Material Safety Data Sheet

1. Chemical Product and Company Identification

DESCRIPTION: ELMER'S PROBOND EXTERIOR WOOD GLUE
PRODUCT TYPE: PVAC COPOLYMER ADHESIVE
APPLICATION: FOR PRODUCT CODES SEE SECTION 16

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2. Composition, Information on Ingredients

The ingredients listed below have been associated with one or more immediate and/or delayed(*) health hazards. Risk of damage and effects depends upon duration and level of exposure. BEFORE USING, HANDLING, OR EXPOSURE TO THESE INGREDIENTS, READ AND UNDERSTAND THE MSDS.

% by weight

50-00-0
3. Hazards Identification

3.1 Emergency Overview

Appearance                          Light tan gel
Odor                                Mild
CAUTION!
Not a significant fire hazard.
May cause allergic skin and respiratory reactions.
May cause eye irritation

- HMIS Rating

  HEALTH = 1 (slight)
  FLAMMABILITY = 0 (minimal)
  REACTIVITY = 0 (minimal)
  CHRONIC = *

3.2 Potential Health Effects

- Immediate Hazards

  INGESTION:   Not expected to be harmful under normal conditions of use.
  INHALATION:  Not expected to be harmful under normal conditions of use. However, if allowed to become airborne, may cause irritation of nose, throat and lungs.
  SKIN:        May cause irritation on prolonged or repeated contact.
  EYES:        May cause irritation on prolonged or repeated contact.
Delayed Hazards

Formaldehyde  50-00-0
POTENTIAL CANCER HAZARD.
Rats chronically exposed to 14 ppm formaldehyde contracted nasal cancers. Based on animal data and limited epidemiological evidence, NTP and IARC have listed formaldehyde as a probable human carcinogen. OSHA regulates formaldehyde as a potential human carcinogen. May cause allergic skin reaction. Some reports suggest that formaldehyde may cause respiratory sensitization, such as asthma, and that pre-existing respiratory and skin disorders may be aggravated by exposure.
OSHA has identified 0.5 ppm as the "Action Level", 29CFR 1910.1048. Please refer to the OSHA Standard for guidance applicable to your specific operations.

Wood Flour
POTENTIAL CANCER HAZARD. Wood dust has been classified by IARC as a carcinogen to humans (Group 1). This classification is based primarily on IARC's evaluation of increased risk of occurrence of adenocarcinomas in the nasal cavities and paranasal sinuses associated with exposure to wood dust. Wood dust is not listed by NTP nor regulated by OSHA as a carcinogen. Depending on species, may cause allergic skin and respiratory reactions.

4. First Aid Measures

INGESTION: If accidentally swallowed, dilute by drinking large quantities of water. Immediately contact poison control center or hospital emergency room for any other additional treatment directions.

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air.

SKIN: In case of irritation, flush with water.

EYES: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water. Call a physician if irritation persists.

5. Fire Fighting Measures
6. Accidental Release Measures

Soak up with absorbent material and remove to a chemical disposal area. Prevent entry into natural bodies of water.

7. Handling and Storage

7.1 Handling

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices. These practices include avoiding unnecessary exposure and removal of the material from eyes, skin and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Always use appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE).

INHALATION: Avoid prolonged or repeated breathing of vapor.
SKIN: Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin and clothing.
EYES: Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with eyes.

7.2 Storage

Keep from freezing.
Store in a cool, dry place.
Keep containers tightly closed.
8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

8.1 Exposure Controls

If airborne contaminants are generated when the material is heated or handled, sufficient ventilation in volume and air flow patterns should be provided to keep air contaminant concentration levels below acceptable criteria.

8.2 Personal Protection

Where air contaminants can exceed acceptable criteria, use NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection equipment. Respirators should be selected based on the form and concentration of contaminants in air in accordance with OSHA laws and regulations or other applicable standards or guidelines, including ANSI standards regarding respiratory protection. Use goggles if contact is likely. Wear impervious gloves as required to prevent skin contact.

8.3 Exposure Guidelines

Formaldehyde 50-00-0
ACGIH TLV: 0.3 ppm (0.37 mg/m³) Ceiling, A2 - See Appendix A
OSHA PEL: 0.75 ppm (0.9 mg/m³) TWA; 2 ppm (2.5 mg/m³) 15min STEL

Wood Flour
ACGIH TLV: 5 mg/m³ TWA; 10 mg/m³ STEL (softwood)
OSHA PEL: 15 mg/m³ TWA (total dust); 5 mg/m³ (respirable)
REMANDED PEL: 5 mg/m³ TWA; 10 mg/m³ STEL (all soft and hard woods)
OSHA 1989 PEL remanded, but in effect in some states
OTHER: ACGIH TLV: 1 mg/m³ TWA (certain hardwoods)

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Percent Volatiles 53%
pH @ 25 C 3.0
Specific Gravity                          1.08
Appearance                                Light tan gel
Autoignition Temperature                  Not available
Boiling Point                             100 deg C
Vapor Density (Air=1)                     < 1
Vapor Pressure, mm Hg @ 20 C              17.5
Evaporation Rate (Butyl Acetate=1)        < 1
Upper/Lower Flammable Limits              Not applicable
Up/Lower Explosive Limits, % by Vol       Not applicable
Flash Point                               Not applicable
Freezing Point                            0 deg C
Odor                                      Mild
Odor Threshold, ppm                       Not available
Solubility in Water                       Dispersible
Coefficient of Water/Oil Distrib.         Not available

10. Stability and Reactivity

Normally stable as defined in NFPA 704-12(4-3.1).

- Incompatibilities:

  Strong acids and alkaline materials.

- Decomposition products may include:

  CO, CO2.

- Hazardous polymerization:

  Will not occur.

- Other Hazards:
None known to company.

11. Toxicological Information

See Section 3 Hazards Identification information.
Formaldehyde 50-00-0
LC50: rat=203 mg/m³ (RTECS)
LD50: orl-rat=0.8 g/kg (Merck); skn-rbt=0.27 g/kg (Sax)
Wood Flour
LC50: Not available
LD50: Not available

12. Ecological Information

Not determined.

13. Disposal Considerations

Recover free liquid. Absorb residue and dispose of according to local, state/provincial, and federal requirements.

14. Transport Information

14.1 U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT)

The data provided in this section is for information only and may not be specific to your package size. You will need to apply the appropriate regulations to properly classify your shipment for transportation.
Non-Regulated.
14.2 Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG)

Non-Regulated.

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15. Regulatory Information (Selected Regulations)

15.1 U.S. Federal Regulations


  This material presents possible health hazards as determined when reviewed according to the requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration 29 CFR Part 1910.1200 "Hazard Communication" Standard.

- **SARA Title III: Section 311/312**

  Delayed health hazard

- **SARA Title III Section 313 and 40 CFR Part 372**

  This product contains the following toxic chemical(s) subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986, and Subpart C-Supplier Notification Requirement of 40 CFR Part 372. None required per SARA TITLE III SECTION 313.

- **TSCA Section 8(b) Inventory**
All reportable chemical substances are listed on the TSCA Inventory. We rely on certifications of compliance from our suppliers for chemical substances not manufactured by us.

15.2 Canadian Regulations

- **Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS)**

  This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulation (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.
  
  CLASS D, DIV 2A, 2B

- **Canadian Environmental Protection Act (CEPA)**

  All reportable chemical substances are listed on the Domestic Substances List (DSL) or otherwise comply with CEPA new substance notification requirements.

- **National Pollutant Release Inventory (NPRI)**

  This product contains the following chemical(s) subject to the reporting requirements of the Canadian Environmental Protection Act (CEPA) subsection 16(1), National Pollutant Release Inventory. None required.

16. Other Information

  MSDS covers items:
  
  U.S.:   P9403, P9404
  
  Canada:  69403, 69404
• User's Responsibility

The OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29CFR 1910.1200 and the Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) require that the information contained on these sheets be made available to your workers. Educate and train your workers regarding OSHA and WHMIS precautions. Instruct your workers to handle this product properly. Consult with appropriate experts to guard against hazards associated with use of this product and its ingredients.

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