

Safety Data Sheet

EGGER Laminates

According to 29 CFR 1910.1200 App D

This product is not hazardous in the form in which it is shipped by the manufacturer, but may become hazardous by dust generating downstream activities (e.g. grinding, sanding, cutting or pulverizing).

Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and the company/undertaking

1.1 Product Identifier

Trade name	EGGER Laminates, EGGER XL Laminates, EGGER Laminates with Colored Core, EGGER PerfectSense Topmatt Laminates, EGGER Flammex Laminates, EGGER Micro Laminates, EGGER Painting Grade Laminates
Product description	Laminates are decorative coating materials.

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

Recommended use	Decorative coating applications
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1.3 Details of the supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

Manufacturer/Supplier/Importer	Fritz EGGER GmbH & Co. OG Weiberndorf 20 6380 St. Johann in Tyrol Austria +43 0800 888 111
Regional Support Centre	EGGER Wood Products LLC(US) P.O. Box 907 Lexington, NC 27293 T+1-800-940-9633
Additional information	environment@egger.com

1.4 Emergency phone number

1-800-424-9300 / +1 703-527-3887 (Chemtrec)

Section 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

OSHA HCS 2012	This product is generally an article and not hazardous, but is regulated under OSHA for the release of dust during downstream activities, like grinding, sanding, cutting and sawing. The free formaldehyde levels are below OSHA reporting requirements.
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2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to paragraph (f) 1910.1200; OSHA29 CFR	
Hazard pictograms	void
Signal word	void
Hazard statements	void

Precautionary statements void

2.3 Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT Not applicable

vPvB Not applicable

OSHA HCS 2012 This product is not considered hazardous under the U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200 Hazard Communication Standard in the form in which it is shipped, but may become hazardous by dust generating downstream activities (e.g. grinding, sanding, cutting or pulverizing).

Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2 Chemical characterization: Mixtures (Article)

Description Laminates are decorative coating materials. Laminates consist of cellulose fibre web (paper) impregnated with heat-setting resins. They have a multilayer structure and consist of melamine-formaldehyde resin impregnated decorative paper and one or more layers of soda Kraft paper impregnated with phenolic resins, which are laminated under high pressure and heat.
In the production process all used resin are cured and polymerized.
Perfect Sense laminates are coated with an acrylic lacquer.

Section 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General information	No special measures required regarding the product in the form it is shipped, downstream activities like cutting, sawing or grinding can generate dust. To avoid health hazards while these downstream activities, take note of the following measures:
Inhalation	If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
Skin	Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. After contact with the molten product, cool rapidly with cold water
Eye	Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Get medical attention if you feel unwell and contact a poison control center or medical professional.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Refer to Section 11 – Toxicological Information

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No further relevant information available

Section 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Use firefighting measures that suit the environment

Water

Fire-extinguishing powder

Carbon dioxide

Foam

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Laminates are not an explosion hazard. Sawing, sanding, or machining laminates can result in the by-product dust. Dust may present a strong to severe explosion hazard if a dust cloud contacts an ignition source.

In case of fire, the following gases can be released:

Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Carbon monoxide (CO), Oxides of Nitrogen and other hazardous gases and particles

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment

Mouth respiratory protective device

Additional information

Prevent formation of dust

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated firefighting water in accordance with official regulations.

Section 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions

Do not breathe dust.

Emergency Procedures

No emergency procedures are expected to be necessary if material is used under ordinary conditions as recommended.

6.2 Environment precautions

No special measures required

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Not applicable for product in purchased form. Dust generated from sawing, sanding, drilling or routing this product may be vacuumed or shoveled for recovery or disposal. Dust clean-up and disposal activities should be accomplished in a manner to minimize of airborne dust.

Dispose of the material collected according to regulations

6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment

See Section 13 for disposal information

Section 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Use good safety and industrial hygiene practices. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Routine housekeeping should be instituted to ensure that dusts do not accumulate on surfaces. Wear a respiratory mask if using hand tools without a dust extraction device. Observe all liability insurance association regulations for commercial processing operations (e.g. safety goggles).

Information on protection against explosions and fires

Avoid formation of dust

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage No special precautions for handling product. Use good safety and industrial hygiene practices. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Routine housekeeping should be instituted to ensure that dusts do not accumulate on surfaces.
Keep away from ignition sources

7.3 Specific end use(s)

No further relevant information available

Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Dust needs to be controlled while cutting, sawing, drilling or other dust generating processes are performed.

8.2 Exposure controls

	Result	ACGIH TLV®	NIOSH	OSHA
Particulates Not Otherwise Classified or Regulated	TWAs	TWA 10mg/m ³ (Inhalable Particulate)	Not established	15mg/m ³ (Total Dust)
		STEL None		STEL None
		3mg/m ³ (Respirable Particulate)		5mg/m ³ (Respirable Dust)
		STEL None		STEL None
Formaldehyde (50-00-0)	TWAs	0.3ppm TLV	0.016ppm TWA, 0.1ppm Ceiling (15 minutes)	0.75ppm TWA, 2ppm STEL, 0.5ppm action level

Engineering measures/ controls

Adequate ventilation systems as needed to control concentrations of airborne contaminants below applicable threshold limit values. Due to the explosive potential of dust when suspended in air, precautions should be taken during sanding, sawing or machining of products to prevent sparks or other ignition sources in ventilation equipment. Use of totally enclosed motors is recommended.

Personal Protective Equipment Pictograms while downstream activities



Respiratory

Use of a NIOSH/MSHA approved dust respirator is recommended where airborne dust levels exceed appropriate PELs and TLVs

Eye/Face

Wear safety glasses

Hands

Wear protective gloves – Rubberized cloth, canvas or leather gloves

Skin/Body

Wear long sleeves and/or protective coveralls.

General Industrial Hygiene Considerations

Practice good housekeeping and avoid creating/breathing dust. Do not allow dust to collect. Maintain, clean, and fit test respirators I accordance with OSHA regulations.

Environmental Exposure Controls

No data available

Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State	Solid	Evaporation rate	Not relevant
Color	Varies	Partition coefficient	Not relevant
Flammability	No data available	Autoignition	No data available
Odor	No distinctive odor	Decomposition Temperature	No data available
Vapor Pressure	Not relevant	Viscosity	No data available
Odor threshold	Not relevant	Burning time	No data available
Vapor Density	No data available	Density (raw board)	approx. 1350kg/m ³ , can differ in specific product variations
pH	Not relevant	Oxidizing properties	No data available
Relative density	Not relevant	Explosive limits	No data available
Melting point	Not relevant	Flash point	Not relevant
Freezing Point	Not relevant	Boiling Point	Not relevant
Solubility	Not soluble in water		

9.2 Other information

No further relevant information available.

Section 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

The product is not reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions

Conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used according to specifications

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Exposure to water, ignition source, high relative humidity and high temperature

10.5 Incompatible materials

Incompatible Materials: acids(strong), Oxidizers(strong)

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition may occur thermal and/or thermal oxidative decomposition can produce irritating and toxic fumes and gases

Section 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Test data are not available for the complete mixture.

GHS Properties	Classification
Acute toxicity	OSHA HCS 2012 – Shall not be classified

Aspiration hazard	OSHA HCS 2012 – Shall not be classified
Carcinogenicity	OSHA HCS 2012 -- Shall not be classified
Germ Cell Mutagenicity	OSHA HCS 2012 – Shall not be classified
Skin corrosion/Irritation	OSHA HCS 2012 – Shall not be classified
Skin sensitization	OSHA HCS 2012 – Shall not be classified
STOT-RE	OSHA HCS 2012 – Shall not be classified
STOT-SE	OSHA HCS 2012 – Shall not be classified
Toxicity for Reproduction	OSHA HCS 2012 – Shall not be classified
Respiratory sensitization	OSHA HCS 2012 – Shall not be classified
Serious eye damage/Irritation	OSHA HCS 2012 – Shall not be classified

Section 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Not applicable for laminates

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No further relevant information available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Not applicable for laminates

12.4 Mobility in soil

No further relevant information available

General notes

Generally not hazardous for water

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT

Not applicable

vPvB

Not applicable

12.6 Other adverse effects

No further relevant information available

Section 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Recommendation Disposal according to local regulations

Uncleaned packaging

Recommendations Dispose of packaging according to regulations on the disposal of packaging

Section 14: Transport information

14.1 UN-number

ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA

Void

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA

Void

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA class

Void

14.4 Packing group

ADR, IMDG, IATA

Void

14.5 Environmental hazards

Not applicable

14.6 Special precautions for user

Not applicable

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not applicable

UN “Model Regulation”

void

Section 15: Regulatory Information

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

NPCA-HMIS® III

Category	Rating	Description
Chronic Health	* 0	Chronic (long-term) health effects may result from repeated overexposure (dust) No significant risk to health
Flammability	2	Material that must be moderately heated or exposure to relatively high ambient temperatures before ignition can occur
Physical Hazard	0	Material that is normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will not react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-explosive
Personal protection	-	

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Category	Degree of hazard	Description
Flammability	2	Material that must be moderately heated or exposed to relatively high ambient temperature before ignition can occur
Health	0	Material that, under emergency conditions, would offer no hazard beyond that of ordinary combustible material
Instability	0	Material that is normally stable, even under fire conditions
Special hazard		

SARA Hazard Classifications Inventory

Void

Component	CAS	Canada DSL	TSCA
Laminates	Not applicable	Not listed. All components are on the Canada DSL or are excluded from listing or below de minimis reporting	Not listed. All components are on the TSCA inventory or are excluded from listing or below de minimis reporting

Canada – WHMIS – Classifications of Substances
Laminates(unless listed below)

N/A

Not listed or below de minimis reporting quantities

Canada – WHMIS – Ingredient Disclosure List
Laminates(unless listed below)

N/A

Not listed or below de minimis reporting quantities

U.S.-OSHA – Process Safety Management – Highly hazardous Chemicals

Laminates and ingredients (unless listed below)	N/A	Not listed or below de minimis reporting quantities
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Environment

U.S. – CERCLA – Hazardous Substances

Laminates and ingredients(unless listed below)	N/A	Not listed or below de minimis reporting quantities
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U.S. – CERCLA/SARA – Section 304 EHS RQ

Laminates and ingredients(unless listed below)	N/A	Not listed or below de minimis reporting quantities
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U.S. – EPCRA –Section 302 (EHS) TPQ

Laminates and ingredients(unless listed below)	N/A	Not listed or below de minimis reporting quantities
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U.S. – EPCRA – Section 313 – Toxic Chemicals

Laminates and ingredients(unless listed below)	N/A	Not listed or below de minimis reporting quantities
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United States – California

Environment

U.S. – California – Proposition 65 –Carcinogens List

Laminates(unless listed below)	N/A	Not listed
Formaldehyde (gas)	50-00-0	Carcinogen, NSRL 40µg/day

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out

Section 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge and comes from sources believed to be accurate or otherwise technically correct. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

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Abbreviations and acronyms

ADN	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
ACGIH	Association Advancing Occupational and Environmental Health
CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
DSL	Domestic substances list
EHS	Extreme Hazardous Substances
GHS	Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
HCS	Hazard Communication Standard
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IBC	Intermediate Bulk Container
IMDG	International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
MSHA	Mine Safety and Health Administration
NFPA	National Fire Protection Association
NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
NPCA	National Paint Coating Association
NSRL	No Significance Risk Level
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PEL	Personal Exposure Limit

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PBT	Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
RQ	Reportable Quantities
SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
STEL	Short-term exposure limit
STOT-RE	Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure
STOT SE	Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure
TLV	Threshold limit value
TPQ	Threshold Planning Quantity
TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
TWA	Time-weighted average
UN	United Nations
vPvB	Very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
WHMIS	Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System