

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION 1: CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

COMPANY INFORMATION

H.B. Fuller Construction Products Inc.
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Aurora, IL 60504
Phone: 1-800-552-6225

Medical Emergency Phone Number (24 Hours): 1-888-853-1758
Transport Emergency Phone Number (CHEMTREC): 1-800-424-9300

PRODUCT INFORMATION

PRODUCT NUMBER: ACCUCOLOR EASY 973
PRODUCT DESCRIPTION: Sanded polymer grout
PRODUCT IDENTIFIER: 823149PM

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

PHYSICAL STATE: Semi-solid
COLOR: Brown
ODOR: Mild Sweet
Cancer hazard.

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS BY ROUTE OF ENTRY

EYE: Can cause minor irritation, tearing and reddening. Can cause mechanical irritation if dusts are generated.

SKIN: Can cause minor skin irritation, defatting, and dermatitis.

INHALATION: Can cause minor respiratory irritation. Inhalation of dusts produced during cutting, grinding or sanding of this product may cause irritation of the respiratory tract.

Overexposure to crystalline silica may cause silicosis. Inhalation of high concentrations may result in central nervous system (CNS) effects such as dizziness, weakness, fatigue, nausea, headache, and lack of coordination.

This product contains one or more materials that may be hazardous when present as an airborne dust. During normal handling of the product, the material is encapsulated within the product and will not present an exposure risk. Once the product has reached its final state and is abraded or disturbed, dusting and exposure may occur.

INGESTION: Ingestion is not an anticipated route of exposure. No hazard in normal industrial use.

LONG-TERM (CHRONIC) HEALTH EFFECTS

REPRODUCTIVE: Contains a substance(s) that is a possible reproductive system hazard based on high dose tests with laboratory animals.

TARGET ORGAN(S): Lungs Central nervous system Kidneys Liver

REGULATED CARCINOGEN STATUS:

Unless noted below, this product does not contain regulated levels of NTP, IARC, ACGIH, or OSHA listed carcinogens.

Crystalline silica

Fibrous glass

EXISTING HEALTH CONDITIONS AFFECTED BY EXPOSURE: Lung disease; Liver disease; Kidney disease

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS #	PERCENT
Crystalline silica	14808-60-7	30 - 50

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Calcium carbonate	471-34-1	10 - 30
Zinc oxide	1314-13-2	1 - 5
Glass oxide, bubbles	65997-17-3	1 - 5
Fibrous glass	65997-17-3	1 - 5
Ethylene glycol	107-21-1	1 - 5
Stoddard solvent	8052-41-3	0.1 - 1

Unlisted ingredients are not 'hazardous' per the Occupational Safety and Health Administration Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200) and/or are not found on the Canadian Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System ingredient disclosure list. See Section 8 for exposure limit guidelines.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

IF IN EYES: Flush eye with water for 20 minutes. Get medical attention.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

IF VAPORS INHALED: Remove to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms persist.

IF SWALLOWED: Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical attention if symptoms develop. Provide medical care provider with this MSDS.

SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FLASH POINT:	Non flammable
AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE:	Not established
LOWER EXPLOSIVE LIMIT (% in air):	Not established
UPPER EXPLOSIVE LIMIT (% in air):	Not established
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:	Use water spray, foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.
UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:	There is a possibility of pressure buildup in closed containers when heated. Water spray may be used to cool the containers.
SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS:	Persons exposed to products of combustion should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective equipment.
HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS:	Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide Metal fumes

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

SPECIAL PROTECTION:	No adverse health effects expected from the clean-up of spilled material. Follow personal protective equipment recommendations found in Section 8 of this MSDS.
CLEAN-UP:	Avoid creating dusts. Cover material with absorbent and moisten and collect for disposal. Dike if necessary, contain spill with inert absorbent and transfer to containers for disposal. Keep spilled product out of sewers, watersheds, or water systems.

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SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling:	No special handling instructions due to toxicity. Avoid breathing material. This product contains an ingredient that may release formaldehyde at heated cure temperatures.
Storage:	Store in a cool, dry place.

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Consult the Technical Data Sheet for specific storage instructions.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

EYE PROTECTION: Wear safety glasses when handling this product.

SKIN PROTECTION: Avoid skin contact by wearing chemically resistant gloves.

GLOVES: Not normally required. Use nitrile gloves if conditions warrant.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Respiratory protection may be required to avoid overexposure when handling this product. Use a respirator if general room ventilation is not available or sufficient to eliminate symptoms. NIOSH approved air purifying respirator with dust/mist filter.
Respirators should be selected by and used following requirements found in OSHA's respirator standard (29 CFR 1910.134).

VENTILATION: Use local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to minimize exposures.

EXPOSURE LIMITS:

Chemical Name	ACGIH EXPOSURE LIMITS	OSHA PEL
Crystalline silica	0.025 mg/m ³ TWA (respirable fraction)	((250)/(%SiO ₂ + 5) mppcf TWA (respirable)); ((10)/(%SiO ₂ + 2) mg/m ³ TWA (respirable)); ((30)/(%SiO ₂ + 2) mg/m ³ TWA (total dust))
Calcium carbonate	Not established	15 mg/m ³ TWA (total dust); 5 mg/m ³ TWA (respirable fraction)
Zinc oxide	2 mg/m ³ TWA (respirable fraction) 10 mg/m ³ STEL (respirable fraction)	5 mg/m ³ TWA (fume); 15 mg/m ³ TWA (total dust); 5 mg/m ³ TWA (respirable fraction)
Glass oxide, bubbles	Not established	Not established
Fibrous glass	Not established	Not established
Ethylene glycol	Not established 100 mg/m ³ Ceiling (aerosol only)	Not established
Stoddard solvent	100 ppm TWA	500 ppm TWA; 2900 mg/m ³ TWA

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL STATE: Semi-solid

COLOR: Brown

ODOR: Mild Sweet

ODOR THRESHOLD: Not established

WEIGHT PER GALLON (lbs.): 12.7

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.52

SOLIDS (% by weight): 83.0

pH: 8.6

FLASH POINT: Non flammable

BOILING POINT (deg. C): Not established

FREEZING/MELTING POINT (deg. C): Not established

VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg): Not established

VAPOR DENSITY: Not established

EVAPORATION RATE: Not established

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OCTANOL/WATER COEFFICIENT:	Not established
VOC, weight percent	1.8
VOC, EPA Method 24 (theoretically determined)	29g/liter of material
VOC, EPA Method 24, less water and exempt solvents (theoretically determined)	36g/liter of material

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY:	Stable under normal conditions.
CHEMICAL INCOMPATIBILITY:	Strong oxidizing agents
HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:	Will not occur.
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:	Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide Metal fumes

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

COMPONENT	LD50/LC50
Crystalline silica	Not established
Calcium carbonate	Oral LD50 Rat = 6450 mg/kg
Zinc oxide	Oral LD50 Mouse > 950 mg/kg Inhalation LC50 Mouse = 2500 mg/cu m (no duration specified)
Glass oxide, bubbles	Not established
Fibrous glass	Not established
Ethylene glycol	Oral LD50 Rat = 4700 mg/kg Dermal LD50 Rabbit = 9.53 ml/kg
Stoddard solvent	Not established

TOXICOLOGY SUMMARY: Fibrous glass (fiber glass) is listed by NTP as reasonably anticipated to cause cancer. This is based on two studies with laboratory animals. The fibrous glass was implanted into the lungs of the animals. No inhalation studies were performed. Human studies have not indicated an increased risk of cancer because of exposure to fibrous glass. Although fibrous glass may present a cancer hazard, the risk is negligible because human exposure to fibrous glass is limited.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

OVERVIEW: No ecological information available

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

To the best of our knowledge, this product does not meet the definition of hazardous waste under the U.S. EPA Hazardous Waste Regulations 40 CFR 261. Solidify and dispose of in an approved landfill. Consult state, local or provincial authorities for more restrictive requirements.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

Consult Bill of Lading for transportation information.

DOT: NOT REGULATED
IATA: NOT REGULATED

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SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

INVENTORY STATUS

U.S. EPA TSCA: This product is in compliance with the Toxic Substances Control Act's Inventory requirements.

CANADIAN CEPA DSL: This product contains a component that is not on the DSL. If you are the importer of this product into Canada, contact H.B. Fuller for chemical tracking and notification information.

EUROPEAN EINECS: As a result of the introduction of REACH into Europe, this product cannot be imported into Europe unless the REACH requirements are met.

If you need more information about the inventory status of this product call 651-236-5858.

This product may contain chemical substances that are regulated for export by various government agencies (such as the Environmental Protection Agency, the Bureau of Industry and Security, or the Drug Enforcement Administration, among others). Before exporting this product from the USA or Canada, we recommend you contact us at 651-236-5858 (USA) or 450-655-1306 x227 (Canada) to request an export review.

FEDERAL REPORTING

EPA SARA Title III Section 313

Unless listed below, this product does not contain toxic chemical(s) subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) and 40 CFR part 372. EPA has advised that when a percentage range is listed the midpoint may be used to fulfill reporting obligations.

Chemical Name	CAS#	%
Zinc compounds	1314-13-2	1 - 5
Ethylene glycol	107-21-1	1 - 5

WHMIS STATUS: Unless listed below, this product is not controlled under the Canadian Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System.

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STATE REPORTING

Proposition 65, The Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986:

Unless listed below, this product does not contain known levels of any chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive harm.

Chemical Name/List	CAS	Percent
Quartz (Carcinogen)	14808-60-7	30 - 50
Carbon black (Carcinogen)	1333-86-4	0.01 - 0.1
Formaldehyde (Carcinogen)	50-00-0	< 10 ppm
Cadmium (Carcinogen)	7440-43-9	< 10 ppm
Nickel (metallic) (Carcinogen)	7440-02-0	< 10 ppm
Ethyl alcohol, when in alcoholic beverages		
Cadmium (Developmental toxin)	7440-43-9	< 10 ppm
Cadmium (Male reproductive toxin)	7440-43-9	< 10 ppm

SECTION 16: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

This Material Safety Data Sheet is prepared to comply with the United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200) and the Canadian Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS).

HMIS RATING: HEALTH -- 0 FLAMMABILITY -- 0 REACTIVITY -- 0

See SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION for personal protective equipment recommendations.

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