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HEALTH & SAFETY DATA SHEET

Product Name

WBS Wetherbuild 'FG'
(manufactured under the name Crepi)

Composition

A controlled mix of the following materials;

- Acrylic co-polymer resins
- Quartz aggregates of varying shape and size
- Silicas fillers
- Chemical additives

Hazardous Materials Classification

- There is no fire or explosion risks based on available information.
- EEC risk classification is nil.
- It is recommended that personnel working with these products should wear the required protective clothing such as masks, goggles, etc. in accordance with Health and Safety regulations.
- Ensure high standards of personal hygiene.
- Do not smoke, drink or consume food in working areas.
- All work clothing should be changed regularly and laundered.

First Aid

- **Skin contamination** may cause slight irritation if prolonged – Wash off with clean water and soap.
- **Eye contamination** - can cause slight irritation – Wash with clean running water.
- **Ingestion** – Rinse mouth, drink 2 or 3 glasses of water and seek medical attention.
- **Inhalation** - may cause headache – Move to fresh air.

Fire Fighting Measures

This product does not present a fire or explosion hazard. Use foam Co2, water or dry powder fire extinguishers.

Accidental Release Measures

Clean up procedures

- Spills should be collected in a suitable container and kept for safe disposal. Do not allow the contamination of watercourses.

Handling & Storage

- When handling this product due regard should be given to the risks outlined in 'Manual Handling Operations Regulations 1992'.
- Appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) should be worn whilst handling this product.
- The product should be stored at temperatures above 0 °C but below 50 °C. Do not expose to ground frost during storage as the performance of the product will be effected. Do not allow the product to freeze during storage as it may coagulate.

Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Engineering Control Measures

- All areas should be well ventilated/extracted.

Respiratory Protection

- No special precautions are necessary if working areas are well ventilated but respiratory protection may be advantageous.

Hand Protection

- PVC gloves should be worn when handling the product.

Skin Protection

- Suitable overalls should be worn and all garments are regularly laundered.

Eye Protection

- Use splash proof goggles when handling and using the product.

Physical & Chemical Appearance

- Appearance – Liquid or paste looking coloured coating.
- Odour – Weak, none after drying.
- Boiling Point – N/A.
- Flash Point – N/A.
- PH – 7.5 to 8.5.
- Solubility – Dilutable.

Stability & Reactivity

The product is stable under most normal storage conditions.

Disposal Considerations

Disposal of the product should be in accordance with any national or regional regulations that may be in effect. Dispose of polythene packing at authorised sites only away from access by children. Accumulation of waste insulation should be avoided to prevent wind dispersal. Otherwise product is chemically neutral, does not react with ground water nor produce gas when dumped and is considered safe for landfill.

Transport Considerations

There is no special classification for conveyance required for this product. It should be duly noted however that packs of this product can be bulky when loading and unloading and the use of mechanical lift equipment should be considered.

Toxicological Information

From our experience and the information available to us, we are not aware that the product carries any harmful risk to health provided that all safety procedures as outlined in the 'Exposure Controls/Personal Protection' section are followed.

Ecological Information

Do not discharge this product into the natural environment or allow entrance to watercourses, etc. However, in mud the product will be absorbed and is biodegradable.

Regulatory Information

Chemicals ('Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply') Regulations 2002.

Other Information

Other sources of information and current legislation relating to the product can be found in:

- Health & Safety at Work Act 1974.
- Control of Substances Hazardous to Health (COSHH) Regulations (4th Edition) 2002.
- HSE guidance note EH40 (Occupational Exposure Limits). EH40 is published annually and the most recent issue should be used.
- Manual Handling Operations Regulations 1992.
- St. John or Red Cross manuals on first aid measures

Recipients of WBS products must take responsibility for existing laws and regulations and at all times operate within Health and Safety guidance on the use of these products.

The information provided within this data sheet is deemed to be accurate to the best of our knowledge and given in good faith.