SAFETY DATA SHEET
Apiezon W40 Wax

1. Identification

Product identifier

Product name Apiezon W40 Wax

CAS number 64741-56-6

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Application Universal wax.

Uses advised against No specific uses advised against are identified.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Kurt J Lesker Company

Manufacturer

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2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

Physical hazards Not Classified

Health hazards Not Classified

Environmental hazards Not Classified

Label elements

Hazard statements NC Not Classified

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Other hazards

This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Residues (petroleum), vacuum CAS number: 64741-56-6	**50-70%**
Parafin Oils CAS number: 8012-95-1	**50-70%**

Composition comments *The exact percentage withheld as a trade secret in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200.

4. First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures

General information Get medical attention if any discomfort continues. Show this Safety Data Sheet to the medical personnel.

Inhalation If spray/mist has been inhaled, proceed as follows. Move affected person to fresh air at once. Get medical attention if symptoms are severe or persist.

Ingestion Do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention if symptoms are severe or persist.

Skin Contact Wash with plenty of soap and water.

Eye contact Rinse with water. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention.

Protection of first aiders Use protective equipment appropriate for surrounding materials.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

General information The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependent on the concentration and the length of exposure.

Inhalation Vapor from this product may be hazardous by inhalation.

Ingestion No specific symptoms known. May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Skin contact May irritate eyes and skin.

Eye contact The product is irritating to eyes and skin.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes for the doctor Treat symptomatically.

Specific treatments No special treatment required.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media The product is not flammable. Extinguish with alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder or water fog. Use fire-extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing media Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

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Hazardous combustion products	Thermal decomposition or combustion products may include the following substances: Harmful gases or vapors.

Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during firefighting	Avoid breathing fire gases or vapors. Evacuate area. Keep upwind to avoid inhalation of gases, vapors, fumes and smoke. Ventilate closed spaces before entering them. Cool containers exposed to heat with water spray and remove them from the fire area if it can be done without risk. Cool containers exposed to flames with water until well after the fire is out. If a leak or spill has not ignited, use water spray to disperse vapors and protect men stopping the leak. Control run-off water by containing and keeping it out of sewers and watercourses. If risk of water pollution occurs, notify appropriate authorities.
Special protective equipment for firefighters	Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective clothing. Standard Firefighter's clothing including helmets, protective boots and gloves will provide a basic level of protection for chemical incidents.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions	For personal protection, see Section 8.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions	Avoid discharge into drains or watercourses or onto the ground. Avoid discharge to the aquatic environment.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up	Reuse or recycle products wherever possible. Absorb spillage to prevent material damage. Flush contaminated area with plenty of water. Wash thoroughly after dealing with a spillage. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with national regulations.
Reference to other sections	For personal protection, see Section 8.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions	Read and follow manufacturer's recommendations. Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Handle all packages and containers carefully to minimize spills. Keep container tightly sealed when not in use.
Advice on general occupational hygiene	Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
Dust Explosion Class	

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions	No specific recommendations.
Storage class	Chemical storage.

Specific end uses(s)

Specific end use(s)	The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.

8. Exposure controls/Personal protection

Exposure controls

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Protective equipment



Appropriate engineering controls	No specific ventilation requirements.
Eye/face protection	No specific eye protection required during normal use. Large Spillages: Eyewear complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates eye contact is possible.
Hand protection	Wear protective gloves. The most suitable glove should be chosen in consultation with the glove supplier/manufacturer, who can provide information about the breakthrough time of the glove material. To protect hands from chemicals, gloves should comply with OSHA 1910.138 and be demonstrated to be impervious to the chemical and resist degradation. Considering the data specified by the glove manufacturer, check during use that the gloves are retaining their protective properties and change them as soon as any deterioration is detected. Frequent changes are recommended.
Hygiene measures	Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
Respiratory protection	No specific recommendations. Provide adequate ventilation. Large Spillages: If ventilation is inadequate, suitable respiratory protection must be worn.
Environmental exposure controls	Not regarded as dangerous for the environment.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Wax.
Color	Black.
Odor	Odorless.
Odor threshold	Not applicable.
pH	Not applicable.
Melting point	45°C
Initial boiling point and range	>320°C @ 760 mm Hg
Flash point	~ 320°C
Evaporation rate	Not available.
Evaporation factor	Not available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not available.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Not available.
Vapor pressure	6E(-8) mm Hg @ 20°C
Vapor density	Not applicable.
Relative density	~ 1.017 @ 20°C
Bulk density	Not available.

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Solubility(ies)	Insoluble in water.
Partition coefficient	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	>400°C
Decomposition Temperature	Not available.
Viscosity	Not applicable.
Explosive properties	Not available.
Oxidizing properties	Not available.
Molecular weight	Not available.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product.
Stability	Stable at normal ambient temperatures and when used as recommended. Stable under the prescribed storage conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	No potentially hazardous reactions known.
Conditions to avoid	Keep at temperature not exceeding 115°C.
Materials to avoid	Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products	Hydrogen sulfide (H2S).

11. Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Toxicological effects	This product is toxic.

Acute toxicity - oral

Notes (oral LD_{50})	Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Acute toxicity - dermal

Notes (dermal LD_{50})	Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Acute toxicity - inhalation

Notes (inhalation LC_{50})	Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Animal data	Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Serious eye damage/irritation

Serious eye damage/irritation	Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Respiratory sensitization

Respiratory sensitization	Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Skin sensitization

Skin sensitization	Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity

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Genotoxicity - in vitro	Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity

Carcinogenicity	There is no evidence that the product can cause cancer.
IARC carcinogenicity	None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - fertility	Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.
Reproductive toxicity - development	Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

STOT - single exposure	Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after a single exposure.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

STOT - repeated exposure	Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard

Aspiration hazard	Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

General information	No specific health hazards known.
Inhalation	No specific symptoms known. Spray/mists may cause respiratory tract irritation.
Ingestion	No specific symptoms known. May cause discomfort if swallowed.
Skin Contact	No specific symptoms known. May cause discomfort.
Eye contact	No specific symptoms known. May be slightly irritating to eyes.
Route of exposure	Ingestion Inhalation Skin and/or eye contact
Target Organs	No specific target organs known.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity	Not regarded as dangerous for the environment. However, large or frequent spills may have hazardous effects on the environment.
Toxicity	Based on available data the classification criteria are not met.

Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability	The degradability of the product is not known.

Bioaccumulative potential

Bio-Accumulative Potential	The product contains potentially bioaccumulating substances.
Partition coefficient	Not available.

Mobility in soil

Mobility	No data available.

Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects	None known.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

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General information	The generation of waste should be minimized or avoided wherever possible. Reuse or recycle products wherever possible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way.
Disposal methods	Dispose of surplus products and those that cannot be recycled via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

14. Transport information

General	The product is not covered by international regulations on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, DOT).
Road transport notes	Not regulated.
Rail transport notes	Not regulated.
Sea transport notes	Not regulated.
Air transport notes	Not regulated.
DOT transport notes	Not regulated.

UN Number

UN No. (International) Not applicable.

UN proper shipping name

Proper shipping name (International) Not applicable.

Transport hazard class(es)

Transport Labels (International) No transport warning sign required.

Packing group

Packing group (International) Not applicable.

Environmental hazards

Environmentally Hazardous Substance
No.

Special precautions for user

Not applicable.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.

15. Regulatory information

US Federal Regulations

SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Tier II Threshold Planning Quantities
None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

CERCLA/Superfund, Hazardous Substances/Reportable Quantities (EPA)
None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

SARA Extremely Hazardous Substances EPCRA Reportable Quantities
None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

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SARA 313 Emission Reporting
None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

CAA Accidental Release Prevention
None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

SARA (311/312) Hazard Categories
None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

OSHA Highly Hazardous Chemicals
None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

US State Regulations

Label Prop 65 data

Inventories

EU - EINECS/ELINCS
All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

Canada - DSL/NDSL
All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

US - TSCA
All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

US - TSCA 12(b) Export Notification
None of the ingredients are listed or exempt.

Australia - AICS
All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

Japan - ENCS
All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

Korea - KECI
All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

China - IECSC
All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

Philippines - PICCS
All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

New Zealand - NZIOC
All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

Taiwan - TCSI
All the ingredients are listed or exempt.

16. Other information

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End of SDS

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