



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

This safety data sheet was created pursuant to the requirements of:  
US OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200) and Canada WHMIS  
which includes the amended Hazardous Products Act (HPA) and the Hazardous Products  
Regulation (HPR)

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## 1. Identification

### Product identifier

**Product Name** OPTIMUM BLACK GASKET MAKER 3 OZ.

### Other means of identification

**Product Code** 27037

**Synonyms** CAN Item Number 59823

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

**Recommended Use** Sealant

**Restrictions on use** No information available

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Manufacturer Address

ITW Permatex, Inc.  
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(866) 732-9502

#### May Also Be Distributed by:

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Oakville, ON Canada L6H 6M5  
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**E-mail address** mail@permatex.com

### Emergency telephone number

**Company Phone Number** 866-732-9502

**24 Hour Emergency Phone Number** Chem-Tel: 800-255-3924  
International Emergency:  
00+1+ 813-248-0585  
Contract Number: MIS0003453

**24-hour emergency phone number** No information available

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

Carcinogenicity	Category 2
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### Label elements

Contains CARBON BLACK

**Warning****Hazard statements**

Suspected of causing cancer.

**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use.

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and face protection.

**Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

**Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up.

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations as applicable.

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47.563 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity (vapor).

10.2191 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity (dust/mist).

**Other Information**

May be harmful in contact with skin. May be harmful if inhaled.

### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

**Substance**

Not applicable.

**Mixture**

**Synonyms** CAN Item Number 59823.

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Hazardous Material Information Review Act registry number (HMIRA registry #)	Date HMIRA filed and date exemption granted (if applicable)
CALCIUM CARBONATE	471-34-1	15-40%	-	-
STEARIC ACID	57-11-4	1-5%	-	-
CARBON BLACK	1333-86-4	0.5-1.5%	-	-

### 4. First-aid measures

**Description of first aid measures****General advice**

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

**Inhalation**

Remove to fresh air.

**Eye contact** Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a physician.

**Skin contact** Wash skin with soap and water.

**Ingestion** Rinse mouth.

#### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** No information available.

**Effects of Exposure** Suspected of causing cancer.

#### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Note to physicians** Treat symptomatically.

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

**Large Fire** CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical** No information available.

**Hazardous combustion products** No information available.

#### **Explosion data**

**Sensitivity to mechanical impact** None.  
**Sensitivity to static discharge** None.

**Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters** Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

## 6. Accidental release measures

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

**Personal precautions** Ensure adequate ventilation.

**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

#### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

**Methods for cleaning up** Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

**Prevention of secondary hazards** Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

## 7. Handling and storage

#### Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on safe handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

**8. Exposure controls/personal protection**

**Control Parameters**

**Exposure Limits**

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH
CALCIUM CARBONATE 471-34-1	-	-	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; total dust TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; respirable dust
STEARIC ACID 57-11-4	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> inhalable particulate matter TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable particulate matter	-	-
CARBON BLACK 1333-86-4	TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> inhalable particulate matter	TWA: 3.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) TWA: 3.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 3.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , Carbon black in presence of Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons PAH IDLH: 1750 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

Chemical name	Alberta	British Columbia	Ontario	Quebec
CALCIUM CARBONATE 471-34-1	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ;	-	-	TWAEV: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; total dust
STEARIC ACID 57-11-4	-	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; inhalable particulate matter TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; respirable particulate matter	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; inhalable particulate matter TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; respirable particulate matter	TWAEV: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; inhalable aerosol fraction TWAEV: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; respirable aerosol fraction
CARBON BLACK 1333-86-4	TWA: 3.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ;	TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; inhalable	TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; inhalable particulate matter	TWAEV: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; inhalable dust

Chemical name	Manitoba	New Brunswick	Newfoundland and Labrador	Nova Scotia
STEARIC ACID	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; inhalable particulate matter TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; respirable particulate matter		TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; inhalable particulate matter TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; respirable particulate matter	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; inhalable particulate matter TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; respirable particulate matter
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Chemical name	Nunavut	Prince Edward Island	Saskatchewan	Yukon
CALCIUM CARBONATE	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; STEL: 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ;		TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; STEL: 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ;	TWA: 30 mppcf; TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; STEL: 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ;
STEARIC ACID		TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; inhalable particulate matter TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ;		

Chemical name	Nunavut	Prince Edward Island	Saskatchewan	Yukon
		respirable particulate matter		
CARBON BLACK	TWA: 3.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; STEL: 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ;	TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; inhalable particulate matter	TWA: 3.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; STEL: 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ;	TWA: 3.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ; STEL: 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ;

### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering controls** Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Hand protection** Wear suitable gloves.

**Skin and body protection** Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Respiratory protection** Use appropriate respiratory protection.

**General hygiene considerations** Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

<b>Physical state</b>	Paste / Gel Liquid
<b>Appearance</b>	Black Paste
<b>Color</b>	Black
<b>Odor</b>	No information available
<b>Odor threshold</b>	No information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
<b>pH</b>	7-8	
<b>Melting point / freezing point</b>	No data available	
<b>Boiling point / boiling range</b>	No data available	
<b>Flash point</b>	> 93 °C / 199.4 °F	Polymerization
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	< 1	Tag Closed Cup
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	No data available	Butyl acetate = 1
<b>Flammability Limit in Air</b>		
<b>Upper flammability limit:</b>	No data available	
<b>Lower flammability limit:</b>	No data available	
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	<5 mm Hg @ 80°F	
<b>Vapor density</b>	3.0	Air = 1
<b>Relative density</b>	1.34	
<b>Water solubility</b>	No Data Available	
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	No data available	
<b>Partition coefficient</b>	No data available	
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Kinematic viscosity</b>	No data available	
<b>Dynamic viscosity</b>	No data available	
<b>Particle characteristics</b>		
<b>Particle Size</b>	No data available	

**Particle Size Distribution** No data available

**Other information**

**Explosive properties** No information available  
**Oxidizing properties** No information available  
**Softening point** No information available  
**Molecular weight** No information available  
**VOC Content** <5%  
**Density** No information available  
**Bulk density** No information available

## 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity** No information available.

**Chemical stability** Stable under normal conditions.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions** None under normal processing.

**Hazardous polymerization** No information available.

**Conditions to avoid** None known based on information supplied.

**Incompatible materials** None known based on information supplied.

**Hazardous decomposition products** None known based on information supplied.

## 11. Toxicological information

**Information on likely routes of exposure**

**Product Information**

**Inhalation** May be harmful if inhaled.

**Eye contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

**Skin contact** May be harmful in contact with skin.

**Ingestion** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

**Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics**

**Symptoms** No information available.

**Acute toxicity**

**Numerical measures of toxicity**

**The following ATE values have been calculated for the mixture**

ATEmix (oral)	15,496.40 mg/kg
ATEmix (dermal)	4,206.80 mg/kg
ATEmix (inhalation-gas)	99,999.00 ppm
ATEmix (inhalation-vapor)	99,999.00 mg/l
ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)	7.21 mg/l

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**Component Information**

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
CALCIUM CARBONATE 471-34-1	= 6450 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 2000 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 3 mg/L ( Rat ) 4 h
STEARIC ACID 57-11-4	= 4600 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 2000 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	-
CARBON BLACK 1333-86-4	> 10000 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 2000 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	> 4.6 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ( Rat ) 4 h

**Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure****Skin corrosion/irritation** No information available.**Serious eye damage/eye irritation** No information available.**Respiratory or skin sensitization** No information available.**Germ cell mutagenicity** No information available.**Carcinogenicity** Contains a known or suspected carcinogen. Classification based on data available for ingredients. Suspected of causing cancer.

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Chemical name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
CARBON BLACK 1333-86-4	A3 - Confirmed Animal Carcinogen with Unknown Relevance to Humans	Group 2B - Possibly carcinogenic to humans	-	Present

**Reproductive toxicity** No information available.**STOT - single exposure** No information available.**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available.**Aspiration hazard** No information available.**12. Ecological information****Ecotoxicity****Persistence and degradability** No information available.**Bioaccumulation****Component Information****Other adverse effects** No information available.**13. Disposal considerations****Waste treatment methods**

<b>Waste from residues/unused products</b>	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.
<b>Contaminated packaging</b>	Do not reuse empty containers.
<b>US EPA Waste Number</b>	Waste designations and classifications should be determined by the end user based on the application for which the product was used.

## 14. Transport information

<b>DOT</b>	Not regulated
<b>TDG</b>	Not regulated
<b>MEX</b>	Not regulated
<b>ICAO (air)</b>	Not regulated
<b>IATA</b>	Not regulated
<b>IMDG</b>	Not regulated

## 15. Regulatory information

### Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### International Regulations

**The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer** Not applicable

**The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants** Not applicable

**The Rotterdam Convention** Not applicable

#### International Inventories

<b>TSCA</b>	Complies
<b>DSL/NDSL</b>	Complies
<b>EINECS/ELINCS</b>	Complies
<b>ENCS</b>	Complies
<b>IECSC</b>	Complies
<b>KECI</b>	Complies
<b>PICCS</b>	Complies
<b>AICS</b>	Complies
<b>NZIoC</b>	Complies

#### **Legend:**

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

#### US Federal Regulations

**SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

**CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

**US State Regulations****California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals:

Chemical name	California Proposition 65
CARBON BLACK - 1333-86-4	*Carcinogen (airborne, unbound particles of respirable size)

\*The asterisked chemical(s) listed are not subject to Proposition 65 because they are not airborne in the finished product

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
CARBON BLACK 1333-86-4	X	X	X
ALUMINIUM POWDER 7429-90-5	X	X	X
SILICON DIOXIDE 7631-86-9	-	X	X

**U.S. EPA Label Information**

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

**16. Other information**

<b>NFPA</b>	<b>Health hazards</b> 2	<b>Flammability</b> 2	<b>Instability</b> 0	<b>Special hazards</b> -
<b>HMIS</b>	<b>Health hazards</b> *	<b>Flammability</b> 2	<b>Physical hazards</b> 0	<b>Personal protection</b> X

Chronic Hazard Star Legend

\* = Chronic Health Hazard

**Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet****Legend**

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern for Authorization:

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative, and Toxic (PBT) Substances

vPvB: Very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative (vPvB) Substances

STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity

ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate

LC50: 50% Lethal Concentration

LD50: 50% Lethal Dose

**Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Maximum limit value	*	Skin designation
+	Sensitizers		

**Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS**

U.S. Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database  
European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals  
Food Research Journal  
Hazardous Substance Database  
International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)  
Japan National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)  
Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)  
NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)  
National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)  
National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)  
U.S. National Toxicology Program (NTP)  
New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)  
International Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) Environment, Health, and Safety Publications  
International Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) High Production Volume Chemicals Program  
International Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) Screening Information Data Set  
United Nations World Health Organization (WHO)

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