

Safety Data Sheet

according to WHS Regulations

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1 Identification

Product Name: CORNICE ADHESIVE

Other Means of Identification: Mixture

Other Name: Cornice Adhesive 45, 60, 90

Product Code: F027, F071, F072

Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restriction on Use: Adhesive - plaster based

Details of Manufacturer or Importer:

Knauf Gypsum Pty Ltd (ACN 004 231 976)

3 Thackeray St

Camellia NSW 2142

Phone Number: 02 9638 0571

Emergency telephone number: National Poisons Information Centre: 13 11 26

2 Hazard(s) Identification

Hazardous Nature:

Not 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), IATA and IMDG/IMSBC.

The product is not classified, according to the Globally Harmonised System (GHS).

Signal Word None

Hazard Statements None

3 Composition and Information on Ingredients

Chemical Characterization: Mixtures

Description: Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

Hazardous Components: None

Additional information:

This product may contain small quantities of respirable quartz (CAS - 14808-60-7) present as an impurity in the ingredients. Respirable crystalline silica is a known carcinogen and can cause serious lung damage. Exposure to this product is not likely to cause harm under normal conditions, but it is recommended to determine the actual exposure through workplace testing.

4 First Aid Measures

Inhalation: If inhaled, remove to fresh air. 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 irritation occurs.

Eye Contact:

In case of eye contact, rinse with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention.

Ingestion:

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

Symptoms Caused by Exposure:

Inhalation: Dust may cause respiratory irritation.

Skin Contact: May cause skin irritation.

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Eye Contact: May cause eye irritation.

Ingestion: May cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, diarrhoea and vomiting.

5 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical:**

No hazardous decomposition products known.

Product is not flammable.

Containers close to fire should be removed only if safe to do so. Use water spray to cool fire exposed containers.

Minimise run-off from fire fighting entering drains or water courses.

Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire Fighters:

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

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:

Clean the area using an industrial vacuum cleaner with HEPA filters. Wet mopping and wiping is acceptable if vacuuming is not workable. Avoid generating dust.

Remove waste materials, place in plastic bags or other containers and dispose of in accordance with local waste disposal authority requirements.

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.

Care should be taken to minimise dust release when opening boxes or bags. Hand tools should always be used in preference to power tools in any site processing. If power tools are used, these should be fitted with exhaust extraction at the point of dust generation, or other effective local extraction. Materials should be used and handled in a wet, rather than dry form where workable. Work areas should be cleaned regularly to remove any build up 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. 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 container tightly closed when not in use. Protect containers from physical damage.

8 Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

Exposure Standards:**CAS: 14808-60-7 Quartz (SiO₂)**WES TWA: 0.05 mg/m³
respirable dust**CAS: 50-00-0 Formaldehyde**WES STEL: 2.5 mg/m³, 2 ppm
TWA: 1.2 mg/m³, 1 ppm
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Engineering Controls:

Ensure adequate ventilation of the working area, keeping airborne concentrations below occupational exposure standards.

Respiratory Protection:

Where an inhalation risk exists, wear a Class P2 (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:

Leather/pigskin, PVC or rubber 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.

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 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.

Eye and Face Protection:

Eye and face protectors for protection against dust. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 for more information.

9 Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:

Form:	Powder
Colour:	Off-white
Odour:	Slight
Odour Threshold:	No information available
pH-Value:	7 - 8
Melting point/freezing point:	No information available
Initial Boiling Point/Boiling Range:	No information available
Flash Point:	No information available
Flammability:	Product is not flammable
Auto-ignition Temperature:	No information available
Decomposition Temperature:	No information available
Explosion Limits:	
Lower:	No information available
Upper:	No information available
Vapour Pressure:	No information available
Relative Density:	2.6 - 2.7
Vapour Density:	No information available
Evaporation Rate:	No information available
Solubility in Water:	0.2%

10 Stability and Reactivity

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: No dangerous reactions known under conditions of normal use.

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

Conditions to Avoid: None known.

Incompatible Materials: None known.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: No hazardous decomposition products known.

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11 Toxicological Information

Toxicity:**LD50/LC50 Values:****CAS: 14808-60-7 Quartz (SiO₂)**

Oral LD50 500-22,500 mg/kg (rat)

Acute Health Effects**Inhalation:** Dust may cause respiratory irritation.**Skin:** May cause skin irritation.**Eye:** May cause eye irritation.**Ingestion:** May cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, diarrhoea and vomiting.**Skin Corrosion / Irritation:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.**Serious Eye Damage / Irritation:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.**Respiratory or Skin Sensitisation:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.**Germ Cell Mutagenicity:** Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.**Carcinogenicity:**

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

Formaldehyde and crystalline silica dust in the form of quartz or cristobalite are 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:**

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

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:**

The prolonged and repeated exposure (by inhalation) to respirable (crystalline) silica causes silicosis, a debilitating lung disease. The crystalline silica dust is practically insoluble in body fluids and can be deposited in lungs. Cigarette smoking can reduce the clearance of crystalline silica. The data indicate that the relative lung cancer risk is increased for people with silicosis.

Existing Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: No information available

12 Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity:**Aquatic toxicity:**

The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

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LC50/96 h >10,000 mg/l (brachydanio rerio)

Persistence and Degradability: No data available on finished product.**Bioaccumulative Potential:** No data available on finished product.**Mobility in Soil:** No data available on finished product.**Other adverse effects:** No further relevant information available.

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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

15 Regulatory Information

Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals:

All components are on the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory.

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Poison Schedule:

Not a scheduled poison.

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)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: 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)

Data altered compared to the previous version: Sections: 3, 5, 8.

Disclaimer

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