

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

### Product identifier

Product Name TAR-X

### Other means of identification

PRODUCT CODE 36755

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

Company Name  
Essence Chemical Company  
PO Box 656  
St. Peters, MO 63376  
636 685 0132

### Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone 314 518 1665

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

#### OSHA Regulatory Status

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure) (Central Nervous System)	Category 3
Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Respiratory Irritant)	Category 3
Carcinogen	Category 2
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 2A
Aspiration toxicity	Category 1
Flammable liquids	Category 3

### Label elements

#### Emergency Overview

**Signal Word: Danger**

#### Hazard statements

Causes serious eye irritation  
Causes skin irritation  
Suspected of causing cancer  
May cause respiratory irritation  
May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways  
Flammable liquid and vapor  
May cause drowsiness and dizziness



Appearance Clear

Physical state Liquid

Odor Petroleum



<b>Eye contact</b>	Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 10 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing upper and lower lids. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a physician. If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration. Avoid direct contact with skin. Use barrier to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Immediate medical attention is not required. If symptoms persist, or victim is unconscious, call a physician immediately. Maintain an open airway. Loosen tight clothing such as collar, tie, belt or waistband. Move to fresh air in case of accidental inhalation of vapors or decomposition products.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Get medical attention immediately. Call a poison center or physician. Do NOT induce vomiting. Aspiration hazard. If vomiting occurs, keep head below hips to prevent aspiration into lungs. Rinse mouth with water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician immediately.
<b>Self-protection of the first aider</b>	Use personal protective equipment as required. May be hazardous to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

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

**Symptoms** Any additional important symptoms and effects are described in Section 11: Toxicology Information.

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

**Note to physicians** If ingested, presents significant aspiration hazard. Induction of emesis is not recommended. Consider activated charcoal and/or gastric lavage. If patient is obtunded, protect the airway by cuffed endotracheal tube or by placement of the body in a Trendelenburg and left lateral decubitus position.

**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Use. Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Water spray (fog). Alcohol resistant foam.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient. Do not use.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition. Risk of ignition.

**Explosion data**

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** None.

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** None.

**Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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

**Personal precautions** Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Remove all sources of ignition. Pay attention to flashback. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Use personal protective equipment as required.

**Environmental precautions**

**Environmental precautions** Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains.

**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** Cover liquid spill with sand, earth or other non-combustible absorbent material. Cover powder spill with plastic sheet or tarp to minimize spreading. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. Dam up. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on safe handling** Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Use with local exhaust ventilation. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. — No smoking. Take necessary action to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause ignition of organic vapors).

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of children. Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat. Keep in properly labeled containers.

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

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

**Exposure Guidelines** Exposure guidelines noted for ingredient(s).

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Petroleum Distillate CAS 64742-47-8	TWA: 212ppm 8 hrs	500ppm, 2000 mg/m <sup>3</sup> OSHA Z-1 400ppm, 1600 mg/m <sup>3</sup> OSHA P0	Not Available
Petroleum distillate CAS 64742-95-6	RCP-TWA 19ppm, 100mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 20ppm	N/A	N/A

**Other Information** Vacated limits revoked by the Court of Appeals decision in AFL-CIO v. OSHA, 965 F.2d 962 (11th Cir., 1992).

### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Controls** Showers, Eyewash stations & Ventilation systems.

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

**Eye/face protection** Tight sealing safety goggles.

**Skin and body protection** Wear impervious protective clothing, including boots, gloves, lab coat, apron or coveralls, as appropriate, to prevent skin contact.

**Respiratory protection** No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators or air purifying respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

**General Hygiene** When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

<b>Physical state</b>	Liquid
<b>Appearance</b>	Clear
<b>Color</b>	Colorless
<b>Odor</b>	Petroleum
<b>Odor threshold</b>	No Information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	Not an Aqueous Solution	
Specific Gravity	0.8015	
Viscosity	Water Thin	
Melting point/freezing point	No Information available	
Flash point	51 °C 124 °F (closed cup)	
Boiling point / boiling range	171 to 204 C (340 to 399 F)	/
Evaporation rate	Less than butyl acetate	
Flammability (solid, gas)	No Information available	
Flammability Limits in Air		
Upper flammability limit:	7.0% by Volume	
Lower flammability limit:	.6% by Volume	
Vapor pressure	.8 mm Hg @ 68 F.	
Vapor density	5.3 (air=1)	
Water solubility	.05 g/L	
Partition coefficient	No Information available	
Autoignition temperature	260 C	
Decomposition temperature	No Information available	

#### Other Information

Density Lbs/Gal	6.68
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## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Reactivity

No data available

#### Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

#### Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks.

#### Incompatible materials

Oxidizers

#### Hazardous Decomposition Products

May produce carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, when heated to decomposition.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

<b>Product Information</b>	Harmful by inhalation, ingestion and in contact with eyes and skin.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Avoid breathing vapors or mists. May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Avoid contact with eyes. Contact with eyes may cause irritation.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Avoid contact with skin. Harmful in contact with skin. Prolonged or repeated contact may dry skin and cause irritation. Wash thoroughly after handling.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Do not taste or swallow. May be harmful if swallowed. Aspiration hazard.


**Information on toxicological effects**

**Symptoms** No Information available.

**Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure**

**Sensitization** May cause allergic skin reaction.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** No Information available.

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

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Petroleum Distillate 64742-47-8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Petroleum distillate 64742-95-6	Caused cancer in lab animals. Relevance to humans uncertain			

**ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)**

*Not classified as a human carcinogen*

**IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

*Not classifiable as a human carcinogen*

**Reproductive toxicity** Not expected or reported.

**STOT - single exposure** Category 3 (Central Nervous System)

**STOT - repeated exposure** No Information available. Has been found to cause kidney damage in male rats, mild reversible liver effects in lab animals. Not expected to occur in humans.

**Chronic toxicity** No known significant adverse effects.

**Target organ effects** See STOT above.

**Aspiration hazard** Yes.

**Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information**

**Unknown Acute Toxicity** 0% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity** - toxic to aquatic organisms

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Petroleum distillate 64742-47-8	EL50 3.1 mg/L 72 hr.	LL50 10mg/L 96 hr.	EL50 4.5mg/L 48 hr.
	Selenastrum Capricornutum	Rainbow Trout	Water Flea
Petroleum distillate 64742-95-6	EL50 3.2mg/L, 48 hr., Daphnia magna	LL50 9.2mg/L, 96hr., Oncorhynchus mykiss	N/A

**Persistence and degradability**

No Information available.

**Bioaccumulation**

No Information available.

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient
Petroleum Distillate 64742-47-8	Log Pow 3.3-5.3

**Other adverse effects** No Information available

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

## Waste treatment methods

<b>Disposal of wastes</b>	Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations. D001, D018.
<b>Contaminated packaging</b>	Do not reuse container.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The basic description below is specific to the container size. This information is provided for at a glance DOT information. Please refer to the container and/or shipping papers for the appropriate shipping description before tendering this material for shipment. For additional information, please contact the distributor listed in section 1 of this SDS.

<b><u>DOT</u></b>	Please see current shipping papers for most up to date shipping information, including exemptions and special circumstances.
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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### International Inventories

<b>TSCA</b>	Complies
<b>DSL/NDSL</b>	Complies

### Legend:

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory  
**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

### US Federal Regulations

#### SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

Chemical Name	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Petroleum distillate 64742-48-9	
Pseudocumene 95-63-6	<32%
Xylenes 1330-20-7	<2%
Cumene 98-82-8	<1%

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

<b>Acute health hazard</b>	Yes
<b>Chronic Health Hazard</b>	Yes
<b>Fire hazard</b>	Yes
<b>Sudden release of pressure hazard</b>	No
<b>Reactive Hazard</b>	No

#### 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). Classified as an oil. Spills that produce a visible sheen should be reported to EPA's National Response Center (800-424-8802).

#### CERCLA

Cumene CAS 98-82-8, <1%, RQ 5000 lbs.; xylenes CAS 1330-20-7, <2%, RQ 100 lbs.

### US State Regulations

#### California Proposition 65

Contains no reported Prop. 65 chemicals

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

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Petroleum Distillate 64742-47-8	X	No	X

#### U.S. EPA Label Information

**EPA Pesticide Registration Number** Not Applicable

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

<b>NFPA</b>	Health hazards 1	Flammability 2	Instability 0	Physical and Chemical Properties Yes
<b>HMIS</b>	Health hazards 1	Flammability 2	Physical hazards 0	Personal protection C

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No Information available

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