

# Safety Data Sheet according to WHS Regulations

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### 1 Identification

**Product Name: THERMASET** 

Other Means of Identification: Mixture

#### Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restriction on Use:

Asbestos encapsulation, thermal insulation. For professional use.

#### **Details of Manufacturer or Importer:**

FM Insulation Supplies 19-21 Bromley Road Emu Plains NSW 2750

Phone Number: 02 4735 5699

Emergency telephone number: 0417 230 030

### 2 Hazard(s) Identification

#### **Hazardous Nature:**

Classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) and Safe Work Australia criteria.

Not classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail. (7th edition)



Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.



Skin Corrosion/Irritation 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

Skin Sensitisation 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

#### Signal Word Danger

## **Hazard Statements**

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

#### **Precautionary Statements**

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

P280 Wear protective gloves / eye protection / face protection.

P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if

present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

P321 Specific treatment (see on this label).

P333+P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

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## 3 Composition and Information on Ingredients

**Chemical Characterization: Mixtures** 

**Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

Hazardous Components:		
65997-15-1	Cement, portland, chemicals	60%
	♦ Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 1, H318; ♦ Skin Corrosion/Irritation 2, H315; Skin Sensitisation 1, H317; STOT SE 3, H335	
9004-34-6	Cellulose	<5%
12001-26-2	Mica	<1%
14808-60-7	Quartz (SiO2)	<1%
	♦ Carcinogenicity 1A, H350; STOT RE 1, H372	

#### Additional information:

The value for quartz (CAS No. 14808-60-7) represents the total value, not the respirable fraction.

#### 4 First Aid Measures

#### Inhalation:

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Seek medical attention if breathing problems develop.

#### **Skin Contact:**

In case of skin contact, immediately remove contaminated clothing and wash affected areas with water and soap. Seek medical attention if symptoms occur.

#### Eve Contact:

In case of eye contact, hold eyelids open and rinse with water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if symptoms occur.

## Ingestion:

If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Immediately rinse mouth with water. Give a glass of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Seek immediate medical attention.

## **Symptoms Caused by Exposure:**

Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation.

Skin Contact: Causes skin irritation and dryness. May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Eye Contact: Causes serious eye damage. Large amounts may cause corneal damage, chemical burns and blindness.

Ingestion: May cause mild gastrointestinal irritation.

## **5 Fire Fighting Measures**

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.

#### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical:**

This product is non-flammable. Apart from the risk of the packaging burning in a fire there are no fire-related hazards associated with this product.

Product close to fire should be removed only if safe to do so.

#### **Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire Fighters:**

When fighting a major fire wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective equipment.

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#### **6 Accidental Release Measures**

#### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:

Wear approved dust/particulate filter respirator and full protective clothing. Evacuate all non-essential personnel from affected area. Do not breathe dust. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid generating dust.

#### **Environmental Precautions:**

In the event of a major spill, prevent spillage from entering drains or water courses.

#### Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up:

Stop leak if safe to do so and clean the area using an industrial vacuum cleaner. Wet mopping and wiping is acceptable if vacuuming is not workable. Avoid generating dust. Do not dry sweep. Provide adequate ventilation.

## 7 Handling and Storage

#### **Precautions for Safe Handling:**

Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation of dust. Food, beverages and tobacco products should not be stored or consumed where this material is in use. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use. Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace. Provide eyewash fountains and safety showers in close proximity to points of potential exposure.

#### **Conditions for Safe Storage:**

Store in a cool, dry and well ventilated area. Keep in original packaging. This product should be stored under cover. Keep bags off the ground. Bags should be stacked in a stable manner.

## 8 Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

Exposure Standards:			
65997	65997-15-1 Cement, portland, chemicals		
WES	TWA: 10 mg/m³		
9004-	34-6 Cellulose		
WES	TWA: 10 mg/m³		
12001	-26-2 Mica		
WES	TWA: 2.5 mg/m³		
14808	-60-7 Quartz (SiO2)		
	TWA: 0.1 mg/m³ respirable dust		

#### **Engineering Controls:**

Maintain air concentration below occupational exposure standards, providing adequate ventilation.

### **Respiratory Protection:**

Where an inhalation risk exists, wear a Class P1 (particulate) respirator. At high dust levels, wear a powered air purifying respirator (PAPR) with Class P3 (Particulate) filter or an air-line respirator or a full-face Class P3 (particulate) respirator. See Australian/New Zealand Standards AS/NZS 1715 and 1716 for more information.

#### Skin Protection:

Rubber impregnated canvas gloves. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 2161 for more information. When selecting gloves for use against certain chemicals, the degradation resistance, permeation rate and permeation breakthrough time should be considered.

Barrier creams may also be used to minimise skin contact.

Occupational protective clothing (depending on conditions in which it has to be used, in particular as regards the period for which it is worn, which shall be determined on the basis of the seriousness of the risk, the

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frequency of exposure to the risk, the characteristics of the workstation of each worker and the performance of the protective clothing). See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 4501 for more information.

#### **Eve and Face Protection:**

Eye and face protectors for protection against splashing materials or liquids. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 for more information.

## 9 Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:

Form: Fibrous powder Colour: Red/grey Odour: Odourless Odour Threshold: Not determined.

pH-Value: 10 - 11
Melting point/freezing point: 1,000 °C
Initial Boiling Point/Boiling Range: Not applicable
Flash Point: 10 - 11
Not applicable

**Flammability:** Product is not flammable.

Auto-ignition Temperature: Not applicable Decomposition Temperature: Not applicable

**Explosion Limits:** 

Lower:Not applicableUpper:Not applicableVapour Pressure:Not applicable

Relative Density: No information available

Vapour Density:

Evaporation Rate:

Solubility in Water:

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water):

Not applicable

Not applicable

Not soluble in water.

No information available

Viscosity: Not applicable

## 10 Stability and Reactivity

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

Chemical Stability: Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of use.

**Conditions to Avoid:** No further relevant information available. **Incompatible Materials:** No further relevant information available.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** No hazardous decomposition products known.

#### 11 Toxicological Information

## **Toxicity:**

## LD<sub>50</sub>/LC<sub>50</sub> Values Relevant for Classification:

#### 1317-65-3 Limestone

Oral LD<sub>50</sub> 6,450 mg/kg (rat)

#### **Acute Health Effects**

Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation.

Skin: Causes skin irritation and dryness. May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Eye:

Causes serious eye damage. Large amounts may cause corneal damage, chemical burns and blindness.

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**Ingestion:** May cause mild gastrointestinal irritation. **Skin Corrosion / Irritation:** Causes skin irritation.

Serious Eye Damage / Irritation: Causes serious eye damage.

Respiratory or Skin Sensitisation: May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity:

Silica dust, crystalline, in the form of quartz or cristobalite is classified by IARC as Group 1 - Carcinogenic to

humans.

Reproductive Toxicity: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Single Exposure: May cause respiratory irritation.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Repeated Exposure:** 

Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

**Aspiration Hazard:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

**Chronic Health Effects:** 

Prolonged contact may cause severe skin irritation or burns. Chronic inhalation may lead to coughing, shortness of breath and chronic obstructive lung disease (COPD).

Existing Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: Inhalation may aggravate existing respiratory conditions.

Additional toxicological information: No information available

## 12 Ecological Information

#### **Ecotoxicity:**

No adverse ecological effects are expected. The addition of large amounts of this product to water will cause a rise in pH which may be harmful to aquatic life.

**Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.

Persistence and Degradability: No further relevant information available.

Bioaccumulative Potential: No further relevant information available.

Mobility in Soil: No further relevant information available.

Other adverse effects: After hardening, this product presents no toxicity risks.

## 13 Disposal Considerations

Disposal Methods and Containers: Dispose according to applicable local and state government regulations.

#### Special Precautions for Landfill or Incineration:

Please consult your state Land Waste Management Authority for more information.

### 14 Transport Information

UN Number Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name Not regulated
Dangerous Goods Class Not regulated
Packing Group: Not regulated

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15 Regulatory Information		
Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances:		
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## Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSMP) - Poison Schedule: Not Scheduled.

## 16 Other Information

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#### Abbreviations and acronyms:

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

LC₅o: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD₅o: Lethal dose, 50 percent

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit TWA: Time Weighted Average

NES: National Exposure Standard (Safe Work Australia - Workplace Exposure Standards For Airborne Contaminants)

Skin Corrosion/Irritation 2: Skin corrosion/irritation - Category 2

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Category 1

Skin Sensitisation 1: Skin sensitisation, Hazard Category 1

Carcinogenicity 1A: Carcinogenicity - Category 1A

STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 3 STOT RE 1: Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) – Category 1

#### Disclaimer

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