

Safety information

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DURASTEEL® is an article within the meaning of REACH (REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006) and as retained in UK law according to Statutory Instrument 2019 No 758 The REACH etc (Amendment etc) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 ("UK REACH Regulation"). Safety data sheets do not have to be provided for articles.

Moreover this article, for which safety information is given, does not contain substances of very high concern, substances of which the use is restricted by the Commission or UK Regulator or substances on the Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation. Even if this article is not subjected to any obligation to classify or label (Art 4 of Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 and its equivalent retained in UK law), Promat has decided to provide information about identification, first aid and release measures, exposure control, disposal and transport. This safety information sheet gives details to industrial and professional users on the safe use of this article. Throughout

this document, references to EU Regulation include the equivalent regulations retained in UK law after 31 December 2020.

SECTION 1: Identification of the article and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product form Product name Type of product Product group Article
DURASTEEL®
Punched steel faced composite panel.
Trade product

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the Article and uses advised against

1.2.1. Use of the Article

Main use category Function or use category Professional useFire Protective Board

1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number

: Please contact a regional poison center or emergency telephone number.

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the article

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Not classified

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

No additional information available.

2.2. Label elements

Not Applicable according to the CLP Regulation No (EC) 1272/2008. No labelling applicable

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2.3. Other hazards	
Other hazards which do not result in classification	: Generation of significant quantities of airborne dust is unlikely during normal handling. During machining the product (drilling, cutting, sanding, etc.), airborne dust can be released. As with most types of nuisance dust, excessive inhalation of dust may cause irritation of the bronchial tubes. Can occur: eye irritation, irritation of mucous membranes and skin irritation. The handling and machining of this product may lead to the release of quartz containing dust. The inhalation of dust containing quartz, in particular the fine (respirable) dust fraction, in high concentrations or over a prolonged period of time may lead to lung disease (silicosis) and an increased risk of lung cancer.

Contains no PBT/vPvB substances $\ge 0.1\%$ assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII Contains no PBT/vPvB substances $\ge 0.1\%$ assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII

The product does not contain substance(s) included in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or is not identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at a concentration equal to or greater than 0,1 %

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

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3.1. Substances

Not established.

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

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Components

Fire protection composite board with perforated panels made of galvanised steel sheet attached to both surfaces, which are bonded with a solid cement core. Ingredients: calcium silicate, cellulose, fibres, mineral fillers.

SECTION 4: First aid measures	
4.1. Description of first aid measures	
First-aid measures general	: Seek medical attention if ill effect or irritation develops.
First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove to fresh air and drink water.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Wash skin with plenty of water.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Do not rub the eye. Rinse immediately with plenty of water. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Ingestion unlikely due to product form. Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth. Drink plenty of water.
4.2. Most important symptoms and effects	s, both acute and delayed
Symptoms/effects after inhalation	: May cause irritation to the respiratory tract and to other mucous membranes.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: May cause temporary irritation/skin rash. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Eye contact with dust may lead to transient eye irritation or inflammation.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: Not expected to present a significant ingestion hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

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SECTION 5: Firefighting measures		
5.1. Extinguishing media		
Suitable extinguishing media	: Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.	
5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture		
Fire hazard	: The product is non-combustible.	
5.3. Advice for firefighters		
Protection during firefighting	: Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.	

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures				
6.1. Personal precautions, protectiv	6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures			
General measures	: Minimise generation of dust. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid eye and skin contact. Dampen down any dust or use vacuum cleaner with correct filter.			
6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel				
Protective equipment	: Use recommended respiratory protection.			
Measures in case of dust release	: Prevent spread of dust. Dampen down any dust or use vacuum cleaner with correct filter.			
6.1.2. For emergency responders				
Protective equipment	: Use personal protective equipment as required.			
Emergency procedures	: Stop dust release.			
6.2. Environmental precautions				
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Prevent spread of dust. Do not allow to enter drains or water courses.

6	6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up	
	or containment lethods for cleaning up	: Use closed containers to avoid dust release.: Shovel up small pieces. Dampen down any dust before putting into appropriate skips.
6.4. Reference to other sections		

For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

SECTION 7: Handling and storage			
7.1. Precautions for safe handling			
Additional hazards when processed	: Dust, generated during machining and processing must be exhausted and the regulatory occupational exposure limits (workplace exposure limits in UK) for total and respirable dust and respirable quartz dust must be respected.		
Precautions for safe handling	: Use always respiratory protective equipment when exposures are likely or can be foreseen to exceed the Occupational Exposure Limits or Workplace Exposure Limits in the UK (refer to local regulations). Collect dust with a vacuum cleaner or soak with water before sweeping up. Work in a well ventilated area. Use tools with appropriate dust exhaust equipment. Use handprotection during handling and cutting.		
Hygiene measures	: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.		
7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities			
Storage conditions	: Store in dry, covered and frost proof area.		
7.3. Specific end use(s)			
Fire protection.			

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SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.1.1 National occupational exposure and biological limit values

Crystalline silica (quartz) (14808-60-7)	
EU - Indicative Occupational Exposure Limit (IOEL)	
Local name	Silica crystaline (Quartz)
IOEL TWA	0.1 mg/m ³ respirable
Remark	(Year of adoption 2003) (Year of adoption 2003)
Regulatory reference	Directive EU 2017/2398

8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available.

8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available.

8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

No additional information available.

8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available.

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure vacuum dust exhaust with correct filter when using motorised machining tools. When machining boards (drilling, cutting, sanding, etc.), respect Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL) or Workplace Exposure Limits (WEL in the UK) for inhalable and respirable dust and for respirable quartz dust. Check the latest Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL) or Workplace Exposure Limits (WEL in the UK) for airborne contaminants that are applicable in your country.

8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

Eye protection:

Avoid contact with eyes. Use safety glasses whenever tools are used and dusts are produced.

8.2.2.2. Skin protection

Skin and body protection:

Avoid contact with skin. Use working clothes and gloves to protect against mechanical injury and direct skin contact.

8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection:

Avoid breathing dust. Use appropriate respiratory equipment when exposures are likely or can be foreseen to exceed the Occupational Exposure Limits or Workplace Exposure Limits for the UK (e.g. for exposures up to 10 times the OEL (WEL) use at least a P2 type dust mask. For higher exposure, use a P3 type mask).

8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

No additional information available.

8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

Environmental exposure controls: Avoid release to the environment.

Other information:

Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

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SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties Physical state : Solid Colour Galvanised or stainless steel. : Appearance : Board. Odour : None. Melting point : Not available Freezing point : Not available Boiling point : Not available Flammability : Not flammable Explosive properties : Not applicable. Explosive limits : Not applicable Lower explosion limit : Not applicable Upper explosion limit : Not applicable Flash point : Not applicable : Not applicable Auto-ignition temperature : Not available Decomposition temperature pН : Not available pH solution : Not available : insoluble in water. Solubility Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow) : Not available Density ÷ ≈ 2500 kg/m³ Relative density : Not available Relative vapour density at 20°C Not applicable : Particle size : Not available

9.2. Other information

9.2.1. Information with regard to physical hazard classes

No additional information available.

9.2.2. Other safety characteristics

Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	:	Not applicable
Relative evaporation rate (ether=1)	:	Not applicable

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No additional information available.

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11.1. Information on hazard classes as	defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008	
Acute toxicity (oral) Acute toxicity (dermal) Acute toxicity (inhalation) Additional information	 Not classified Not classified Not classified Not classified No acute toxicity has been reported, apart from some exceptional cases of transient eye irritation or inflammation, skin irritation or irritation of the mucosae (throat, bronchial tubes) by excessive exposure to dust. 	
Calcium carbonate (1317-65-3)		
LD50 oral rat	> 5000 mg/kg	
Skin corrosion/irritation Serious eye damage/irritation Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified : Not classified : Not classified	
Germ cell mutagenicity Carcinogenicity Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified : Not classified : Not classified	
STOT-single exposure STOT-repeated exposure Aspiration hazard	: Not classified : Not classified : Not classified : Not classified	
DURASTEEL®		
Viscosity, kinematic	Not applicable	
11.2. Information on other hazards		
1.2.1. Endocrine disrupting properties		
Adverse health effects caused by endocrine disrupting properties	: The product does not contain substance(s) included in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or is not identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at a concentration equal to or greater than 0,1 %	
1.2.2. Other information		
Other information	: The inhalation of quartz containing dust, in particular the fine dust fraction(respirable size), in high concentrations or over repeated or prolonged periods of time can be hazardous to health and may lead to chronic lung disease and an increased risk of lung cancer. This risk will be minimal if correct working practices are observed and applied. (Refer to Section 8),According to the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC Monograph Volum 100C - 2012) "Crystalline silica inhaled in the form of quartz or cristobalite is carcinogenic to humans(Group 1)."	
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Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term : (acute)	No known effects. Not classified Not classified
Calcium carbonate (1317-65-3)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	> 10000 mg/l
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	> 1000 mg/l

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12.2. Persistence and degradability			
No additional information available.			
12.3. Bioaccumulative potential			
No additional information available.			
12.4. Mobility in soil			
No additional information available.			
12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessme	nt		
DURASTEEL®			
Contains no PBT/vPvB substances ≥ 0.1% asses	sed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII		
12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties			
Adverse effects on the environment caused by endocrine disrupting properties	: The product does not contain substance(s) included in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or is not identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at a concentration equal to or greater than 0,1 %.		
12.7. Other adverse effects			
Other adverse effects	: No information available.		

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations		
13.1. Waste treatment methods		
Waste treatment methods Product/Packaging disposal recommendations European List of Waste (LoW) code	 Handle as construction industry waste. Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Please refer to the European list (Decision N° 2000/532/CE) to identify the wastes appropriate waste number. 17 09 04 - mixed construction and demolition wastes other than those mentioned in 17 09 01, 17 09 02 and 17 09 03 	

SECTION 14: Transport information

Not regulated for transport In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID

14.1. UN number or ID number		
JN-No. (ADR) JN-No. (IMDG) JN-No. (IATA) JN-No. (ADN) JN-No. (RID)	 Not regulated. Not regulated. Not regulated. Not regulated. Not regulated. 	
4.2. UN proper shipping name		
Proper Shipping Name (ADR) Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) Proper Shipping Name (IATA) Proper Shipping Name (ADN) Proper Shipping Name (RID)	 Not regulated. Not regulated. Not regulated. Not regulated. Not regulated. 	

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14.3. Transport hazard class(es)		
ADR Transport hazard class(es) (ADR)	: Not regulated.	
IMDG Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG)	: Not regulated.	
IATA Transport hazard class(es) (IATA)	: Not regulated.	
ADN Transport hazard class(es) (ADN)	: Not regulated.	
RID Transport hazard class(es) (RID)	: Not regulated.	
14.4. Packing group		
Packing group (ADR) Packing group (IMDG) Packing group (IATA) Packing group (ADN) Packing group (RID)	 Not regulated. Not regulated. Not regulated. Not regulated. Not regulated. Not regulated. 	
14.5. Environmental hazards		
Dangerous for the environment Marine pollutant Other information	: No : No : No supplementary information available	
14.6. Special precautions for user		
Overland transport Not regulated.		
Transport by sea Not regulated.		
Air transport Not regulated.		
Inland waterway transport Not regulated.		
Rail transport Not regulated.		
14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments		
Not established.		
SECTION 15: Regulatory information		
15.1. Solaty health and any ironmantal regulational againstic analitic for the sylatence or mixture		

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

15.1.1. EU-Regulations

REACH Annex XVII (Restriction List)

Not applicable.

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REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

Not applicable.

REACH Candidate List (SVHC)

Contains no substance on the REACH candidate list.

PIC Regulation (Prior Informed Consent)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the PIC list (Regulation EU 649/2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals)

POP Regulation (Persistent Organic Pollutants)

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) No 2019/1021 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants.

Ozone Regulation (1005/2009)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Ozone Depletion list (Regulation EU 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer)

Explosives Precursors Regulation (2019/1148)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Explosives Precursors list (Regulation EU 2019/1148 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors)

Drug Precursors Regulation (273/2004)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Drug Precursors list (Regulation EC 273/2004 on the manufacture and the placing on market of certain substances used in the illicit manufacture of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances)

15.1.2. National regulations

No additional information available.

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

Indication of changes:

2.3. Other hazards. 3.2. Mixtures. 8.1. Control parameters. 11. Toxicological information. 12. Ecological information. 13. Disposal considerations.16. Other information.