

SECTION 1: Identification of the Substance/Mixture and of the Company/Undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product name : OLC AW 12X40
 Product form : Substance
 CAS No : 7440-44-0
 Product code : 27034
 Synonyms : Activated carbon; Steam activated carbon

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the substance/mixture : Adsorbent

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Calgon Carbon Corporation
 P.O. Box 717
 Pittsburgh, PA 15230
 412-787-6700

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : CHEMTREC (24 HRS): 1-800-424-9300

SECTION 2: Hazards Identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS-US classification

Combustible Dust

Not classified as a simple asphyxiant. Product does not displace oxygen in the ambient atmosphere, but slowly adsorbs oxygen from a confined space when wet. Under conditions of anticipated and recommended use, product does not pose an asphyxiation hazard.

2.2. Label elements

GHS-US labeling

Signal word (GHS-US) : **Warning**
 Hazard statements (GHS-US) : May form combustible dust concentrations in air.

2.3. Other hazards

Other hazards not contributing to the classification : Wet activated carbon can deplete oxygen from air in enclosed spaces. If use in an enclosed space is required, procedures for work in an oxygen deficient environment should be followed.

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS-US)

No data available

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

3.1. Substance

Name	Product identifier	%
Activated carbon	(CAS No) 7440-44-0	< 100

3.2. Mixture

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First Aid Measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : If exposed or concerned, get medical attention/advice. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Never give anything to an unconscious person.

First-aid measures after inhalation : IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a comfortable position for breathing.

First-aid measures after skin contact : IF ON SKIN (or clothing): Remove affected clothing and wash all exposed skin with water for at least 15 minutes.

First-aid measures after eye contact : IF IN EYES: Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing.

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First-aid measures after ingestion : IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth thoroughly. Do not induce vomiting without advice from poison control center or medical professional. Get medical attention if you feel unwell.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use. Dust may cause irritation to the respiratory system.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Dust may cause irritation.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Dust may cause irritation and redness.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No additional information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting Measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Carbon dioxide. Dry chemical. Foam. Sand.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : None known.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard : Dust may be combustible under specific conditions. May be ignited by heat, sparks or flames.

Explosion hazard : Dust may form explosive mixture in air.

Reactivity : No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use. Carbon oxides may be emitted upon combustion of material.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : Wear NIOSH-approved self-contained breathing apparatus suitable for the surrounding fire. Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Evacuate area.

SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Evacuate area. Keep upwind. Ventilate area. Spill should be handled by trained clean-up crews properly equipped with respiratory equipment and full chemical protective gear (see Section 8).

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

No additional information available.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

No additional information available.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Avoid release to the environment. Product is not soluble, but can cause particulate emission if discharged into waterways. Dike all entrances to sewers and drains to avoid introducing material to waterways. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment : Sweep or shovel spills into appropriate container for disposal. Minimize generation of dust.

Methods for cleaning up : Sweep or shovel spills into appropriate container for disposal. Minimize generation of dust. Dispose of material in compliance with local, state, and federal regulations.

6.4. Reference to other sections

No additional information available.

SECTION 7: Handling and Storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Avoid dust formation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Keep container tightly closed in a cool, dry, and well-ventilated place. Keep away from ignition sources.

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SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

8.1. Control parameters

Activated carbon (7440-44-0)*

OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m³)

≤ 5 (Respirable Fraction)

≤ 15 (Total Dust)

*Exposure limits are for inert or nuisance dust. No specific exposure limits have been established for this activated carbon product by OSHA or ACGIH.

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

: Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. Use explosion-proof equipment with flammable materials. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Wet activated carbon can deplete oxygen from air in enclosed spaces. If use in an enclosed space is required, procedures for work in an oxygen deficient environment should be followed.

Personal protective equipment

: Gloves. Safety glasses. Protective clothing. Under insufficient ventilation conditions wear respiratory protection.



Hand protection

: Gloves should be classified under Standard EN 374 or ASTM F1296. Suggested glove materials are: Neoprene, Nitrile/butadiene rubber, Polyethylene, Ethyl vinyl alcohol laminate, PVC or vinyl. Suitable gloves for this specific application can be recommended by the glove supplier.

Eye protection

: Use eye protection suitable to the environment. Avoid direct contact with eyes.

Skin and body protection

: Wear long sleeves, and chemically impervious PPE/coveralls to minimize bodily exposure.

Respiratory protection

: Use NIOSH-approved dust/particulate respirator. Where vapor, mist, or dust exceed PELs or other applicable OELs, use NIOSH-approved respiratory protective equipment.

SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Solid
Appearance	: Granular, powder, or pelletized substance
Color	: Black
Odor	: Odorless
Odor threshold	: No data available
pH	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	: Not applicable
Melting point	: Not applicable
Freezing point	: Not applicable
Boiling point	: Not applicable
Flash point	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: > 325 °C
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: > 325 °C
Vapor pressure	: Not applicable
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: Not applicable
Apparent density	: 0.3 - 0.75 g/cc
Solubility	: Insoluble
Log Pow	: Not applicable
Log Kow	: Not applicable
Viscosity, kinematic	: Not applicable
Viscosity, dynamic	: Not applicable
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidising properties	: No data available
Explosive limits	: No data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available.

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SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under use and storage conditions as recommended in section 7.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None known.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Avoid dust formation. Heat. Ignition sources. Exposure to high concentrations of organic compounds may cause bed temperature to rise.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Alkali metals. Strong oxidizing agents.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide (CO), carbon dioxide (CO₂).

SECTION 11: Toxicological Information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not classified

Activated carbon (7440-44-0)	
LD ₅₀ oral rat	> 2000 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified

Serious eye damage/irritation : Not classified

Respiratory or skin sensitisation : Not classified

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Carcinogenicity : Not classified

Silica: crystalline, quartz (14808-60-7)	
IARC group	1 - Carcinogenic to humans

The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) has classified "silica dust, crystalline, in the form of quartz or cristobalite" as carcinogenic to humans (group 1). However these warnings refer to crystalline silica dusts and do not apply to solid activated carbon containing crystalline silica as a naturally occurring, bound impurity. As such, we have not classified this product as a carcinogen in accordance with the US OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR §1910.1200) but recommend that users avoid inhalation of product in a dust form.

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Dust may cause irritation of the skin.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Dust may cause irritation and redness.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

SECTION 12: Ecological Information

12.1. Toxicity

No additional information available.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available.

12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available.

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12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

- Waste treatment and disposal methods : Vacuum or shovel material into a closed container. Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Do not allow the product to be released into the environment.
- Additional information : Activated carbon is an adsorbent media; hazard classification is generally determined by the adsorbate. Consult U.S. EPA guidelines listed in 40 CFR 261.3 for more information on hazardous waste disposal.

SECTION 14: Transport Information

14.1. In accordance with DOT

Not classified as hazardous for domestic land transport.

- UN-No.(DOT) : None on finished product
- DOT NA no. : None on finished product
- Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Not regulated
- Department of Transportation (DOT) Hazard Classes : None on finished product
- Hazard labels (DOT) : None on finished product
- Packing group (DOT) : None on finished product
- DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail (49 CFR 173.27) : None on finished product

14.2. Transport by sea

Not classified as hazardous for water transport.

- IMO / IMDG
- UN/NA Identification Number : None on finished product
- UN- Proper Shipping Name : Not regulated
- Transport Hazard Class : None on finished product

14.3. Air transport

Not classified as hazardous for air transport.

- ICAO / IATA
- UN/NA No : None on finished product
- UN- Proper Shipping Name : Not regulated
- Transport Hazard Class : None on finished product
- Packing Group : None on finished product
- Marine Pollutant : None on finished product

14.4. Additional information

- Other information : Under the UN classification for activated carbon, all activated carbons have been identified as a class 4.2 product. However, this product type or an equivalent has been tested according to the *United Nations Transport of Dangerous Goods, Manual of Tests and Criteria, Part III, Test N.4 - Test Method for Self Heating Substances* and it has been specifically determined that this product type or an equivalent does not meet the definition of a self-heating substance (class 4.2). This information is applicable to the steam activated carbon product described in this document.

SECTION 15: Regulatory Information

15.1. US Federal regulations

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All chemical substances in this product are listed as "Active" in the EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) "TSCA Inventory Notification (Active-Inactive) Requirements Rule" ("the Final Rule"). as of February 2019 or are otherwise exempt.

SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Physical hazard - Combustible dust
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Cobalt (7440-48-4)	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory Listed on United States SARA Section 313	
SARA Section 313 - Emission Reporting	0.1 %

15.2. International regulations

No additional information available.

15.3. US State regulations

California Proposition 65

⚠ WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including Silica: crystalline, quartz, which are known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

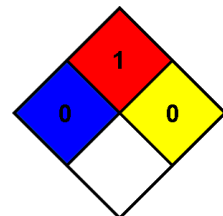
Component	Carcinogenicity	Developmental toxicity	Reproductive toxicity male	Reproductive toxicity female	No significant risk level (NSRL)	Maximum allowable dose level (MADL)
Silica: crystalline, quartz (14808-60-7)	X					
Titanium dioxide (13463-67-7)	X				Not available	
Cobalt (7440-48-4)	X					

Component	State or local regulations
Aluminum oxide (1344-28-1)	U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List
Calcium sulfate (7778-18-9)	U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List
Silica: crystalline, quartz (14808-60-7)	U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List
Titanium dioxide (13463-67-7)	U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List
Cobalt (7440-48-4)	U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List

SECTION 16: Other Information

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NFPA health hazard : 0 - Exposure under fire conditions would offer no hazard beyond that of ordinary combustible materials.
 NFPA fire hazard : 1 - Must be preheated before ignition can occur.
 NFPA reactivity : 0 - Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions, and are not reactive with water.



HMIS III Rating

Health : 0
 Flammability : 1
 Physical : 0

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