

Chem Alert Report

Product Name **ASBESTOS SHEET, COMPRESSED**

Ingredient

ASBESTOS (CHRYSTILE)
RUBBER

Conc.

CAS No.

Not Available 12001-29-5
Not Available Not Available

Shipping CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO NOHSC CRITERIA.
WHITE ASBESTOS (chrysotile, actinolite, anthophyllite, tremolite)

Synonyms COMPRESSED ASBESTOS SHEET.

Appearance SOLID, FIBROUS MATERIAL

Odour ODOURLESS

Use(s) INDUSTRIAL APPLICATIONS.

Supplier MANVILLE SALES CORP

Stock No. , ,

Poison Sched None Allocated
Pkg Group II

Hazchem 2X
EPG 9B7

UN No. 2590

D.G Class 9
Sub/Tert Risk None Allocated

HEALTH HAZARDS

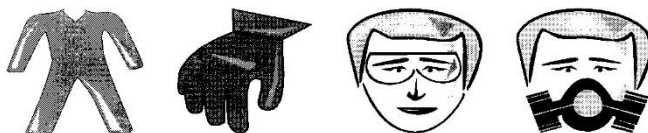
Health Hazard Summary	Highly toxic via inhalation. Use safe work practices to avoid fibre generation. Respirable asbestos fibres have the potential to cause asbestosis, cancer and mesothelioma. There is generally a latency period of 3.5-30 years after the initial period of exposure before disease becomes evident. In general, mesotheliomas are fatal within twelve months of diagnosis. Classified as carcinogenic to humans (IARC Group 1).
Eye	Irritant. Exposure to fibres may result in irritation, lacrimation, pain and redness.
Inhalation	Highly toxic. Over exposure may result in asbestosis, cancer or mesothelioma. Symptoms of disease; breathlessness, chest or abdominal pain, dry cough, decreased lung function, rales, finger clubbing, breathing difficulties & possibly a bluish skin discolouration due to a lack of oxygen.
Skin	Irritant. Prolonged contact may result in itching, redness and skin rash. Chronic exposure may result in the development of 'asbestos warts'.
Ingestion	Non toxic. The development of asbestos related diseases are not related to ingestion of the material, but inhalation of airborne fibres. No evidence exists to indicate that asbestos may be toxic via ingestion.

PRECAUTIONS

Flammability	Non flammable. No fire or explosion hazard exists.
Reactivity	Compatible with most commonly used materials.
Ventilation	Do not inhale dust/fibres. Localised extraction ventilation or wet methods of work should be used to control dust levels. Clean area with vacuum cleaner equipped with high efficiency filters (HEPA) and conforming to AS3544.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

PPE	Wear coveralls, dust-proof goggles, a Class P2 (Particulate) Respirator and PVC or rubber gloves. At high dust levels, wear a Powered Air Purifying Respirator (PAPR) with Class P3 (Particulate) filter, an Air-line respirator or a Full-face Class P3 (Particulate) respirator.
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**Colour
Rating
RED**

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Notification of	☐ Death	☐ Dangerous incident	☐ Serious injury / illness
Incident date			
Incident location			
Description of incident			
INJURY / ILLNESS DETAILS			
Injured party name			
Description of injury / illness			
Treatment given			
CONTROL MEASURES			
Corrective action required			
Person to action		When	☐ Immediately ☐ Within 24 hours ☐ Within 7 days