

## **SECTION I - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

**TRADE NAME:** Charcoal Briquets

BRAND NAMES: Royal Oak, Great Lakes, Grill Time, Nature-Glo, Ole Diz and private labels.

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## **SECTION II - COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

CHEMICAL NAME	CAS NUMBER	EINECS #	%
Char dust	16291-96-6	240-383-3	75-80
Limestone	1317-65-3	215-279-6	< 15
Sawdust	NE	NE	< 10

## **SECTION III - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:** The following comments refer to the accumulated dust, not the briquets. Contact with dust will irritate the eyes and the respiratory tract. Avoid strong oxidizing agents.

#### **POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS:**

**ROUTES OF ENTRY:** Eye contact and inhalation. **TARGET ORGANS:** Eyes and respiratory system.

**INHALATION:** Overexposure to the dust from briquet breakage may cause transitory upper

respiratory irritation.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Is not a route of entry unless through open cuts and abrasions. **EYE CONTACT:** Dust from the briquet breakage may cause irritation to the eyes.

**INGESTION:** Not likely, charcoal is used as a poison absorbent, thus no lasting harmful effects if swallowed.

**MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE:** May cause upper respiratory irritation and sensitive eyes.

CARCINOGENICITY: Not listed by NTP or IARC. Not regulated as a carcinogen by OSHA.

# **SECTION IV - FIRST AID MEASURES**

**INHALATION:** Move to an area free from risk of further exposure, intentional sneezing or coughing can provide comfort. No adverse effects anticipated by this route of exposure incidental to proper handling.

**EYE CONTACT:** Flush with clean, lukewarm water raising upper and lower eyelids at low pressure for 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if no relief.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Wash affected areas with soap and water.

**INGESTION:** If eaten and victim complains of discomfort, induce vomiting. Lower the head when person is vomiting to minimize entry into throat and lungs.

#### **SECTION V - FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

FLASHPOINT AND METHOD: ND

FLAMMABLE LIMITS: ND

**EXTINGUISHING METHOD:** Use dry chemicals, carbon dioxide and foam.

**FIRE OR EXPLOSION HAZARDS:** This material under complete combustion will form oxides of carbon.

**SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES:** Keep upwind of fire. Full emergency equipment with self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing should be worn by firefighters.

## **SECTION VI - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES:** Wear PPE. Avoid breathing char dust and place the collected material in a closed container.

Finish cleaning the area with small amounts of soap and water on the spill area.

## **SECTION VII - HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**STORAGE TEMPERATURE:** Keep containers tightly closed and at room temperature.

**SPECIAL SENSITIVITY:** Avoid agitation of container to create breakage. Use outdoors with good ventilation.

**HANDLING AND STORAGE PRECAUTIONS:** Avoid breathing the char dust. Avoid eye contact with dust. Keep in cool dry area. Provide a cool well-ventilated area. Use normal safety procedures and good personal hygiene.

## SECTION VIII - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

OSHA PEL Char dust 0.4 mg/mg<sup>3</sup>, Sawdust 1 mg/mg<sup>3</sup> and Limestone 15 mg/mg<sup>3</sup>

**EYE PROTECTION:** Use safety glasses or goggles, there is potential for dust exposure that may cause injury to the eyes.

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## CHARCOAL BRIQUETS

**SKIN PROTECTION:** Wear fabric gloves.

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** A dust respirator may be used...

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS:** Product is used outdoors, avoid breathing the char dust from broken

briquets and the burning vapors.

## **SECTION IX - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

PHYSICAL FORM: Solid

**COLOR:** Opaque black pillow-shaped briquets.

**ODOR:** Odorless

**SOLUBILITY IN WATER:** Negligible

SPECIFIC GRAVITY (water=1): 2 to 3 @ 68 °F (20 °C)

#### **SECTION X - REACTIVITY**

**STABILITY:** This product is stable material under normal conditions of storage and handling.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

**INCOMPATIBLES:** Avoid contact with strong oxidizing agents.

**DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** Product will burn and the products of complete combustion are

oxides of carbon.

## SECTION XI - TOXICOLOGICAL/ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product is not toxic by definition.

The significant routes of exposure are inhalation and eyes.

## **SECTION XII - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:** This material is solid with char dust from briquet breakage, wear dust mask or dust respirator and remove the solid material. Dispose according to the regulations of local, state and Federal regulatory agencies.

#### **SECTION XIII - TRANSPORTATION REQUIREMENTS**

**DOT:** Not Regulated (as Class 4.2 or anything else), per 49 CFR 172.101©(12)(iv)

IATA: Not Regulated (as Class 4.2 or anything else), per IATA Special Provision A3.

**IMDG:** Refer to entry under UN1361, Carbon. In general, not regulated (as Class 4.2 or anything else), per IMDG Special Provision 223 and / or 925.

## **SECTION XIV - REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**OSHA STATUS:** This product is not hazardous under the OSHA criteria.

TSCA STATUS: Not listed.

**CERCLA REPORTABLE QUANTITY:** Not regulated under CERCLA.

CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65: Not regulated under California Proposition 65.

SARA HAZARD NOTIFICATION/REPORTING

IMMEDIATE Y FIRE N SUDDEN RELEASE OF PRESSURE N

DELAYED N REACTIVE N

SARA TITLE III: None.

SECTION 302 EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS: None. SECTION 311/312 HAZARD CATEGORIES: None.

**SECTION 313 TOXIC CHEMICALS:** None. **RCRA STATUS:** Not regulated under RCRA

Right to Know; Product is not listed.

## SECTION XV - OTHER INFORMATION/APPROVALS

National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Hazardous Materials Identification System (HMIS)

NFPA HMIS

0 Least

1 Health 1 Slight 1 Health

1 Flammability 2 Moderate 1 Flammability 0 Instability 3 High 0 Reactivity

4 Severe E PPE

## **SECTION XVI – ABBREVIATIONS /DISCLAIMER**

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Abbreviations:

AICS Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

CAS # Chemical Abstract Service Number

°C Celsius temperature scale

CI China DSL Canada

ECL Korean Existing Chemicals List EEC European Economic Commission

ENCS Japanese Existing and New Chemical List

EINECS # European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Number

EU European Union °F

#### MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

#### CHARCOAL BRIQUETS

(Israel) 2001 proposed list of chemical substances to be regulated under

Israel Hazardous Substances Law and Regulations List

MAC Netherlands MAK Germany

MITI Ministry of International trade and Industry

NA Not applicable

MITI Japan

ND Not determined NE None established

PICCS Philippines

PPE Personal Protective Equipment

Prop. Proprietary SWISS Giftliste 1

SWISS inventory of Notified New Substances

TSCA Toxic Substance Control Act

(Taiwan) List of Toxic Chemical Substances regulated under Taiwan Toxic

Chemical Substances Control Act of 1086

UK United Kingdom USA United States

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