

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

# 1. Identification

Product identifier	GEOTEX®	
Other means of identification	Not available.	
Recommended use	Not available.	
<b>Recommended restrictions</b>	None known.	
Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/	Distributor information	
Manufacturer		
Company name Address	CETCO, an MTI Company 2870 Forbs Avenue Hoffman Estates, IL 60192 United States	
Telephone	General Information	800 527-9948
Website	http://www.cetco.com/	
E-mail	safety.data@amcol.com	
Emergency phone number		
Americas	1.866.519.4752 (US, Canada, I	Mexico) 1 760 476 3962 Access Code 333562
2 Hazard(c) identification		

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards	Not classified.
Health hazards	Not classified.
Environmental hazards	Not classified.
OSHA defined hazards	Not classified.
Label elements	
Hazard symbol	None.
Signal word	None.
Hazard statement	The mixture does not meet the criteria for classification.
Prevention	Observe good industrial hygiene practices.
Response	If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
Storage	Store away from incompatible materials.
Disposal	Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.
Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)	None known.
Supplemental information	Not applicable.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
CARBON BLACK		1333-86-4	0.9857072449
Other components below reportable leve	els		99.014292755

\*Designates that a specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

4. First-aid measures	
Inhalation	No specific treatment is necessary since this material is not likely to be hazardous by inhalation.
Skin contact	Not relevant, due to the form of the product.
Eye contact	Not likely, due to the form of the product. Any material that contacts the eye should be washed out immediately with water. If easy to do, remove contact lenses.
Ingestion	Not likely, due to the form of the product. If ingestion of a large amount does occur, seek medical attention.
Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed	Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

In case of shortness of breath, give oxygen.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed **General information** 

In case of shortness of breath, give oxygen. Keep victim warm. Keep victim under observation.

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media	Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO2).
Unsuitable extinguishing media	None known.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.
Fire-fighting equipment/instructions	In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray.
Specific methods	Cool containers exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out.
General fire hazards	No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions,	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Keep out of
protective equipment and	low areas. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate
emergency procedures	protective clothing. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.
Methods and materials for	Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Following product recovery, flush area with water.
containment and cleaning up	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 Avoid prolonged exposure. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Conditions for safe storage, Store in original tightly closed container. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS). including any incompatibilities

# 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### **Occupational exposure limits**

#### US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Туре	Value	
CARBON BLACK (CAS 1333-86-4)	PEL	3.5 mg/m3	
Additional components	Туре	Value	Form
INERT OR NUISANCE DUSTS (CAS SEQ250)	PEL	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
(0.10 020200)		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 C	FR 1910.1000)		
Additional components	Туре	Value	Form
INERT OR NUISANCE DUSTS (CAS SEQ250)	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
		50 mppcf	Total dust.
		15 mppcf	Respirable fraction.
US. ACGIH Threshold Lim	it Values		
Components	Туре	Value	Form
CARBON BLACK (CAS 1333-86-4)	TWA	3 mg/m3	Inhalable fraction.
US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide	to Chemical Hazards		
Components	Туре	Value	
CARBON BLACK (CAS 1333-86-4)	TWA	0.1 mg/m3	
logical limit values	No biological exposure limits noted	for the ingredient(s).	
propriate engineering trols	Not available.		

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

Eye/face protection	It is a good industrial hygiene practice to minimize eye contact. If contact is likely, safety glasses with side shields are recommended.	
Hand protection	Wear protective gloves.	
Other	Not available.	
<b>Respiratory protection</b>	Not available.	
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.	

#### 9. Physical and chemical properties

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Appearance	Not available.
Physical state	Solid.
Form	Solid.
Color	Not available.
Odor	Not available.
Odor threshold	Not available.
рН	Not available.
Melting point/freezing point	495.5 °F (257.5 °C) estimated
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not available.
Flash point	Not available.
Evaporation rate	Not available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not available.
Upper/lower flammability or exp	losive limits
Flammability limit - lower (%)	Not available.
Flammability limit - upper (%)	Not available.
Explosive limit - lower (%)	Not available.
Explosive limit - upper (%)	Not available.
Vapor pressure	Not available.
Vapor density	Not available.
Relative density	Not available.
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility (water)	Not available.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available.
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
Viscosity	Not available.
Other information	
Density	1.80 g/cm3 estimated
Specific gravity	1.8 estimated
10. Stability and reactivity	
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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.	
Incompatible materials	Strong oxidizing agents.	
Hazardous decomposition products	Carbon monoxide. Irritating and/or toxic fumes and gases may be emitted upon the products decomposition.	

# **11. Toxicological information**

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

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Ingestion		Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.	
Inhalation	Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.		
Skin contact	Not available.		
Eye contact	Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.		
Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics	Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.		
Information on toxicological eff	ects		
Acute toxicity			
Components	Species	Test Results	
CARBON BLACK (CAS 1333-86-4	4)		
Acute			
Oral			
LD50	Rat	> 8000 mg/kg	
* Estimates for product may b	e based on additional compon	ient data not shown.	
Skin corrosion/irritation	Prolonged skin contact may		
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Direct contact with eyes may		
Respiratory or skin sensitizatio	n		
Respiratory sensitization	Not available.		
Skin sensitization	This product is not expected	I to cause skin sensitization.	
Germ cell mutagenicity		e product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are	
	mutagenic or genotoxic.		
Carcinogenicity	Contains a substance which may cause cancer by inhalation.		
	Evaluation of Carcinogenicit	-	
CARBON BLACK (CAS	,	2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.	
Reproductive toxicity		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 available.		
Chronic effects	Prolonged inhalation may be harmful. Prolonged exposure may cause chronic effects.		
12. Ecological information	1		
Ecotoxicity	The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the		
Persistence and degradability	possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment No data is available on the degradability of this product.		
Bioaccumulative potential	No data available.		
Mobility in soil	No data available.		
Other adverse effects	No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.		
13. Disposal consideratio	ns		
Disposal instructions	Collect and reclaim or dispo	se in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site.	
Local disposal regulations	Dispose in accordance with	all applicable regulations.	
Hazardous waste code	The waste code should be a disposal company.	assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste	
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).		
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**Contaminated packaging** Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

14. Transport	information
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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 toNot applicable.Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 andthe IBC Code

### 15. Regulatory information

US federal regulations

All components are on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List.

CERCLA/SARA Hazardous Substances - Not applicable.

#### CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

Not listed.

US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not listed.

#### Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Yes

Hazard categories

Immediate Hazard - No Delayed Hazard - Yes Fire Hazard - No Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No Yes

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical

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 Not regulated.

# (SDWA)

**US state regulations** WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.

#### US - Pennsylvania RTK - Hazardous Substances: Listed substance

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US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List CARBON BLACK (CAS 1333-86-4)

US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

Not regulated.

### US. Rhode Island RTK

Not regulated.

### US. California Proposition 65

WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.

### US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Carcinogenic substance

CARBON BLACK (CAS 1333-86-4) Listed: February 21, 2003

### 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)	No
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	No
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	No

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/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)	No
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	No
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	No
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	No

\*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply 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	07-August-2014
Revision date	07-May-2015
Version #	04
Further information	HMIS® is a registered trade and service mark of the NPCA.
HMIS® ratings	Health: 1* Flammability: 0 Physical hazard: 0
NFPA ratings	Health: 1 Flammability: 0 Instability: 0
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