
SECTION 1 – IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: FOAMGLAS® insulation, FOAMGLAS® ONE™ insulation, FOAMGLAS® HLB insulation

Manufacturer/Supplier:

Pittsburgh Corning Corporation

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Information Number: +1 724 327 6100

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Generic Name: Cellular glass insulation

Use: Insulation of tanks, spheres, piping, roofs and equipment. For professional use only.

Chemical Family: Mixture

General

Comments:

General information is available at www.foamglas.com or by using the information number listed above. General inquiries are typically processed within two business days.

In event of chemical transportation emergencies involving a spill, leak, fire, exposure, or accident involving the chemical, contact Chemtrec at the number listed above.

SECTION 2 – HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: Potential Irritant

SIGNAL WORD: **WARNING**

HAZARD STATEMENT: Dust in contact with skin will cause irritation.
Direct contact of dust with eyes will cause eye irritation.



HAZARDOUS
POLYMERIZATION: Will Not Occur

ROUTES OF EXPOSURE: Inhalation, Skin, Eyes and Ingestion.

IMMEDIATE EFFECTS:

INHALATION: No adverse effects are expected. May cause respiratory irritation.

SKIN CONTACT: Irritation or abrasion from glass particles.

EYE CONTACT: Contact can cause severe irritation, inflammation of the mucous membrane, tearing, and sensitivity to light.

INGESTION: May be harmful if ingested, although this is not a likely route of entry. Ingestion can cause possible abrasion of mouth and throat from glass particles.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE:

ACUTE: Preexisting skin and eye disorders may be aggravated by direct contact to this product.

CHRONIC: Prolonged or repeated overexposure to airborne glass dust can lead to inflammation and scarring of lung tissue.

CARCINOGENICITY: There are no components in this product that are listed as a carcinogen by NTP, IARC, ACGIH or OSHA.

SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredient	App. % by Wt.	CAS #
Glass Dust	Varies	NA

SECTION 4 – FIRST AID MEASURES

GENERAL

ADVICE: Obtain special instructions before use. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label if possible)

INHALATION: Move the exposed person to fresh air at once, apply artificial respiration if needed. Call poison center, physician or emergency medical service if needed. Encourage victim to cough, spit out, and blow nose to remove dust. If breathing is difficult, GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

SKIN CONTACT: Wash thoroughly without pressure. If irritation persists or skin is broken, consult physician.

EYE CONTACT: Flush with potable water for 15 minutes, do not rub or apply pressure. Consult physician or emergency medical service.

INGESTION: An unlikely route of entry. Wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician immediately

SECTION 5 – FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

SUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Fine Water Spray, CO₂, Dry Chemical, Foam. If entering a confined area, use self-contained breathing apparatus.

EXPLOSION DATA:

SENSITIVITY TO MECHANICAL IMPACT: NA
SENSITIVITY TO STATIC DISCHARGE: NA

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:

None. This product is not flammable or combustible. Packaging is combustible.

HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS:

None known.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing.

SECTION 6 – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

PRECAUTIONS FOR PERSONNEL:

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe dust. Avoid generating dust

Wear personal protective equipment. Refer to recommendations in section 8. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or drinking.

ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use dustless methods. All in accordance with local, state and federal government regulations.

PROCESS FOR CLEANING:

Collect in sift proof containers. Avoid generation of dust.

REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS:

Follow applicable OSHA regulations (29 CFR 1910.120).

SECTION 7 – HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING: Avoid generation of dust. Wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking or using toilet. Keep out of reach of children.

STORAGE: If storing for long periods, protect product from weather.

SECTION 8 – EXPOSURE RESTRICTIONS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPOSURE LIMITS

Ingredient	App. % by Wt.	TLV	NIOSH REL TWA	PEL	CAS #
Glass Dust	Varies	10 mg/m ³	UN	15 mg/m ³ 5 mg/m ^{3a} (^a respirable)	NA

EXPOSURE GUIDELINES: Seek guidance from a qualified industrial hygienist or safety professional to determine PPE or engineering control requirements specific to working conditions.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS: When cutting, grinding, crushing, or drilling FOAMGLAS® insulation, provide general or local ventilation systems, as needed, to maintain airborne dust concentrations below the regulatory limits. Local vacuum collection is preferred since it prevents release of dust into the work area by controlling it at the source. Other technologies that may aid in controlling airborne respirable dust include wet suppression, ventilation, process enclosure, and enclosed employee work stations.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

EYE PROTECTION: When cutting, grinding, crushing, or drilling FOAMGLAS® insulation, wear safety glasses with side shields or dust goggles in dusty environments. Wear goggles while cutting or abrading in windy conditions, or when performing overhead work.

SKIN PROTECTION: Wear gloves for abrasion protection. Wear normal protective work clothing including long-sleeved shirt.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Seek guidance from a qualified industrial hygienist or safety professional to determine proper dust mask, respirator, or engineering controls for specific working conditions. When exposed to nuisance dust above recommended limits, wear a suitable NIOSH-approved respirator with a protection factor appropriate for the level of exposure. Supplied air or self-contained breathing apparatus may be required in poorly ventilated areas.

ENVIRONMENTAL EXPOSURE CONTROL: Use local exhaust when cutting. Mechanical ventilation may be required when crushing or grinding large volumes.

WORK/HYGIENIC PRACTICES: Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or drinking.

SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS: Respirable dust particles may be generated by crushing, cutting, grinding or drilling FOAMGLAS® insulation. Follow protective controls listed in the Exposure Guidelines above when handling these products.

SECTION 9 – PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	Black cellular solid	Flash Point : °C (°F) TCC	NA
Odor:	no odor unless cut or crushed, rotten egg odor when cells are crushed or cut	Ignition Temperature: °C (°F)	NA
Odor Threshold:	0.002 ppm	Evaporation Rate (BuAC=1)	NA
pH	NA	Flammability:	Non-Flammable
Melting Point/Freezing Point: °C (°F)	732 (1350)	Flammable Limits: LEL UEL	NA NA
Boiling Point: °C (°F)	NA	Vapor Pressure: (MM Hg): pH:	NA NA
Solubility in Water:	Insoluble	Vapor Density: (Air = 1)	NA
Partition Coefficient: n-octanol/water:	NA	Specific Gravity: (H ₂ O = 1):	0.11 – 0.22
Viscosity	NA	Evaporation Rate: (BuAC=1)	NA
VOC: g/l (lbs./gal)	0.0 (0.0)	Percent Volatile By Volume: (%)	NA

SECTION 10 – STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.

STABILITY: Stable

POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS: Hazardous reaction will not occur

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: NA

MATERIALS TO AVOID: NA

DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: None

SECTION 11 – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

CAS #	INGREDIENT	DERMAL LD50	INHALATION LD50	ORAL LD50
NA	Glass Dust	NE	NE	NE

CAS #	INGREDIENT	CARCINOGENICITY		TERATOGENICITY	MUTAGENICITY
		ACGIH	IARC		
NA	Glass Dust	NE	NE	NE	NE

SECTION 12 – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

BIODEGRADATION: NA
 BIOACCUMULATION: NA
 AQUATIC TOXICITY: NA
 OTHER INFORMATION: None

SECTION 13 – DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

DISPOSAL METHOD: Dispose of waste material in accordance with all local, regional, national, provincial, territorial and international regulations.

SECTION 14 – TRANSPORT INFORMATION

SPECIAL SHIPPING INFORMATION: Not regulated
 DOT SHIPPING CLASS: Not regulated.
 TDG: Not regulated.
 IATA: Not regulated

