

Material Name: Air Handling HVAC Duct Liner

Material Safety Data Sheet ID: 1036

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

Product Name Air Handling HVAC Duct Liner

CAS# None Assigned

**Generic Name** Fiber Glass Insulation

Formula E-glass

**Chemical Name:** Mixture **Hazard Label FGW-01 Manufacturer Information** 

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# Section 2 - Composition / Information on Ingredients

CAS#	Component	Percent
65997-17-3	Continuous Filament Glass Fiber	70-85
25104-55-6	Urea extended phenol-formaldehyde binder	10-20
Not Available	Latex Emulsion	1-5
Not Available	Cured Vinyl/Acrylic Coating	1-5
Not Available	Hydrocarbon Polymers	1-5

## **Section 3 - Hazards Identification**

### **Emergency Overview**

APPEARANCE AND ODOR: Light brown/yellow or amber continuous filament glass with vinyl or acrylic facing. Faint resin odor.

Under normal conditions of use and handling, this product is not expected to create any health or safety hazards.

Inhalation of excessive amounts of dust from the product may cause temporary upper respiratory irritation and/or congestion-remove individual to fresh air.

## **Potential Health Effects**

### Summarv

Breathing dust from this product may cause a scratchy throat, congestion, and slight coughing. Getting dust or fibers on the skin, or in the eyes may cause itching, rash, or redness. Additional health and safety information is provided in Section 11 of this material safety data sheet.

When subjected to high heat and humidity, this product may release formaldehyde gas. Formaldehyde is irritating to the eyes and respiratory system and may cause cancer (based on animal studies). Formaldehyde may cause skin or respiratory sensitization (allergy).

HMIS (Hazardous Materials Information System) ratings for Health - Flammability - Physical Hazard: 1 - 0 - 0

### Inhalation

Irritation of the upper respiratory tract (scratchy throat), coughing, and congestion may occur in extreme exposures.

#### Skin

Temporary irritation (itching) or redness may occur.

## Ingestion

This product is not intended to be ingested (eaten). If ingested, it may cause temporary irritation to the gastrointestinal (digestive) tract.

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**Eyes** 

Temporary irritation (itching) or redness may occur.

**Ears** 

Temporary irritation (itching) or redness may occur.

### **Primary Routes of Entry (Exposure)**

Inhalation (breathing dust, fibers, or vapors), skin, and eye contact.

#### **Target Organs**

Nose (nasal passages), throat, lungs, skin, eyes.

### **Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure**

Pre-existing chronic respiratory, skin, or eye diseases or conditions.

## **Section 4 - First Aid Measures**

#### First Aid: Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. Drink water to clear throat, and blow nose to remove dust. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

#### First Aid: Skin

Wash gently with soap and water to remove dust. Wash hands before eating or using the restroom. To avoid further irritation, do not rub or scratch irritated areas. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

#### First Aid: Ingestion

Product is not intended to be ingested or eaten. If this product is ingested, irritation of the gastrointestinal (GI) tract may occur, and should be treated symptomatically. Rinse mouth with water to remove fibers, and drink plenty of water to help reduce the irritation. No chronic effects are expected following ingestion.

## First Aid: Eyes

Do not rub or scratch your eyes. Dust particles may cause the eye to be scratched. Flush eyes with large amounts of water for 5-15 minutes. If irritation persists, contact a medical professional.

### First Aid: Ears

Wash exposed skin with soap and water. If irritation develops in the inner ear, seek medical attention.

### First Aid: Notes to Physician

This product is a mild mechanical irritant and it is not expected to product any chronic health effects from acute exposure. Treatment should be directed toward removing the source of irritation with symptomatic treatment as necessary. See Section 8 of this MSDS for exposure limits.

# **Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures**

Flash Point: Not applicable Method Used: Not applicable

Upper Flammable Limit (UFL): Not applicable

Auto Ignition: Not determined

Lower Flammable Limit (LFL): Not applicable

Flammability Classification: Not determined

Rate of Burning: Not determined

**General Fire Hazards** 

There is no potential for spontaneous fire or explosion.

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Primary combustion products are nitrogen oxide, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, ammonia, hydrogen chloride, and water.

## **Extinguishing Media**

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), water, water fog, dry chemical.

## Fire Fighting Equipment/Instructions

In a sustained fire use self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and full bunker turnout gear.

## **Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures**

### **Containment Procedures**

Pick up large pieces. Vacuum dusts. If sweeping is necessary, use a dust suppressant such as water. Do not dry sweep dust accumulation or use compressed air for clean-up. These procedures will help to minimize potential exposures.

### **Clean-Up Procedures**

Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up.

## Section 7 - Handling and Storage

## **Handling Procedures**

Keep product in its packaging until use to minimize potential dust generation. Wear PPE as described in Section 8 of this MSDS. Follow good industrial hygiene practices when handling this material.

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## **Storage Procedures**

Warehouse storage should be in accordance with package directions, if any. Material should be kept dry, and protected from moisture.

# **Section 8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**

## **Exposure Guidelines**

#### A: General Product Information

Glass wool fiber, OSHA voluntary Health and Safety Partnership Program (HSPP): 1 f/cc TWA for fibers longer than 5 µm with a diameter less than 3 µm. Protective equipment should be used as necessary to prevent irritation of the throat, eyes, and skin, and to keep exposures below the applicable exposure limits identified in Section 8.

## **B: Component Exposure Limits**

## Continuous Filament Glass Fiber (65997-17-3)

ACGIH: 1 f/cc TWA (respirable fibers: length > 5  $\mu$ m, aspect ratio equal to or greater than 3:1, as

determined by the membrane filter method at 400-450X magnification (4-mm objective), using

phase-contrast illumination.)

### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

## Personal Protective Equipment: Eyes/Face

Safety glasses with side shields, goggles, or face shield.

## **Personal Protective Equipment: Ears**

Use ear protection (earplugs, hood, or earmuffs) to prevent airborne dust or fibers from entering the ear.

### **Personal Protective Equipment: Skin**

Normal work clothing (long-sleeved shirt, long pants) is recommended. Leather or cotton gloves should be worn to prevent skin contact and irritation. Barrier creams may also be used to reduce skin contact and irritation caused by fiber glass.

## **Personal Protective Equipment: Respiratory**

A respirator should be used if ventilation is unavailable, or is inadequate for keeping dust and fiber levels below the applicable exposure limits. In those cases, use a NIOSH-certified disposable or reusable particulate respirator with an efficiency rating of N95 or higher (under 42 CFR 84) when working with this product. For exposures up to five times the established exposure limits use a quarter-mask respirator, rated N95 or higher; and for exposures up to ten times the established exposure limits use a half-mask respirator (e.g., MSA's DM-11, Racal's Delta N95, 3M's 8210), rated N95 or higher. Operations such as sawing, blowing, tear out, and spraying may generate airborne fiber concentrations requiring a higher level of respiratory protection. For exposures up to 50 times the established exposure limits use a full-face respirator, rated N99 or higher.

Products designed for high temperature applications (above 177°C/350°F) may release gases irritating to the eyes, nose and throat during initial heat-up. In tightly confined or poorly ventilated areas, use air supplied respirators during the first heat-up cycles.

### Ventilation

In fixed manufacturing settings, local exhaust ventilation should be provided at areas of cutting to remove airborne dust and fibers. General dilution ventilation should be provided as necessary to keep airborne dust and fibers below the applicable exposure limits and guidelines. The need for ventilation systems should be evaluated by a professional industrial hygienist, while the design of specific ventilation systems should be conducted by a professional engineer.

## Personal Protective Equipment: General

Wear a cap, a loose-fitting, long-sleeved shirt and long pants to protect skin from irritation. Exposed skin areas should be washed with soap and warm water after handling or working with fiber glass. Clothing should be washed separately from other clothes, and the washer should be rinsed thoroughly (run empty for a complete wash cycle). This will reduce the chances of fiber glass being transferred to other clothing.

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# **Section 9 - Physical & Chemical Properties**

Appearance: Light brown/yellow or amber Odor: Faint resin odor.

continuous filament glass with

vinvl or acrylic facing.

Physical State: Solid pH: Not applicable

Vapor Pressure: Not applicable Vapor Density: Not applicable Boiling Point: >2250 F (glass) **Melting Point:** 2250 F (glass) Solubility (H<sub>2</sub>O): Specific Gravity: Glass=2.6 Nil Percent Volatile: Softening Point: >800 F No data

VOC: Not applicable

# **Section 10 - Chemical Stability & Reactivity Information**

### **Chemical Stability**

This is a stable material.

**Chemical Stability: Conditions to Avoid** 

None expected.

### Incompatibility

None expected.

## **Hazardous Decomposition**

None, except in fire. See Section 5 of this MSDS for combustion products statement.

### **Hazardous Polymerization**

Will not occur.

# **Section 11 - Toxicological Information**

### **Acute Toxicity**

#### A: General Product Information

Dust from this product is a mechanical irritant, which means that it may cause temporary irritation or scratchiness of the throat, and/or itching of the eyes and skin.

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### B: Component Analysis - LD50/LC50

Urea extended phenol-formaldehyde binder (25104-55-6)

Oral LD50 Rat: 7 g/kg

## Carcinogenicity

### **A: General Product Information**

No additional information available.

### **B: Component Carcinogenicity**

### Continuous Filament Glass Fiber (65997-17-3)

ACGIH: A3 - Confirmed animal carcinogen with unknown relevance to humans

NTP: Reasonably Anticipated To Be A Carcinogen (respirable size)

IARC: Group 2B - Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans (IARC Monograph 43, 1988)

### **Chronic Toxicity**

Continuous Filament Glass Fiber: No chronic health effects are known to be associated with exposure to continuous filament fiber glass. Results from epidemiologic studies have not shown any increases in respiratory disease or cancer. The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) has classified continuous filament fiber glass as a Group 3 substance, not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans. Because of the large diameter of continuous filament fibers, these products are not considered respirable.

A detailed listing of references on fiber glass health effects can be found in the publication HSE-64C, "Heath and Safety Aspects of Fiber Glass," which can be downloaded from Johns Manville's internet homepage, www.jm.com (select "Health Safety and Environment").

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# Section 12 - Ecological Information

## **Ecotoxicity**

### A: General Product Information

This product is not anticipated to harm animals, plants, or fish.

### B: Component Analysis - Ecotoxicity - Aquatic Toxicity

No ecotoxicity data are available for this product's components.

# **Section 13 - Disposal Considerations**

### **US EPA Waste Number & Descriptions**

### **A: General Product Information**

This product, as supplied, is not regulated as a hazardous waste by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) under Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) regulations. Comply with state and local regulations for disposal. If you are unsure of the regulations, contact your local Public Health Department, or the local office of the EPA.

### **B: Component Waste Numbers**

No EPA Waste Numbers are applicable for this product's components.

### **Disposal Instructions**

Dispose of waste material according to Local, State, Federal, and Provincial Environmental Regulations.

## **Section 14 - Transportation Information**

Shipping Name: This product is not classified as a hazardous material for transport.

# **Section 15 - Regulatory Information**

### **US Federal Regulations**

#### A: General Product Information

SARA 311 Status. The following SARA 311 designations apply to this product: Immediate (acute) health hazard.

### **B: Component Analysis**

None of this products components are listed under SARA Section 302 (40 CFR 355 Appendix A), SARA Section 313 (40 CFR 372.65), or CERCLA (40 CFR 302.4).

## **State Regulations**

## A: General Product Information

No information available for the product.

## **B: Component Analysis - State**

The following components appear on one or more of the following state hazardous substances lists:

Component	CAS#	CA	FL	MA	MN	NJ	PA
Continuous Filament Glass Fiber (1related to	65997-17-3	Yes1	No	Yes1	Yes	No	Yes²
Mineral wool fiber) (2related to Glass wool fiber)							

The following statement(s) are provided under the California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer.

Continuous Filament Glass Fiber (related to Mineral wool fiber)

CAS# 65997-17-3

## A: TSCA Status

This product and its components are listed on the TSCA 8(b) inventory.

None of the components listed in this product are listed on the TSCA Export Notification 12(b) list.

# **B: Component Analysis - Inventory**

Component	CAS # TSCA		DSL EINECS	
Continuous Filament Glass Fiber	65997-17-3	Yes	Yes	Yes
Urea extended phenol-formaldehyde binder	25104-55-6	Yes	Yes	No

#### Component Analysis - WHMIS IDL

No components are listed in the WHMIS IDL.

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# **Section 16 - Other Information**

## Other Information

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This is the end of MSDS # 1036