

# **Durasafe® Compact Laminate Material Safety Data Sheet**

### Section 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Durasafe® Compact Laminate

All grades, finishes, sizes, & thicknesses (3mm – 25mm)

Trade Names: Durasafe® Compact Laminate

(all products technically called as HIGH-PRESSURE DECORATIVE

LAMINATES)

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**Product uses:** Decorative purpose in making furniture, doors, cubicles,

exterior cladding

In case of emergency contact:

**Australia:** 1300 387 228

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### Section 2: EMERGENCY OVERVIEW & HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

No known hazards for material as supplied.

Appearance/Odour: Thin to thick, rigid laminate sheets, various sizes, finishes thicknesses and

colours.

No significant odour.

## For products in sheets or boards form:

**NFPA Labelling:** Health–0, Fire -1, Reactivity-0,

(0= minimal hazard, 1 =slight hazard, 2=moderate hazard, 3= severe hazard,

4= extreme hazard)

HMIS: Health-0, Flammability-1, Reactivity-0, PPE-B

GHS Classification: Not applicable. Material is classified as non-hazardous GHS Signal Words with Hazard and Precautionary Statements: No Applicable

**GHS Pictograms:** Not Applicable

Route of Entry: None for the product as sold

Target Organs: None

**Skin Contact:** Solid Sheet may cut skin or cause abrasions if they are not handled properly

Eve Contact: No Hazard for product as sold

Respiratory Contact: No Hazard for product as sold

**Ingestion:** Not likely to occur and not expected to cause a significant toxic response.

**Potential Health effects:** Sanding, sawing, drilling, routing, etc. of this material during fabrication may generate airborne nuisance dust, fines, chips etc. This dust may cause eye, nose, skin, and upper respiratory tract irritation. Use of appropriate personal protection and/or engineering controls (such as local exhaust ventilation) should be employed whenever sanding, sawing, drilling, routing, etc. of this material. Refer Section 4 for first aid and measures.



## Section 3: COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

This product does not contain regulated levels of NTP, IARC, or OSHA listed carcinogens

Component	CAS Number	% by Weight
Paper/Fibre	NA	40-70
Resins (PF & MF)	9003-35-4 & 9003-08-01	30-50

## **Section 4: FIRST AID AND MEASURES**

**Eye Contact**: No hazard for product as sold. During cutting, sawing, fabrication or routing or any such operations dust or fines may get generated. Use of PPE recommended during these operations. If dust gets into the eyes, immediately rinse affected eye for at least 15 minutes with clean water. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

**Skin Contact:** No hazard for product as sold when handled properly. However, they may cause cuts or abrasions if not handled properly. During cutting, sawing, fabrication or routing or any such operations fines or dust may get generated. If excess dust gets into the skin, remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash skin with soap and water. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

**Ingestion:** Not likely to occur. During cutting, sawing, fabrication or routing or any such operations fines or dust may get generated. If dust gets into mouth, rinse with clean water. Seek medical attention if necessary.

**Inhalation:** No hazard for product as sold. During cutting, sawing, fabrication or routing or any such operations fines or dust may get generated. Use of PPE recommended during these operations. If excess dust is inhaled, move to fresh air. Seek medical attention if symptoms such as wheezing and/or shortness of breath occur.

In case the products in form of heavy boards are required to be handled manually, insist on wearing safety shoes

# **Section 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Flash Point: Not applicable

Flammability Classification: Not available

Explosion risk due to Mechanical Impact: Not applicable

**Explosion risk due to Static Discharge**: Not applicable for product as sold. Safety precautions and proper ventilation as recommended by NFPA-68 for Class ST-1 dusts should be followed for dust/chips arising during operations like fabrication, milling, sawing etc., from presenting an explosion hazard.

**Suitable Extinguishing Media**: CO2, water, foam or dry chemical powder **Possible Products of Combustion**: Various oxides of carbon and nitrogen.

**Firefighters**: Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full fire-fighting turnout gear.

# Section 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions & Emergency procedures**: Material is non-hazardous as sold. **Environmental precautions**: None

**Methods for Clean-up:** Recover undamaged materials for reuse or reclamation. Sweep or pick up scrap material and place in disposal containers.



## Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Handling:** Institute necessary housekeeping measures to keep the product free from dust. Minimize dust generation and accumulation and prevent dust from entering eyes. Do not breathe dust. Avoid prolong skin contact with dust and/or filings. Cut, drill, saw, sand and finish, etc. in well-ventilated areas. Never allow dispersion of dust into air.

**Storage:** Store in dry, well-ventilated area and keep away from strong chemicals, solvents and excessive heat. Prolonged or extreme heat can cause damage to the surface.

# Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION EQUIPMENT

Exposure Guidelines	OSHA PEL	Exposure Guidelines	Material
Total Dust	15 mg/ M3	Inhalable	Dust arising from cutting, drilling, milling etc. of the product
Respirable Dust	5 mg/ M3	Respirable	

**Engineering Controls**: Provide adequate ventilation to maintain exposure levels below applicable limits wherever fabrication works generate dust or fines. All dust control equipment, collection equipment and material transport equipment are provided with explosion relief vents. The system must be designed to effectively remove the dust generated and ensures prevention of dust escaping to work areas.

Eye/face Protection: Wear safety glasses when sawing, sanding, drilling or routing.

**Skin Protection**: Wear appropriate gloves when installing, transporting, sawing, cutting, drilling, routing or handling during different fabrication stages.

**Foot Protection**: No special protection required unless heavy boards are handled. Wear safety shoes in such cases.

**Respiratory Protection:** Where airborne concentrations of dust are expected to exceed the allowable exposures approved respirator should be worn, chosen based on the form and concentration of the contaminant. Respirator usage must be in accordance with the OSHA Respiratory Protection Standard, 29 CFR 1910.134.

**General Hygiene**: Wash thoroughly after sawing, cutting, drilling, or routing. Have eyewash facilities at different points of work

# Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Odour: None

Odour Threshold: Not applicable Physical State: Solid sheet or board

pH: Not applicable

Freezing Point: Not applicable Boiling Point: Not applicable Flash Point: Not applicable Evaporation Rate: Not applicable

Upper Flammability Limit: Not applicable
Decomposition Temperature: Not available

Lower Flammability Limit: Not applicable

Vapor Pressure: Not applicable Vapor Density: Not applicable

Specific Gravity: 1.45
Solubility (water): Insoluble

Auto-ignition Temperature: Not applicable

VOC release: Extremely low.

Lower Explosion Limits: Not applicable Upper Explosion Limit: Not applicable



## Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable

Reactivity: Non-reactive

Conditions to Avoid: Avoid exposing to oxidizers, strong chemicals, alkaline solutions and

solvents.

**Incompatible Materials:** Avoid strong acids and alkaline solutions which will damage the surface appearance of the material. If spills occur, remove immediately from the material. **Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Thermal decomposition product may include various

oxides of carbon

Hazardous Polymerization: No hazardous polymerization or reactions occur.

## Section 11 (a): TOXICOLOGICAL DATA-ACUTE EFFECTS

Acute Toxicity to Humans or Animals: Not expected to be toxic

Oral LD50: Not known Dermal LD50: Not known.

**Inhalation:** See Section 2. Toxicity data not available **Eye Irritation:** See Section 2. Toxicity data not available **Skin irritation:** See Section 2. Toxicity data not available

**Sensitization:** No data for product **STOT, SE:** No data for the product

#### Section 11 (b): TOXICOLOGICAL DATA -CHRONIC EFFECTS

Chronic Toxicity to Humans or Animals: Not expected to be toxic Carcinogenicity:

This product may contain trace amounts of formaldehyde which is listed by IARC as carcinogenic. The ACGIH lists formaldehyde as a suspect human carcinogen. NTP: formaldehyde as carcinogenic. The Product has been proved to meet Greenguard Certifications Norms.

STOT, RE: No data for the product

**Mutagenicity:** 

Reproductive Effects: No data for product.

Developmental Effects: No data for product

## Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Eco-toxicity**: No data for product

Persistence/Degradability: No data for product

Bio-accumulation / Accumulation: No data for product

Mobility in Environment: No data for product

#### **Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Disposal:** Material is non-hazardous and no special treatment is required for disposal. Disposal in landfill must be in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulations.



## Section 14: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

DOT Classification:	Not Regulated
Transport Hazard Class:	Not applicable
Packing group:	Not applicable
ADR Classification:	Not applicable
RID Classification:	Not applicable

UN Number/Shipping name: Not available

## **International Regulations:**

**EINECS: None** 

WHMIS (Canada): Product not classified as hazardous

## **Glossary of terms:**

**ACGIH-**AMERICAN CONFERENCE OF GOVERNMENTAL INDUSTRIAL HYGIENISTS

**ASTM-**AMERICAL SOCIETY FOR TESTING AND MATERIALS

**ACC-CLEAN AIR ACT** 

ADR-INTERNATIONAL CARRIAGE OF DANGEROUS GOODS BY ROAD

**CAS-**CHEMICAL ABSTRACTS SERVICES

**CFR-CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS** 

CERCLA- COMPREHENSIVE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, COMPENSATION, AND

LIABILITY ACT

**DOT-**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

**EINECS**: EUROPEAN INVENTORY OF EXISTING COMMERCIAL CHEMICAL SUBSTANCES

IARC-INTERNATIONAL AGENCY FOR RESEARCH ON CANCER

LD50-LETHAL DOSE 50%

**GHS**-GLOBALLY ORGANIZED SYSTEM

**HMIS-HAZARDOUD MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM** 

**NFPA-NATIONAL FIRE PREVENTION ASSOCIATION** 

NTP-NATIONAL TOXICOLOGY PROGRAMME

**OSHA-**OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

**PEL-**PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMIT

RCRA: RESOURCE CONSERATION AND RECOVERY ACT

RID- INTERNATIONAL CARRIAGE OF DANGEROUS GOODS BY RAIL

STOT, RE: SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY, REPEATED EXPOSURE

STOT, SE: SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY, REPEATED EXPOSURE

**TLV-THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE** 

WHMIS: WORK PLACE HAZARDOUS MATERIAL INFORMATION SYSTEM

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