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Hazard pictograms (GHS AU) :



Flame

Exclamation  
mark

Health hazard

Signal word (GHS AU) :

Warning

Contains

Xylene (10 – 30 %); reaction mass of ethylbenzene, m-xylene and p-xylene (< 30 %)

Hazard statements (GHS AU) :

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapour

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

Precautionary statements (GHS AU) :

P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources.  
No smoking.

P260 - Do not breathe fume, spray, vapours.

P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

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P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
P280 - Wear face protection, protective clothing, protective gloves.  
P403+P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.  
P405 - Store locked up.  
P501 - Dispose of contents and container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulation.

### 2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

## SECTION 3: Composition and information on ingredients

Name	CAS-No.	%	Classification according to the model Work Health and Safety Regulations (WHS Regulations)
Xylene	1330-20-7	10 – 30	Flam. Liq. 3, H226 Acute Tox. 4 (Dermal), H312 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation), H332 Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2A, H319 STOT SE 3, H335 STOT RE 2, H373 Asp. Tox. 1, H304
reaction mass of ethylbenzene, m-xylene and p-xylene	-	< 30	Flam. Liq. 3, H226 Acute Tox. 5 (Oral), H303 Acute Tox. 4 (Dermal), H312 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation), H332 Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2A, H319 STOT SE 3, H335 STOT RE 2, H373 Asp. Tox. 1, H304
Other substances (not contributing to the classification of this product)	-	87.23 – 90.42	-

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of necessary first-aid measures

First-aid measures general	: Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.
First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Rinse skin with water/shower. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: 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.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.

### 4.2. Symptoms caused by exposure

Symptoms/effects after inhalation	: May cause respiratory irritation.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Irritation.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Eye irritation.

### 4.3. Medical attention and special treatment

Other medical advice or treatment	: Treat symptomatically.
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### SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Dry powder. Foam. Carbon dioxide.

#### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire hazard : Flammable liquid and vapour.  
Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

#### 5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.  
Hazchem Code : \* 3Y

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

##### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area. No open flames, no sparks, and no smoking. Do not breathe fume, spray, vapours. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

##### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

#### 6.3. Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Take up liquid spill into absorbent material. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Flammable vapours may accumulate in the container. Use explosion-proof equipment. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not breathe fume, vapours, spray. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.  
Hygiene measures : Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures : Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.  
Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls and personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters - exposure standards

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### Xylene (1330-20-7)

#### New Zealand - Occupational Exposure Limits

Local name	Xylene (Dimethylbenzene)
WES-TWA (OEL TWA) [1]	217 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
WES-TWA (OEL TWA) [2]	50 ppm
Regulatory reference	Workplace Exposure Standards and Biological Exposure Indices, 12th Edition

#### New Zealand - Biological Exposure Indices

Local name	Xylene
BEI	1.5 g/l Parameter: Methylhippuric acid - Medium: Urine - Sampling time: End of shift
Regulatory reference	Workplace Exposure Standards and Biological Exposure Indices, 12th Edition

### 8.2. Biological Monitoring

No additional information available

### 8.3. Engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

### 8.4. Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

Hand protection : Protective gloves  
Eye protection : Safety glasses  
Skin and body protection : Wear suitable protective clothing  
Respiratory protection : In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

#### Personal protective equipment symbol(s)



Environmental exposure controls : Avoid release to the environment.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid  
Appearance : Viscous.  
Colour : Black  
Odour : Xylenes  
Odour threshold : No data available  
pH : No data available  
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1) : No data available  
Melting point / Freezing point : No data available  
Boiling point : 140 °C  
Flash point : 24 °C  
Auto-ignition temperature : No data available  
Flammability : No data available  
Vapour pressure : No data available  
Relative density : No data available  
Density : Density: 1.24 g/cm<sup>3</sup>  
Solubility : No data available  
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow) : No data available  
Viscosity, kinematic : 34.3 mm<sup>2</sup>/s  
Explosive properties : No data available  
Explosive limits : No data available  
Minimum ignition energy : No data available  
VOC content : 518 g/l  
VOC content - Regulatory : No data available

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### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	: Flammable liquid and vapour.
Chemical stability	: Stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	: No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.
Conditions to avoid	: Avoid contact with hot surfaces. Heat. No flames, no sparks. Eliminate all sources of ignition.
Incompatible materials	: No additional information available
Hazardous decomposition products	: Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	: Not classified

#### reaction mass of ethylbenzene, m-xylene and p-xylene

LD50 oral rat	3523 mg/kg (EU Method B.1 (Acute Toxicity (Oral), rat, male)
LD50 dermal rabbit	12126 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rabbit, Animal sex: male
LC50 Inhalation - Rat [ppm]	6350 ppm/4h (4 h, EU Method B.2 (Acute Toxicity (Inhalation)), rat, male, Inhalation, vapours)
ATE AU (oral)	3523 mg/kg bodyweight
ATE AU (dermal)	1100 mg/kg bodyweight
ATE AU (gases)	6350 ppmv/4h
ATE AU (vapours)	11 mg/l/4h
ATE AU (dust,mist)	1.5 mg/l/4h

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LD50 oral rat	> 4000 mg/kg bodyweight (Equivalent or similar to EU Method B.1, Rat, Female, Experimental value, Oral, 14 day(s))
LD50 dermal rat	12126 mg/kg (Non-GLP, read-across from supporting substance, single dermal dose under occlusion followed by observation for 14 days)
LD50 dermal rabbit	12126 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rabbit, Animal sex: male
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	29.09 mg/l (Equivalent or similar to EU Method B.2, 4 h, Rat, Male, Experimental value, Inhalation (vapours), 14 day(s))
LC50 Inhalation - Rat [ppm]	6700 ppm/4h (EU Method B.2 (Acute Toxicity (Inhalation)), 4h, rat, male)
ATE AU (dermal)	1100 mg/kg bodyweight
ATE AU (gases)	6700 ppmv/4h
ATE AU (vapours)	11 mg/l/4h
ATE AU (dust,mist)	1.5 mg/l/4h

Skin corrosion/irritation	: Causes skin irritation.
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes serious eye irritation.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
STOT-single exposure	: May cause respiratory irritation.

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STOT-single exposure	May cause respiratory irritation.
STOT-repeated exposure	: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
reaction mass of ethylbenzene, m-xylene and p-xylene	
LOAEL (oral, rat, 90 days)	150 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Animal sex: male, Guideline: OECD Guideline 408 (Repeated Dose 90-Day Oral Toxicity in Rodents), Guideline: EPA OPP 82-1 (90-Day Oral Toxicity)
NOAEL (oral, rat, 90 days)	150 mg/kg bodyweight/day ( OECD Guideline 408 (Repeated Dose 90-Day Oral Toxicity in Rodents), female)
STOT-repeated exposure	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Xylene (1330-20-7)	
LOAEL (oral, rat, 90 days)	150 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Animal sex: male, Guideline: OECD Guideline 408 (Repeated Dose 90-Day Oral Toxicity in Rodents), Guideline: EPA OPP 82-1 (90-Day Oral Toxicity)
STOT-repeated exposure	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified.
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Viscosity, kinematic	34.3 mm <sup>2</sup> /s

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

According to the National Code of Practice for the Preparation of Material Safety Data Sheets, Environmental classification information is not mandatory. Information relevant for GHS classification is available on request

### 12.1. Ecotoxicity

Ecology - general	: The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms nor to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute)	: Not classified
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic)	: Not classified

reaction mass of ethylbenzene, m-xylene and p-xylene	
LC50 - Fish [1]	2.6 mg/l Test organisms (species): Oncorhynchus mykiss (previous name: Salmo gairdneri)
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	> 3.4 mg/l Test organisms (species): Ceriodaphnia dubia
NOEC chronic fish	> 1.3 mg/l Test organisms (species): Oncorhynchus mykiss (previous name: Salmo gairdneri) Duration: '56 d'
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EC50 - Crustacea [1]	> 3.4 mg/l Test organisms (species): Ceriodaphnia dubia
ErC50 algae	4.36 mg/l (OECD 201: Alga, Growth Inhibition Test, 73 h, Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)
NOEC chronic fish	> 1.3 mg/l Test organisms (species): Oncorhynchus mykiss (previous name: Salmo gairdneri) Duration: '56 d'
BCF - Fish [1]	7.2 – 25.9 (56 day(s), Oncorhynchus mykiss, Flow-through system, Fresh water, Read-across)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	3.2 (Read-across, 20 °C)

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Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	2.73 (log Koc, Equivalent or similar to OECD 121, Read-across)
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### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

#### Xylene (1330-20-7)

Persistence and degradability	Biodegradable in the soil. Readily biodegradable in water.
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### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

#### Xylene (1330-20-7)

BCF - Fish [1]	7.2 – 25.9 (56 day(s), Oncorhynchus mykiss, Flow-through system, Fresh water, Read-across)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	3.2 (Read-across, 20 °C)
Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	2.73 (log Koc, Equivalent or similar to OECD 121, Read-across)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (BCF < 500).

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

#### Xylene (1330-20-7)

Surface tension	28.01 – 29.76 mN/m (25 °C)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	3.2 (Read-across, 20 °C)
Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	See section 12.1 on ecotoxicology 2.73 (log Koc, Equivalent or similar to OECD 121, Read-across)
Ecology - soil	Low potential for adsorption in soil. May be harmful to plant growth, blooming and fruit formation.

### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Ozone	: Not classified
Other adverse effects	: No additional information available

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Fluorinated greenhouse gases	False
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Fluorinated greenhouse gases	False
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Fluorinated greenhouse gases	False
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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods	: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.
Additional information	: Flammable vapours may accumulate in the container.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1. UN number

UN-No. (ADG)	: 1263
UN-No. (IMDG)	: 1263
UN-No. (IATA)	: 1263

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### 14.2. UN Proper Shipping Name

Proper Shipping Name (ADG) : PAINT  
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : PAINT  
Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : Paint

### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

#### ADG

Transport hazard class(es) (ADG) : 3  
Danger labels (ADG) : 3  
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#### IMDG

Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG) : 3  
Danger labels (IMDG) : 3  
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#### IATA

Transport hazard class(es) (IATA) : 3  
Danger labels (IATA) : 3  
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### 14.4. Packing group

Packing group (ADG) : III - Substances presenting low danger  
Packing group (IMDG) : III  
Packing group (IATA) : III

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Marine pollutant : No  
Dangerous for the environment : No  
Other information : No supplementary information available

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

Specific storage requirement : No data available  
Shock sensitivity : No data available

### 14.7. Additional information

Other information : No supplementary information available

#### Transport by road and rail

UN-No. (ADG) : 1263  
Special provision (ADG) : 163, 223, 367  
Limited quantities (ADG) : 5I  
Excepted quantities (ADG) : E1  
Packing instructions (ADG) : P001, IBC03, LP01  
Special packing provisions (ADG) : PP1  
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (ADG) : T2  
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions (ADG) : TP1, TP29

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### Transport by sea

UN-No. (IMDG)	: 1263
Special provisions (IMDG)	: 163, 223, 367, 955
Limited quantities (IMDG)	: 5 L
Excepted quantities (IMDG)	: E1
Packing instructions (IMDG)	: P001, LP01
Special packing provisions (IMDG)	: PP1
IBC packing instructions (IMDG)	: IBC03
Tank instructions (IMDG)	: T2
Tank special provisions (IMDG)	: TP1, TP29
EmS-No. (Fire)	: F-E - FIRE SCHEDULE Echo - NON-WATER-REACTIVE FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS
EmS-No. (Spillage)	: S-E - SPILLAGE SCHEDULE Echo - FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS, FLOATING ON WATER
Stowage category (IMDG)	: A
Properties and observations (IMDG)	: Miscibility with water depends upon the composition.

### Air transport

UN-No. (IATA)	: 1263
PCA Excepted quantities (IATA)	: E1
PCA Limited quantities (IATA)	: Y344
PCA limited quantity max net quantity (IATA)	: 10L
PCA packing instructions (IATA)	: 355
PCA max net quantity (IATA)	: 60L
CAO packing instructions (IATA)	: 366
CAO max net quantity (IATA)	: 220L
Special provisions (IATA)	: A3, A72, A192
ERG code (IATA)	: 3L

### 14.8. Hazchem or Emergency Action Code

Hazchem Code	: * 3Y
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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

No additional information available

Xylene (1330-20-7)	
Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act	
HSNO Approval Number	HSR000983

ethylbenzene (100-41-4)	
Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act	
HSNO Approval Number	HSR001151

### 15.2. International agreements

No additional information available

## SECTION 16: Other information

Classification	
Flam. Liq. 3	H226
Skin Irrit. 2	H315
Eye Irrit. 2A	H319
STOT SE 3	H335

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Classification	
STOT RE 2	H373

Full text of H-statements	
Acute Tox. 4 (Dermal)	Acute toxicity (dermal), Category 4
Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation)	Acute toxicity (inhal.), Category 4
Acute Tox. 5 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 5
Asp. Tox. 1	Aspiration hazard, Category 1
Eye Irrit. 2A	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2A
Flam. Liq. 3	Flammable liquids, Category 3
Skin Irrit. 2	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 2
STOT RE 2	Specific target organ toxicity – Repeated exposure, Category 2
STOT SE 3	Specific target organ toxicity – Single exposure, Category 3, Respiratory tract irritation
H226	Flammable liquid and vapour
H303	May be harmful if swallowed
H304	May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways
H312	Harmful in contact with skin
H315	Causes skin irritation
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H332	Harmful if inhaled
H335	May cause respiratory irritation
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

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