

### SAFETY DATA SHEET

(Following Regulations (EC) No 1907/2006 & (EC) No 1272/2008)

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### Section 1 - Identification of product

### 1.1 - Identification of Product

Tradenames: Superwool EST G Paper,

The above-mentioned products contain Alkaline-earth silicate wools (AES wools) Index Number: 650-016-00-2 Annex VI CAS number: 436083-99-7

CAS number: 436083-99-7 Registration number: 01-2119457644-32-0000

### 1.2 - Use of Product

Application as thermal insulation, heat shields, heat containment, gaskets and expansion joints in industrial furnaces, ovens, kilns, boilers and other process. equipment and in the aerospace, automotive and appliance industries, and as passive fire protection systems and fire stops. (Please refer to specific technical data sheet for more information)

### 1.3 - Identification of Company

IDENTIFICATION OF THE MANUFACTURER/SUPPLIER

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# 1.4 - Emergency information

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# Section 2 - Hazard Identification

## 2.1 - Classification of the substance/ mixture

2.1.1 CLASSIFICATION ACCORDING TO SAFEWORK AUSTRALIA Not classified as hazardous according to the criteria of Safework Australia Not classified as a dangerous good according to the criteria of the ADG Code

2.1.2 CLASSIFICATION ACCORDING TO GHS Rev 7.

Not classified

## 2.2 - Labelling Elements

Not applicable

# 2.3 - Other hazards which do not result in classification

Cutting through the material and surface scuffing may release small amounts of airborne fibre and amorphous silica dust, which are mechanically irritating to skin, eyes and upper respiratory system. These effects are usually temporary.

As with any dust, pre-existing upper respiratory and lung diseases may be aggrevated.

## Section 3 - Composition / Information On Ingredients

These products are papers made from acrylic bound AES wool.

COMPONENT	% by weight	CAS No.	REACH Registration Number	Hazard Classification according to CLP
Alkaline-earth silicate wools	50-98	436083-99-7	01-2119457644-32	Note Q exonerated
Acrylic binder	2-15	Not Applicable	Not yet available	Not classified as hazardous

### Composition:

IT IS STATED that these fibres comply with the TERMS of the "NOTE Q" of EUROPEAN COMMISSION regulation EC1272/2008 of 16 December 2008

None of the components are radioactive under the terms of European Directive Euratom 96/29.

### Section 4 - First-Aid measures

#### Skin

Handling of this material may generate mild mechanical temporary skin irritation. If this occurs, rinse affected areas with water and wash gently. Do not rub or scratch exposed skin.

#### Eyes

In case of eye contact flush abundantly with water; have eye bath available. Do not rub eyes. Seek medical attention is irritation persists.

#### Nose and Throat

If these become irritated move to a dust free area, drink water and blow nose. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

If symptoms persist, seek medical advice.

### 4.2 - Most Important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No symptoms or effects expected either acute or delayed

### 4.3 - Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment required

No special treatment required, if exposure occurs wash exposed areas to avoid irritation.

## Section 5 - Fire-fighting measures

### 5.1 - Extinguishing media

Non-combustible products. Fire protection class: 0

Packaging and surrounding materials could be combustible.

Use extinguishing agent suitable for surrounding combustible materials.

# 5.2 - Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Non-combustible products, however, virgin product binder may burn and produce gases and/or fumes.

## 5.3 - Advice for firefighters

Packaging and surrounding materials may be combustible.

# Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

## 6.1 - Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Where abnormally high dust concentrations occur, provide the workers with appropriate protective equipment as detailed in section 8. Restore the situation to normal as quickly as possible.

## 6.2 - Environmental precautions

Prevent further dust dispersion for example by damping the materials. Do not flush spillage to drain and prevent from entering natural watercourses. Check for local regulations, which may apply

## 6.3 - Methods and materials for containment and clean up

Pick up large pieces and use a vacuum cleaner. If brushes are used, ensure that the area is wetted down first. Do not use compressed air for clean up. Do not allow to become windblown.

## 6.4 - Reference to other sections

For further information, please refer to sections 7 and 8

# Section 7 - Handling and storage

## 7.1 - Precautions for safe handling

Handling can be a source of dust emission and therefore the processes should be designed to limit the amount of handling. Whenever possible, handling should be carried out under controlled conditions (i.e., using dust exhaust system).

Regular good housekeeping will minimise secondary dust dispersal.

## 7.2 - Conditions for safe storage

Store in original packaging in a dry area. Always use sealed and clearly labelled containers. Avoid damaging containers. Reduce dust emission during unpacking.

## 7.3 - Specific end use

The main application of these products is as thermal insulation. Please refer to your local Morgan Thermal Ceramics' supplier.

<sup>\*</sup> CAS definition: Alkaline earth silicate (AES) consisting of silica (50-82 wt%), calcia and magnesia (18-43 wt%), alumina, titania and zirconia (less than 6 wt%), and trace oxides.

## Section 8 - Risk Management Measures / Exposures Controls / Personal Protection

### 8.1 - Control parameters

Industrial hygiene standards and occupational exposure limits vary between countries and local jurisdictions. Check which exposure levels apply to your facility and comply with local regulations. If no regulatory dust or other standards apply, a qualified industrial hygienist can assist with a specific workplace evaluation including recommendations for respiratory protection. Thermal Ceramics recommend that where no regulatory limits are in place customers follow the NIOSH recommendations as laid out below.

COUNTRY	MMMF (fibre/ml)	Source	
India	No Limit Set	Directorate General Factory Advice Service & Labour Industries (DFGASLI)	
China		GBZ 2.1-2019	
Japan	1	The Japan Society for Occupational Health (JSOH)	
Korea	(10 mg/m3)	K-OSHA Value	
UAE	2	Abu Dhabi Occupational Safety and Health System Framework (OSHAD-SF) v 3.0 July 2016	
Australia		Workplace exposure limits for airborne contaminants October 2024	

#### Information on monitoring procedures

#### United Kingdom

MDHS 59 specific for MMVF: "Man-made mineral fibre - Airborne number concentration by phase-contrast light microscopy" and MDHS 14/4 "General methods for sampling and gravimetric analysis of respirable and inhalable dust"

### NIOSH

NIOSH 0500 "Particulates not otherwise regulate, total" NIOSH 0600 "Particulates not otherwise regulate, respirable" NIOSH 7400 "Asbestos and other fibres by PCM"

#### 8.2 - Exposure controls

### 8.2.1 APPROPRIATE ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Review your applications in order to identify potential sources of dust exposure.

Local exhaust ventilation, which collects dust at source, can be used. For example down draft tables, emission controlling tools and materials handling equipment.

Keep the workplace clean. Use a vacuum cleaner. Avoid brushing and compressed air.

If necessary, consult an industrial hygienist to design workplace controls and practices.

The use of products specially tailored to your application(s) will help to control dust. Some products can be delivered ready for use to avoid further cutting or machining. Some could be pre-treated or packaged to minimise or avoid dust release during handling.

Consult your supplier for further details

## 8.2.2 - Personal Protective Equipment

### Skin protection:

Wear gloves and work clothes, which are loose fitting at the neck and wrists. Soiled clothes should be cleaned to remove excess fibres before being taken off (e.g. use vacuum cleaner, not compressed air). Wash work clothes seperately from other clothing.

# Eye protection:

As necessary wear goggles or safety glasses with side shields.

## Respiratory protection

For dust concentrations below the exposure limit value, RPE is not required but FFP2 respirators may be used on a voluntary basis.

For short-term operations where excursions are less than ten times the limit value use FFP2 respirators.

In case of higher concentrations or where the concentration is not known, please seek advice from your company and/or local Thermal Ceramics supplier.

## Information and training of workers

Workers should be trained on good working practices and informed on applicable local regulations.

## 8.2.3 - Environmental Exposure Controls

Refer to local, national or European applicable environmental standards for release to air water and soil.

For waste, refer to section13

# Section 9 - Physical and chemical properties

Not applicable Information on basic physical and chemical properties White paper State Colour White Odour None Odour threshold Not Applicable рΗ Not applicable Melting point/freezing point > 1200°C Initial boiling point and boiling point range Not applicable Flash point Not applicable **Evaporation rate** Not Applicable Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits Not applicable Not applicable Vapour pressure Vapour density Not Applicable Relative density 200 kg/m3 Solubility(ies) Less than 1 mg/l Not applicable Partition co-efficient: n-octanol/water Auto-ignition temperature Not applicable **Decomposition temperature** Not Applicable Viscosity Not Applicable

Other safety information No further relevant information available.

 Particle Characteristics
 Not applicable

 Explosive properties
 Not applicable

 Oxidising properties
 Not applicable

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

### 10.1 - Reactivity

AES is stable and non reactive

### 10.2 - Chemical Stability

AES is inorganic, stable and inert

### 10.3 - Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

During first heating, oxidation products from the organic binder might be emitted in a temperature range from 180°C to 600°C. It is recommended to ventilate the room until gases and fumes have disappeared. Avoid exposure to high concentrations of gas or fumes.

### 10.4 - Conditions to Avoid

Please refer to handling and storage advice in Section 7

# 10.5 - Incompatible Materials

None

# 10.6 - Hazardous decomposition products

### Section 11 - Toxicological information

#### Toxicokinetics, metabolism and distribution

#### 11.1.1 BASIC TOXICOKINETICS

Exposure is predominantly by inhalation or ingestion. Man made vitreous fibres of a similar size to AES have not been shown to migrate from the lung and/or gut and do not become located in other organs of the body

AES fibres contained in the products listed in the title have been designed to be rapidly cleared from lung tissue. This low biopersistence has been confirmed in many studies on AES using EU protocol ECB/TM/27(rev 7). When inhaled, even at very high doses, they do not accumulate to any level capable of producing a serious adverse biological effect.

#### 11.1.2 Human Toxicological data

### RESPIRATORY TOXICITY FOR MINERAL WOOLS

Epidemiological studies did not show any health effects related to fibres among Mineral Wool manufacturing workers. The excess of lung cancers reported in 1982 have been the subject of additional investigations and the examination of the confounding factors showed that the excess were not attributed to fibres. Smoking has been identified as the most important of these confounding factors.

### 11.1 - Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

- (a) acute toxicity; not tested: Short term tests have been undertaken to determine fibre biopersistence rather than toxicity; repeat dose inhalation tests have been undertaken to determine chronic toxicity and carcinogenicity.
- (b) skin corrosion/irritation; Not a chemical irritant according to test method OECD no. 404
- (c) serious eye damage/irritation; not tested
- (d) respiratory or skin sensitisation; No evidence from human epidemiological studies of any respiratory or skin sensitisation potential
- (e) germ cell mutagenicity; no adverse effects

Method: In vitro micronucleus test Species: Hamster (CHO) Dose: 1-35 mg/ml o Routes of administration: In suspension o Results: Negative

(f) carcinogenicity; no adverse effects

(g) reproductive toxicity; no adverse effects

Method: Gavage Species: Rat Dose: 250mg/kg/day Routes of administration: Oral

Results: No effects were seen in an OECD 421 screening study. There are no reports of any reproductive toxic effects of mineral fibres. Exposure to these fibres is via inhalation and effects seen are in the lung. Clearance of fibres is via the gut and the faeces, so exposure of the reproductive organs is extremely unlikely.

(h) STOT-single exposure; not applicable

(i) STOT-repeated exposure; not applicable

(j) aspiration hazard. not applicable

### 11.2 Information on other hazards

Endocrine disrupting properties: no known effects.

Other hazards: none known

## Section 12 - Ecological information

# 12.1 - Toxicity

These products are inert materials that remain stable over time.

These products are insoluble in the natural environment and are chemically identical to inorganic compounds found in the soil and sediment.

RCF/ASW is inorganic and a dense material, which will settle rapidly from both air and liquid.

No adverse effects of this material on the environment are anticipated.

# 12.2 - Persistence and degradability

Not established

## 12.3 - Bioaccumulative potential

Not established

## 12.4 - Mobility in soil

No information available

## 12.5 - Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating nor toxic (PBT).

This substance is not considered to be very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB).

## 12.6 - Endocrine Disrupting Properties

No additional information available

## 12.7 - Other adverse effects

# Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

## 13.1 - Disposal Considerations

To prevent waste materials from becoming airborne during waste storage, transportation and disposal, a covered container or plastic bagging is recommended.

Waste from these materials (even after use above 900°C) is not generally classified as hazardous waste and may be disposed of at a normal tipping site which has been licensed for the disposal of industrial waste. Taking into account any possible contamination during use, which may be classified as hazardous, expert guidance should be sought.

Such a waste is normally dusty (unless wetted) and so should be properly bagged and clearly labelled for disposal. At some tip sites dusty waste may be treated differently in order to ensure they are dealt with promptly and to avoid them being windblown.

Check for national and /or regional regulations to identify all applicable disposal requirements.

### Section 14 - Transport information

### 14.1 - Transport information

### 14.1. UN number

Not Applicable

### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Not Applicable

## 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Not Applicable

### 14.4. Packing group

Not Applicable

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Not Applicable

## 14.6. Special precautions for user

Not Applicable

## 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

Not Applicable

### Section 15 - Regulatory information

#### 15.1 - Regulatory information

The fibres contained in this product have been tested for bio persistance according to Note Q requirements under European Classification, Labelling and Packaging Regulations (EC/1272/2008) and it's subsequent amendments.

Based on these results they are exonerated from classification as carcinogens in Europe and Australia.

### Section 16 - Other Information

### 16.1 - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND PRECAUTIONS TO BE CONSIDERED UPON REMOVAL OF AFTER SERVICE MATERIAL

As manufactured, Superwool products are vitreous (glassy) AES wools that do not contain crystalline silica. Continued exposure to elevated temperatures may cause these materials to form crystalline phases including crystalline silica. The occurrence and extent of crystalline formation is dependent on the duration and temperature of exposure, AES wool chemistry and/or presences of fluxing agents. The presence of crystalline silica can be confirmed only through laboratory analysis of the "hot face" fibre. If crystalline silica is present, follow appropriate hygiene standards and national/state regulations.

Respirable fibreglass is classified as possibly carcinogenic to humans (IARC Group 2B). Fibres of a diameter of less than 3 microns are classified as respirable, while 3 microns or greater are classified as non respirable. If the fibrous glass can be demonstrated as meeting the conditions of Note Q in the List of Designated Hazardous Substances [NOHSC: 10005(1999)] then the classification as a carcinogenic need not apply.

### National Standard for Synthetic Mineral Fibres [NOHSC: 1004(1990)]

The code details the exposure standard and the appropriate testing procedures

# National Code of Practice for the Safe Use of Synthetic Mineral Fibres [NOHSC: 2006(1990)]

This code details the minimum requirements for the safe handling of synthetic mineral fibres. It details provisions for the training, air monitoring, application procedures to reduce fibre release and personal protective equipment when using synthetic mineral fibres within the workplace.

## 16.2 - uses advised against

## 16.3 - NOTE

This Safety Data Sheet was originally produced in English and has subsequently been translated in to other languages; whilst every effort has been made to make this an accurate translation, please be aware that technical terms do not always translate correctly. The English version should always be considered as the reference version.

## 16.4 - Further Information

FURTHER INFORMATION

Further information can be found on

http://www.morganthermalceramics.com/ http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/docs/2006-123/

http://www.ecfia.eu/

http://echa.europa.eu/chem\_data/authorisation\_process/candidate\_list\_obligations\_en.asp

## 16.5 - Technical Datasheets

## TECHNICAL DATA SHEETS

For more information on individual products please see the technical data sheet section at www.morganthermalceramics.com

## 16.6 - Revision Summary

Content checked and revision date updated

## 16.7 - NOTICE

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