

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: VPI Sleevings<sup>®</sup> Manufacturer:

(A, B, OB, KC) Federal-Mogul Corporation

26555 Northwestern Highway

Southfield, MI 48033

MSDS# BH-033 **24hr Emerg # (Infotrac): 1-800-535-5053** 

International: 001-352-323-3500 Non-Emerg #: 248-354-9844

## SECTION 2: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

BH – VPI Sleevings<sup>®</sup> (A, B, OB, KC) are acrylic resin-coated fiberglass sleevings that provide protection from temperatures up to 155°C. These sleevings prevent fiberglass fray, eliminating skin irritation normally associated with fiberglass. The sleevings are highly flexible and easy to apply over components.

Although several of the ingredients used to formulate this product may be hazardous in the raw state, the manufacturing process results in a solid, infusible form, binding and otherwise, rendering the product inert. The constituents identified below may be present in quantities greater than 1% (0.1% for carcinogens) that may be released from the product by such operations as overheating, burning, machining, abrading, or riveting.

The information in this document provides the minimum criteria for safe usage and handling of this product. Companies using this product should develop their own occupational health program to protect employees from injury or adverse health effects.

Ingredient Continuous filament glass fibers	<b>CAS No.</b> 65997-17-3	<b>% Weight</b> <95	OSHA PEL 1 f/cc*	<b>ACGIH TLV (2005)</b> 1 f/cc or 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Acrylonitrile	107-13-1	<1	2 ppm	2 ppm
Formaldehyde	50-0-0	<0.1	0.75 ppm 2 ppm (STEL)	0.3 ppm (C) (A2)
Acrylamide	79-06-1	<1	0.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (S)	0.03 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (inhalable fraction and vapor) (S)
Ethyl acrylate	140-88-5	<1	25 ppm (S)	5 ppm

<sup>\*</sup> proposed

## **SECTION 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

## **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

The product is not considered hazardous, but operations (e.g., overheating, burning, machining, abrading, or riveting) that can create airborne dust should be avoided.

## POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

**Inhalation:** Dust or vapor may cause respiratory irritation.

**Skin**: Prolonged contact may cause skin irritation.

Eye: Dust particles may cause irritation or corneal injury due to mechanical action.

**Ingestion:** Not a probable route of entry.

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POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS (continued)				
Carcinogenicity:	COMPONENT NTP IARC OSHA			
Acrylamide				
,	Yes 2A No			
Acrylonitrile				
	Yes 2B Yes			
Continuous filament glass fibers				
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Ethyl acrylate				
Luiji doljidio	Yes 2B No			
Formaldehyde				
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## Symptoms and Effects of Exposure to Selected Individual Components

## **ACRYLAMIDE**

Toxic by ingestion, skin contact, intravenous, intraperitoneal, and other exposure routes. Intoxication has caused peripheral neuropathy, erythema and peeling of the palms. It can be absorbed through intact skin.

## **ACRYLONITRILE**

**Acute** – May cause somnolence, general anesthesia, cyanosis and diarrhea. Symptoms include flushing of the face, salivation, irritation of eyes and nose, nausea, deepened respiration, weakness and headache. **Chronic** – IARC classifies acrylonitrile as "probably carcinogenic to humans."

**Other** – Human systemic irritant, may be toxic by skin and ingestion exposure routes. Target organs include liver, brain, kidneys and cardiovascular system.

## **CONTINUOUS FILAMENT GLASS FIBERS**

**Acute** - May cause irritation to skin, eyes, nose, and throat. May cause skin rash, conjunctivitis, coughing and sneezing.

**Chronic** – Although some studies of fibrous and mineral wool workers have shown a link to lung cancer in humans, those studies have clearly provided no evidence of a link between lung cancer and continuous filament fiberglass exposure.

#### **ETHYL ACRYLATE**

Toxic by ingestion and inhalation. Moderately toxic by skin contact and intraperitoneal routes. Human systemic effects by inhalation include eye, olfactory and pulmonary changes.

## **FORMALDEHYDE**

**Acute** – Gastrointestinal effects may develop if ingested; may cause nausea, vomiting and severe abdominal pain. Exposure to the skin may cause irritation and contact dermatitis at low to moderate levels. Inhalation may cause irritation of the upper respiratory tract, a burning sensation of the nose and throat, sneezing, coughing, headache, difficulty breathing, nausea, vomiting, and excessive thirst. May cause conjunctivitis, eye irritation/redness/burning and excessive tearing.

**Chronic** – May sensitize respiratory tract and cause an asthmatic reaction. May sensitize the skin and cause an allergic skin reaction. May aggravate asthma and inflammatory or fibrotic pulmonary disease.

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**SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES** 

Inhalation: Move to fresh air. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

**Eye Contact:** Rinse thoroughly with ample amounts of water. If irritation persists, seek medical

attention.

**Skin Contact:** Wash exposed area with soap and cool water. Avoid scratching irritated areas. If

irritation persists, seek medical attention.

Ingestion: Not a probable route of entry.

### **SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

This product is not flammable or combustible, and is flame resistant.

Flashpoint: N/A LEL: N/A UEL: N/A **Autoignition Temperature:** N/A

**Extinguishing Media:** Use media type for surrounding fire.

**Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:** None known.

**Special Fire-Fighting Procedure:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus when extinguishing a

fire.

## **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

If dust is generated, remove the dust by vacuuming or wet-mopping. Vacuums used for this purpose should be equipped with HEPA filters. Do not use compressed air to blow dust from surfaces.

## **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Store in a cool, dry place. If dust is generated during shipping, remove the dust from the container by vacuuming or wet-mopping. Vacuums used for this purpose should be equipped with HEPA filters. Do not use compressed air to blow dust from surfaces.

## **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

Ventilation Protection: Any operation which may produce dust, including machining, grinding, riveting, or

abrading this product, should be adequately exhausted to prevent inhalation of dust.

Use a NIOSH-approved respirator if there is a potential for exposure to exceed **Respiratory Protection:** 

applicable PELs or TLVs. (See 29 CFR 1910.134, OSHA Respiratory Protection

Standard.)

If skin irritation occurs, gloves and other protective garments may be worn. For Skin Protection:

cutting operations, gloves and loose-fitting clothing are recommended to be worn.

Wear safety glasses or goggles when cutting the material. Eyes:

## **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

**Boiling Point:** N/A N/A Vapor Pressure: **Melting Point:** Not determined Vapor Density (air = 1): N/A pH: % Volatile: N/A N/A

Specific Gravity: 1.20 - 1.38**Evaporation Rate:** N/A

Water Solubility: Insoluble Form, Color, and Odor: Solid, various colors, odorless

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**SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY** 

**Stability:** Stable at normal temperatures and storage conditions.

**Incompatibility** None known

(Materials/Conditions to Avoid):

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not polymerize.

**Decomposition Products:** Thermal decomposition will occur at temperatures exceeding 150°C and

may produce such by-products as carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide,

oxides of nitrogen, and small amounts of aromatic or aliphatic

hydrocarbons.

**SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION** 

**Inhalation:** Refer to Section 3

**Skin**: Refer to Section 3

Eye: Refer to Section 3

**Ingestion:** Refer to Section 3

Acute: None known

Chronic: None known

**SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION** 

Not available.

**SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS** 

Federal and state law regulates disposal of scrap material or dust as solid waste. Contact local regulatory agencies for guidance.

**SECTION 14: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION** 

Proper Shipping Name: Not regulated

Hazard Class: N/A
Identification Number: N/A
Packing Group: N/A
Shipping Label: None
Additional Marking Requirement: None

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**SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION** 

U.S. TSCA: The chemicals used to manufacture this product are listed on the U.S.

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory.

California Proposition 65: This product contains acrylamide, acrylonitrile, ethyl acrylate, and

formaldehyde, ingredients known to the State of California to cause

cancer, birth defects or other reproductive effects.

SARA Title III -

**Section 313 Supplier Notification:** 

This product contains the following chemicals subject to SARA Title III/CERCLA "reportable quantities" (RQs) and/or "threshold planning quantities" (TPQs) and/or are classified as "Toxic Chemicals" under the Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act (EPCRA) of

1986 and 40 CFR 372:

 Ingredient
 CAS Number

 Acrylamide
 79-06-1

 Acrylonitrile
 107-13-1

 Ethyl acrylate
 140-88-5

 Formaldehyde
 50-00-0

RCRA Hazardous Waste Code: Not Available

CERCLA Hazardous Substances: Acrylamide, acrylonitrile, formaldehyde, and ethyl acrylate are CERCLA

Hazardous Substances.

**OSHA:** OSHA has developed PELs for acrylamide, acrylonitrile, ethyl acrylate,

and formaldehyde constituents, but not for the product.

WHMIS Classification: Not Available

## **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

## Abbreviations:

CAS No.: Chemical Abstract Services Number

OSHA PEL: U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Permissible Exposure Limit

ACGIH TLV: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, Threshold Limit Value (2005)

ppm: Parts of contaminant per million parts of sampled air, on a volume-to-volume basis.

f/cc: Fibers per cubic centimeter of sampled air

mg/m<sup>3</sup>: Milligrams of contaminant per cubic meter of sampled air, on a weight-to-volume basis.

C: Ceiling limit, a concentration that shall not be exceeded at any time during the exposure

period.

A2: ACGIH has designated this constituent as a suspected human carcinogen.

STEL: Short-term exposure limit

(S): "Skin" notation meaning that there is a potential for cutaneous absorption.

N/A: Not Applicable

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

NTP: National Toxicology Program HEPA: High-efficiency particulate air

NIOSH: National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health

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