

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET



## **LOW SULPHUR HEAVY STOCK**

#### Section 1 – Chemical Product and Company Identification

Chemical Name:

Chemical Formula: Complex mixture of hydrocarbons

CAS Number:

LSHS, Low Sulphur Heavy Stock Synonyms:

General Use: Fuel in furnaces

Manufacture's Name: **Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited** 

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## Section 2 - Composition / Information on Ingredients

Composition: Complex mixture of heavy hydrocarbons Hazardous Components: All components non toxic / inflammable 5

ACGIH TLV: mg / m3 as mineral oil mist

#### Section 3 – Hazards Identification

Primary Entry Routes: Skin, eyes and ingestion

Acute Effects: Prolonged exposure makes skin dry, erythema, oil acne, and oil

> folliculitis. Warty growth may occur which may become skin cancer, skin cracking & contact dermitis. As these are handled at elevated temperatures, skin contact could produce bums. Eye

Contact: Light to moderate irritation.

Carcinogenicity: Not listed as carcinogenic

Chronic Effects: No data available

#### Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Eves: Flush with water for 15 min. Get medical attention.

Skin: Wash with warm water & soap.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. Consult a physician if irritation persists. Ingestion:

Get medical help at once. Do not induce vomiting. It may lead to

chemical pneumonitis.

## Section 5 – Fire Fighting Measures

Flash Point: > 66 °C

Flash Point Method: Pensky Marten Auto ignition Temperature : 220 to 250 °C

LEL: 1.0 %
UEL: 5.0 %
Flammability Classification: Flammable

Extinguishing Media: Foam, Dry Chemical Powder, CO2

Unusual Fire or Explosion Heat produces vapours and can cause rupture of containers.

Hazards:

Tanks head space can have light hydrocarbons. Flashback may

occur along vapour trail

Hazardous Combustion

Products:

Carbon di oxide, carbon mono oxide

Fire-Fighting Instructions: Small fires extinguish by handheld extinguisher. Major fire may

require withdrawal and allowing the tanks to burn.

#### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

Small Spills : Shut off leaks without risk. Absorb on sand or earth.

Containment : Prevent spillage from entering drains or water sources

Cleanup: After spills wash area with soap and water preventing runoff from

entering drains:

#### Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Handling Precautions: Do not use/store near heat/open flame. Use PPE's as this product

is normally handled at high temperatures. Avoid contact with skin

and eyes. Wash thoroughly after handling

Storage Requirements : Do not use/store near heat/open flame/water/acids

### Section 8 – Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Engineering Controls: Provide proper ventilation for environment.

Respiratory Protection:

Use respiratory protection if ventilation is improper
Protective Clothing /

Use face shield, PVC gloves, safety boots while handling.

Equipment: Contaminated clothing to be immediately removed

#### Section 9 – Protection Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Semi soild

Appearance and Odor : Brownish to black Vapor Pressure : < 0.1 psi at 38 °C

Specific Gravity: 0.95 to 0.98 gm / cc at 15 °C

Water Solubility: Insoluble

Boiling Point : Data not available

Freezing Point: < 66 °C

Vapour Density: Heavier than air (Air = 1)

Sulphur Content < 1 %w

### Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Stability: Chemically stable.

Chemical Incompatibilities : Incompatible with oxidizing agents & chlorine. Reacts vigorously

with oxidising materials.

Conditions to Avoid: Can undergo auto-oxidation in air & generate heat which can

build up in a confined space to cause spontaneous combustion

Hazardous Decomposition

Carbon di oxide, carbon mono oxide

Products:

## **Section 11 – Toxicological Information**

TLV as per ACIGH: 5 mg / m3 as mineral oil mist

Acute Inhalation Effects: No data available

### Section 12 - Ecological Information

Prevent spillage from entering drains or water sources. After spills wash area with soap and water preventing runoff from entering drains. Can burn with lot of heat producing CO2 and CO.

### Section 13 – Disposal Considerations

Seal all the waste in vapour tight plastic bags for eventual disposal or incineration.

## **Section 14 – Transport Information**

Shipping Name: LSHS

#### Section 15 – Regulatory Information

Non - Toxic/Flammable Substance

#### **Section 16 – Other Information**

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