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SECTION 1: Identification of the article and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Article
Product name : PROMATECT®-XS
Product group : Fire Protective Board

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the Article and uses advised against

1.2.1. Use of the Article

Main use category : Professional use
Use of the substance/mixture : Fire protection

1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the article

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

This product does not meet the criteria for classification in any hazard class according to the CLP Regulation No (EC) 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging.

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

No labelling applicable

2.3. Other hazards

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects : For the installed product in its final application: no hazards known.
During machining the product (drilling, cutting, sanding, etc.), airborne dust can be released. As with most types of nuisance dust, excessive inhalation of dust may cause irritation of the bronchial tubes. Can occur: eye irritation, irritation of mucous membranes and skin irritation. Some raw materials may contain traces of natural occurring quartz.
The handling and machining of this product may lead to the release of quartz containing dust. The inhalation of dust containing quartz, in particular the fine (respirable) dust fraction, in high concentrations or over a prolonged period of time may lead to lung disease (silicosis) and an increased risk of lung cancer.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substance

Not applicable

3.2. Mixture

Not applicable

3.3. Article

Components : Calcium sulphate hydrates with some admixtures as starch, surfactants, silicone and glass fibres.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : No specific first aid measures are required. Seek medical attention if ill effect or irritation develops.
First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove to fresh air and drink water.
First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash skin with plenty of water.
First-aid measures after eye contact : Do not rub the eye. Rinse immediately with plenty of water. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Drink water.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : May cause irritation to the respiratory tract and to other mucous membranes.
Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Prolonged skin contact may lead to skin irritation for sensitive persons.
Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Eye contact with dust may lead to transient eye irritation or inflammation.

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Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Not expected to present a significant ingestion hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : All extinguishing media can be used.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard : Nothing to report.
Explosion hazard : Product is not explosive.
Reactivity in case of fire : The product is non-combustible. Packaging may burn.
Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Do not breathe fumes from fires or vapours from decomposition.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Minimize generation of dust. Avoid breathing dusts. Avoid eye and skin contact. Dampen down any dust or use vacuum cleaner with correct filter.

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Use recommended respiratory protection.
Measures in case of dust release : Prevent spread of dust. Dampen down any dust or use vacuum cleaner with correct filter.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Use personal protective equipment as required.
Emergency procedures : Stop dust release.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent spread of dust.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment : Use closed containers to avoid dust release.
Methods for cleaning up : Shovel up small pieces. Dampen down any dust before putting into appropriate skips.

6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Additional hazards when processed : Dust, generated during machining and processing must be exhausted and the regulatory occupational exposure limits (workplace exposure limits in UK) for total and respirable dust and respirable quartz dust must be respected.
Precautions for safe handling : Avoid breathing dusts. Avoid eye and skin contact. Use always respiratory protective equipment when exposures are likely or can be foreseen to exceed the Occupational Exposure Limits or Workplace Exposure Limits in the UK (refer to local regulations). Collect dust with a vacuum cleaner or soak with water before sweeping up. Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Use tools with appropriate dust exhaust equipment.
Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Store in a dry place.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Fire protection.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Calcium sulfate (7778-18-9)		
Ireland	Local name	Calcium sulphate
Ireland	OEL (8 hours ref) (mg/m ³)	10 mg/m ³

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Starch (9005-25-8)		
United Kingdom	Local name	Starch
United Kingdom	WEL TWA (mg/m ³)	4 mg/m ³ respirable 10 mg/m ³ total inhalable
Crystalline Silica, respirable fraction (14808-60-7)		
Ireland	Local name	Quartz, respirable dust, (see Silica, crystalline)
Ireland	OEL (8 hours ref) (mg/m ³)	0,1 mg/m ³
United Kingdom	Local name	crystalline silica (quartz), respirable
United Kingdom	WEL TWA (mg/m ³)	0,1 mg/m ³

Occupational Exposure Limits / Workplace Exposure Limits for particles not otherwise classified or regulated (nuisance dust) : - in UK: Inhalable: 10 mg/m³. Respirable: 4 mg/m³
- in Ireland: Inhalable: 10 mg/m³. Respirable: 4 mg/m³

Additional information : Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.

8.2. Exposure controls

- Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure vacuum dust exhaust with correct filter when using motorised machining tools. When machining boards (drilling, cutting, sanding, etc.), respect Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL) or Workplace Exposure Limits (WEL in the UK) for inhalable and respirable dust and for respirable quartz dust. Check the latest Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL) or Workplace Exposure Limits (WEL in the UK) for airborne contaminants that are applicable in your country.
- Eye protection : Avoid contact with eyes. Use safety glasses whenever tools are used and dusts are produced
- Skin and body protection : Avoid contact with skin. Use working clothes and gloves to protect against mechanical injury and direct skin contact
- Respiratory protection : Avoid breathing dusts. Use appropriate respiratory equipment when exposures are likely or can be foreseen to exceed the Occupational Exposure Limits or Workplace Exposure Limits for the UK (e.g. for exposures up to 10 times the OEL (WEL) use at least a P2 type duct mask. For higher exposure, use a P3 type mask)
- Environmental exposure controls : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- Physical state : Solid
- Appearance : Board.
- Colour : light blue.
- Odour : odourless.
- Odour threshold : No data available
- pH : No data available
- Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1) : No data available
- Melting point : No data available
- Freezing point : No data available
- Boiling point : No data available
- Flash point : No data available
- Auto-ignition temperature : No data available
- Decomposition temperature : No data available
- Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available
- Vapour pressure : No data available
- Relative vapour density at 20 °C : No data available
- Relative density : No data available
- Density : ≈ 880 kg/m³ dry
- Solubility : In water, material is partially soluble.
- Log Pow : No data available
- Viscosity, kinematic : No data available
- Viscosity, dynamic : No data available
- Explosive properties : No data available
- Oxidising properties : No data available
- Explosive limits : No data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None known.

10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not classified
No acute toxicity has been reported, apart from some exceptional cases of transient eye irritation or inflammation, skin irritation or irritation of the mucosae (throat, bronchial tubes) by excessive exposure to dust

Calcium sulfate (7778-18-9)	
LD50 oral rat	> 5000 mg/kg
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Not classified
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Not classified
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	: Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Other information	: Some raw materials may contain traces of natural occurring quartz. The inhalation of quartz containing dust, in particular the fine dust fraction (respirable size), in high concentrations or over repeated or prolonged periods of time can be hazardous to health and may lead to chronic lung disease and an increased risk of lung cancer. This risk will be minimal if correct working practices are observed and applied. (Refer to Section 8). According to the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC Monograph Volume 100C - 2012) "Crystalline silica inhaled in the form of quartz or cristobalite is carcinogenic to humans (Group 1)". The fibres used in this product do not meet the definition of critical or respirable fibre as defined by WHO convention because of their large diameter. Because the fibres are considered as non-respirable, they are not expected to pose a cancer risk.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms nor to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.
Calcium sulfate is slightly soluble in water (solubility of 2 g CaSO₄ / liter).
In certain anaerobic conditions, the sulfate, associated with certain organic components, can lead to the formation of hydrogen sulfide. The sulfate ion is one of the least toxic anions (WHO 1993 Guide on the quality of drinking water).

12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

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12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

12.6. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / RID / IMDG / IATA / ADN

ADR	IMDG	IATA	ADN	RID
14.1. UN number				
Not regulated for transport				
14.2. UN proper shipping name				
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)				
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.4. Packing group				
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.5. Environmental hazards				
Dangerous for the environment : No	Dangerous for the environment : No Marine pollutant : No	Dangerous for the environment : No	Dangerous for the environment : No	Dangerous for the environment : No
No supplementary information available				

14.6. Special precautions for user

- Overland transport

No data available

- Transport by sea

No data available

- Air transport

No data available

- Inland waterway transport

Carriage prohibited (ADN) : No

Not subject to ADN : No

- Rail transport

Carriage prohibited (RID) : No

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

15.1.1. EU-Regulations

Contains no substance on the REACH candidate list

15.1.2. National regulations

No additional information available

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

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Full text of H- and EUH-statements:

STOT RE 1	Specific target organ toxicity — Repeated exposure, Category 1
H372	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

Safety information applicable for regions : CY;GB;GI;IE;IS;MT

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