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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Name

Mineral Fibres according Note Q

Other Means of Identification

Roxul®1000, Rockbrake®, Rockseal®, Rockforce®, CoatForce®, Lapinus®, RIF41001, RIF48003, ROCKWOOL®

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified Use(s)

Additive in composites

Uses Advised Against

No Uses advised against

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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Languages spoken

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SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture according to S.O. 966 (1989)

Not classified as dangerous for supply/use.

Label elements

Product Name

Mineral Fibres according Note Q

Hazard Pictogram(s)

None assigned.

Signal Word(s)

None assigned.

Hazard Statement(s)

Not applicable

Precautionary Statement(s)

None assigned.

Supplemental information

None assigned.

Other hazards

Handling of this material may generate a dust which can cause mechanical irritation of the eyes, skin nose and throat.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substances - Not applicable

Mixtures

Chemical identity of the substance	Common names, trade names, synonyms, etc.	CAS No.	EC No.	%W/W
Man-made vitreous (silicate) fibres (MMVF) with random orientation with alkaline oxide and alkali earth oxide (Na ₂ O+K ₂ O+CaO+MgO+BaO) content greater than 18 % by weight]	Roxul®1000, Rockbrake®, Rockseal®, Rockforce®, CoatForce®, LAPINUS®, RIF41001, RIF48003, ROCKWOOL®	65997-17-3*	266-046-0	98 - 100

* Generic CAS No. 65997-17-3, Specific CAS No. 287922-11-6, Specific CAS No. 1010446-98-6. See Section 16 for details. This product does not contain crystalline silica.

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SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES



Description of first aid measures

Self-protection of the first aider

Wear appropriate personal protective equipment, avoid direct contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

Inhalation

IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

Skin Contact

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Wash with plenty of water. If irritation (redness, rash, blistering) develops, get medical attention.

Eye Contact

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If symptoms develop, obtain medical attention.

Ingestion

IF SWALLOWED: Do not induce vomiting wash out mouth with water. If symptoms occur obtain medical attention.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Handling of this material may generate a dust which can cause mechanical irritation of the eyes, skin nose and throat.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically

SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Non-combustible. Does not support combustion. Not flammable. In case of fire use extinguishing media appropriate to surrounding conditions. Foam, water spray or fog.

Unsuitable extinguishing Media

Do not use water jet. Direct water jet may spread the fire.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

None known.

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters

Fire fighters should wear complete protective clothing including self-contained breathing apparatus. Do not breathe fumes. Keep containers cool by spraying with water if exposed to fire.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear suitable protective clothing. Handling of this material may generate a dust which can cause mechanical irritation of the eyes, skin nose and throat. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Do not allow to enter drains, sewers or watercourses.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Stop leak if safe to do so. Use vacuum equipment for collecting spilt materials, where practicable. Damp down to avoid dust generation. Transfer to a lidded container for disposal or recovery. Avoid dust generation. Respiratory protection is not necessary if room is well ventilated.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Preventive measures for safe handling

Ensure operatives are trained to minimise exposures. Ensure adequate ventilation. Ensure suitable personal protection during removal of spillages. Good hygiene practices and housekeeping measures. Keep good industrial hygiene.

Prudence in safe handling

Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke at the work place.

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Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage temperature
Incompatible materials

Keep only in the original container/package in a cool well-ventilated place. Keep away from food, drinks and animal food. Keep container tightly closed.

Store at room temperature.

Avoid contact with moisture. Keep away from: Humidity

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Occupational Exposure Limits

Not established.

Biological limit value

Not established.

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Ensure adequate ventilation. Good hygiene practices and housekeeping measures. Keep container tightly closed and dry. Store in a cool/low-temperature, well-ventilated (dry) place.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust. Handling of this material may generate a dust which can cause mechanical irritation of the eyes, skin nose and throat. Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the working place, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled. The resistance of the protective clothing to chemicals should be ascertained with the respective supplier.

Eye/face protection



Eye Protection: Not normally required.

Recommended: Wear eye protection with side protection (EN166).

Skin protection



Hand protection:

Wear impervious gloves (EN374). Gloves should be changed if excessive exposure has occurred.

Body protection:

Wear suitable coveralls to prevent exposure to the skin. Wear work clothes with long sleeves.

Respiratory protection



In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection. A suitable dust mask or dust respirator with filter type A/P may be appropriate.

Hygiene Measures

Keep good industrial hygiene. Contaminated clothing should be thoroughly cleaned. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke at the work place.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Empirical data from a single compound or mixture	Not applicable
Appearance	Solid Grey / Green Fibres
Odour	Not established
Odour Threshold	Not established
pH	7 - 8
Melting Point/Freezing Point	> 1000 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not established
Flash point	Not applicable
Evaporation Rate	Not established

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Flammability (solid, gas)	Not flammable
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Not established
Vapour pressure	Not established
Vapour density	Not established
Relative density	2.7 – 2.8 g/cm ³
Solubility(ies)	Insoluble in water.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not established
Auto-ignition temperature	Not established
Decomposition Temperature	Not established
Viscosity	Not applicable

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	Stable under normal conditions.
Chemical stability	Stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Stable under normal conditions. Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.
Conditions to avoid	Keep away from acids and alkalis. Keep away from: Humidity
Incompatible materials	None known.
Hazardous decomposition product(s)	Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on toxicological effects	
Acute toxicity - Ingestion	Based upon the available data, the classification criteria are not met. Acute Toxicity Estimate Mixture Calculation: Estimated LC50 > 2000 mg/kg bw/day.
Acute toxicity - Inhalation	Based upon the available data, the classification criteria are not met. Acute Toxicity Estimate Mixture Calculation: Estimated LC50 >20.0 mg/l.
Acute toxicity - Skin Contact	Based upon the available data, the classification criteria are not met. Acute Toxicity Estimate Mixture Calculation: Estimated LC50 > 2000 mg/kg bw/day.
Skin corrosion/irritation	Based upon the available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Serious eye damage/irritation	Based upon the available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Respiratory or skin sensitization	Based upon the available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Germ cell mutagenicity	Based upon the available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Carcinogenicity	Based upon the available data, the classification criteria are not met. IARC Classification: Group 3. Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans.
	Note Q (EU) Data shows that the classification as a carcinogen need not apply if it can be shown that the substance fulfils one of the following conditions: — a short term biopersistence test by inhalation has shown that the fibres longer than 20 µm have a weighted half-life less than 10 days; or — a short term biopersistence test by intratracheal instillation has shown that the fibres longer than 20 µm have a weighted half-life less than 40 days; or — an appropriate intra-peritoneal test has shown no evidence of excess carcinogenicity; or — absence of relevant pathogenicity or neoplastic changes in a suitable long term inhalation test.
Reproductive toxicity	Based upon the available data, the classification criteria are not met.
STOT - single exposure	Based upon the available data, the classification criteria are not met.
STOT - repeated exposure	Based upon the available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Aspiration hazard	Based upon the available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Information on likely routes of exposure

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Inhalation	Possible – accidental exposure
Ingestion	Unlikely – accidental exposure
Skin Contact	Possible – accidental exposure
Eye Contact	Unlikely – accidental exposure

Early onset symptoms related to exposure Handling of this material may generate a dust which can cause mechanical irritation of the eyes, skin nose and throat.

Delayed health effects from exposure None known.

Exposure levels and health effects See Section: 8

Interactive effects None known

Other information None known

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity	Based upon the available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Persistence and degradability	Not readily biodegradable.
Bioaccumulative potential	Low bioaccumulation potential.
Mobility in soil	The product is predicted to have low mobility in soil. Insoluble in water.
Other adverse effects	None known

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation. Do not discharge into drains or the environment, dispose to an authorised waste collection point. Dispose of waste cans and containers according to local regulations.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not classified according to the United Nations 'Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods'.

	ADR/RID	IMDG	IATA/ICAO
UN number	Not classified	Not classified	Not classified
UN proper shipping name	Not classified	Not classified	Not classified
Transport hazard class(es)	Not classified	Not classified	Not classified
Packing group	Not classified	Not classified	Not classified
Environmental hazards	Not classified	Not classified	Not classified
Special precautions for user	See Section: 2		
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable		

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

National regulations

Manufacture, Storage and Import of Hazardous Chemical Rules, 1989 (as amended 2000)

Non-Regional

All chemicals are not listed

Note Q Fibres- IARC Classification: Group 3.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

The following sections contain revisions or new statements: V4.0

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Sections indicated with the following have been revised

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Existing Safety Data Sheet (SDS).

EU: Existing ECHA registration(s) for Glass, oxide, chemicals (CAS No. 65997-17-3).

The CAS number under which the Note Q fibres fall is 65997-17-3. Under this number the fibres are registered in the chemical registry systems in most countries in the world. This CAS number however is very broad. The specific chemistry of the bio-soluble fibre has been laid down in the CAS number 287922-11-6 and 1010446-98-6 and can be tracked in the CAS Registry System only.

LEGEND

LTEL: Long Term Exposure Limit

DNEL: Derived No Effect Level

PBT: PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

TLV: Threshold Limit Value (ACGIH)

EU: European Union

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

PNEC: Predicted No Effect Concentration

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

BEI: Biological Exposure Indices (ACGIH)

TWA: Time Weighted Average

Training advice: Consideration should be given to the work procedures involved and the potential extent of exposure as they may determine whether a higher level of protection is required.

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