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## **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

### **PETROLEUM ETHER 40-60°C AR**

**MSDS CAS: 8032-32-4**

#### **Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification**

##### **Section 1: Chemical Product**

**Product Name: PETROLEUM ETHER 40-60°C AR**

**CAS#: 8032-32-4**

**Synonym: Petroleum benzin 40-60°C**

**Chemical Name: Petroleum Ether 40-60°C AR**

**Chemical Formula: Not Available.**

**Brand: OXFORD**

##### **Details Of The Supplier Of The Safety Data Sheet:**

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#### **Section 2: Composition and Information on Ingredients**

##### **Composition:**

Substance name	CAS #	% by Weight
Petroleum Ether 40-60°C AR	8032-32-4	100

**Toxicological Data on Ingredients: Petroleum ether LD50: Not available. LC50: Not available.**

## Section 3: Hazards Identification

### Potential Acute Health Effects:

Hazardous in case of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation. Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant, permeator).

### Potential Chronic Health Effects:

CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Classified Development toxin [POSSIBLE]. The substance may be toxic to skin, eyes, central nervous system (CNS). Repeated or prolonged exposure to the substance can produce target organs damage.

## Section 4: First Aid Measures

### Eye Contact:

Check for and remove any contact lenses. Immediately flush eyes with running water for at least 15 minutes, keeping eyelids open. Get medical attention.

### Skin Contact:

Wash with soap and water. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Get medical attention if irritation develops.

Serious Skin Contact: Not Available.

### Inhalation:

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

### Serious Inhalation:

Evacuate the victim to a safe area as soon as possible. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Seek medical attention.

### Ingestion:

Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If large quantities of this material are swallowed, call a physician immediately. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband.

Serious Ingestion: Not available.

## Section 5: Fire and Explosion Data

**Flammability of the Product:** Flammable.

**Auto-Ignition Temperature:** 288°C (550.4°F)

**Flash Points:** CLOSED CUP: Lower than -18°C (0°F).

**Flammable Limits:** LOWER: 1.1% UPPER: 5.9%

**Products of Combustion:** Not available.

**Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:**

Extremely flammable in presence of open flames and sparks.

**Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:**

Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: Not available.

Risks of explosion of the product in presence of static discharge: Not available.

**Fire Fighting Media and Instructions:**

Flammable liquid, insoluble in water. SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder. LARGE FIRE: Use water spray or fog.

**Special Remarks on Fire Hazards:** Not available.

**Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards:** Not available.

## Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

**Small Spill:**

Absorb with an inert material and put the spilled material in an appropriate waste disposal.

**Large Spill:**

Flammable liquid, insoluble in water. Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Stop leak if without risk. Absorb with DRY earth, sand or other non-combustible material. Do not get water inside container. Do not touch spilled material. Prevent entry into sewers, basements or confined areas; dike if needed. Call for assistance on disposal. Be careful that the product is not present at a concentration level above TLV. Check TLV on the MSDS and with local authorities.

## Section 7: Handling and Storage

### Precautions:

Keep locked up.. Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Ground all equipment containing material. Do not breathe gas/fumes/ vapor/spray. Avoid contact with eyes. Wear suitable protective clothing. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. If you feel unwell, seek medical attention and show the label when possible.

### Storage:

Store in a segregated and approved area. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Avoid all possible sources of ignition (spark or flame).

## Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

### Engineering Controls:

Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors below their respective threshold limit value. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are proximal to the work-station location.

### Personal Protection:

Splash goggles. Lab coat. Vapor respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Gloves (impervious).

### Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill:

Splash goggles. Full suit. Dust respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self-contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.

### Exposure Limits:

TWA: 300 from ACGIH (TLV) [United States] [1995] TWA: 1370 from ACGIH (TLV) [United States] [1995]  
Consult local authorities for acceptable exposure limits.

## Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical state and appearance: Liquid.

Odor	: gasoline or kerosene.
Taste	: Not available.
Molecular Weight	: Not available.
Color	: Clear Colorless.

## Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties (Continued)

pH (1% soln/water)	: Not applicable.
Boiling Point	: 40 - 60°C (140°F)
Melting Point	: < -73 °C
Critical Temperature	: Not available.
Specific Gravity	: 0.7 (Water = 1)
Vapor Pressure	: Not available.
Vapor Density	: 3.9 (Air = 1)
Volatility	: Not available.
Odor Threshold	: Not available.
Water/Oil Dist. Coeff.	: Not available.
Ionicity (in Water)	: Not available.
Dispersion Properties	: Not available.
Solubility	: Insoluble in cold water.

## Section 10: Stability and Reactivity Data

**Stability:** The product is stable.

**Instability Temperature:** Not available.

**Conditions of Instability:** Not available.

**Incompatibility with various substances:** Not available.

**Corrosivity:** Not considered to be corrosive for metals and glass.

**Special Remarks on Reactivity:** Not available.

**Special Remarks on Corrosivity:** Not available.

**Polymerization:** Will not occur.

## Section 11: Toxicological Information

**Routes of Entry:** Absorbed through skin. Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

## Section 11: Toxicological Information (Continued)

### Toxicity to Animals:

**WARNING: THE LC50 VALUES HEREUNDER ARE ESTIMATED ON THE BASIS OF A 4-HOUR EXPOSURE. Acute toxicity of the vapor (LC50): 3400 4 hours [Rat].**

Chronic Effects on Humans: Not available.

### Other Toxic Effects on Humans:

Hazardous in case of ingestion, of inhalation. Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant, permeator).

Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals: Not available.

Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans: Not available.

Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans: Not available.

## Section 12: Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: Not available.

BOD5 and COD: Not available.

### Products of Biodegradation:

Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.

Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation: The products of degradation are more toxic.

Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation: Not available.

## Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal:

## Section 14: Transport Information

### Land transport (ADR-RID)

**Proper shipping name:** PETROLEUM DISTILLATES, N.O.S. or PETROLEUM PRODUCTS, N.O.S.  
(vapour pressure at 50 °C more than 110 kPa)

**UN N°:** 1268

**H.I. nr:** 33

**ADR - Class:** 3

**Labelling - Transport:** 3: Flammable liquid.

**ADR - Group:** II

### Sea transport (IMDG) [English only]

**Proper shipping name:** PETROLEUM DISTILLATES, N.O.S. or PETROLEUM PRODUCTS, N.O.S.  
(vapour pressure at 50 °C more than 110 kPa)

**UN N°:** 1268

**IMO-IMDG - Class or division:** 3: Flammable liquid.

**IMO-IMDG - Packing group:** II

### Air transport (ICAO-IATA) [English only]

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(vapour pressure at 50 °C more than 110 kPa)

**UN N°:** 1268

**IATA - Class or division:** 3: Flammable liquid.

**IATA - Packing group:** II

## Section 15: Other Regulatory Information

### Federal and State Regulations:

**Pennsylvania RTK:** Petroleum ether TSCA 8(b) inventory: Petroleum ether

### Other Regulations:

**OSHA:** Hazardous by definition of Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

### Other Classifications:

**WHMIS (Canada):** CLASS B-2: Flammable liquid with a flash point lower than 37.8°C (100°F).

**DSCL (EEC):** R11- Highly flammable. R36- Irritating to eyes. R40- Possible risks of irreversible effects.  
R63- Possible risk of harm to the unborn child.



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## Section 15: Other Regulatory Information (Continued)

**HMIS (U.S.A.):**

**Health Hazard: 2**

**Fire Hazard: 3**

**Reactivity: 0**

**Personal Protection: j**

**National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.):**

**Health: 1**

**Flammability: 4**

**Reactivity: 0**

**Specific hazard:**

**Protective Equipment:**

Gloves (impervious). Lab coat. Vapor respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Splash goggles.

## Section 16 - Additional Information

**References:** Not available.

**Other Special Considerations:** Not available.

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