

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**1.1. Product identifier**

Product form	: Mixture
Trade name	: Fortafix Fiborclad G9
Product code	: FFM103
Type of product	: adhesives
Product group	: End product

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**1.2.1. Relevant identified uses**

Intended for general public	
Main use category	: Industrial use, Professional use, Consumer use
Industrial/Professional use spec	: Industrial Use resulting in inclusion into or onto a matrix
Use of the substance/mixture	: Adhesives, Sealants
Function or use category	: Adhesives, Sealants

1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**Manufacturer**

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : ++44 (0)1429 273252

SECTION 2: Hazards identification**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]**

Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1 H318
Full text of H- and EUH-statements: see section 16

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

May be harmful if swallowed. Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation.

2.2. Label elements

According to EC directives or the corresponding national regulations there is no labelling obligation for this product.
No labelling applicable

2.3. Other hazards

PBT: not relevant – no registration required
Contains no PBT/vPvB substances $\geq 0.1\%$ assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII

Other information : alkaline medium.

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SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

Comments : Additives

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
sodium silicate	CAS-No.: 1344-09-8 EC-No.: 215-687-4 REACH-no: 01-211944872531	< 40	Skin Corr. 1, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318

Full text of H- and EUH-statements: see section 16

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Gently wash with plenty of soap and water. Wash skin with plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: IF IN EYES : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get immediate medical advice / attention. Direct contact with the eyes is likely to be irritating. Obtain medical attention if pain, blinking or redness persists. 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.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label. Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.

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

Symptoms/effects	: Causes serious eye irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Contact during a long period may cause light irritation. Irritation. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Direct contact with the eyes is likely to be irritating. Eye irritation.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: May cause irritation to the digestive tract.

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 : Water spray. Dry powder. Foam. Carbon dioxide.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard	: No fire hazard. Not flammable.
Explosion hazard	: No direct explosion hazard.
Reactivity in case of fire	: Product is not explosive.
Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire	: Toxic fumes may be released.

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5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Wear recommended personal protective equipment.

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Wear recommended personal protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Do not allow to enter drains or water courses.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment : Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams.

Methods for cleaning up : Take up liquid spill into absorbent material.

Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required. Wear personal protective equipment.

Hygiene measures : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Wear personal protective equipment. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. 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

Technical measures : Does not require any specific or particular technical measures.

Storage conditions : Keep container tightly closed. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

Maximum storage period : < 12 months

Storage temperature : 5 – 30 °C

Special rules on packaging : Store in a closed container.

Packaging materials : Store always product in container of same material as original container.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Adhesives, Sealants. An adhesive is a product capable of joining materials by surface bonding (adhesion), where the bond possesses adequate internal strength (cohesion). A sealant is an adhesive product applied to joints in order to fill gaps, mechanically block or protect from, for example, air and water.

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SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.1.1 National occupational exposure and biological limit values

Exposure limit values for the other components

(1332-58-7)		
Belgium - Occupational Exposure Limits		
Local name	Kaolin (fraction alvéolaire) # Kaolien (inadembare fractie)	
OEL TWA	2 mg/m ³	
Regulatory reference	Koninklijk besluit/Arrêté royal 19/11/2020	
Bulgaria - Occupational Exposure Limits		
Local name	Каолин, съдържащ под 2 % свободен кристален силициев диоксид в респирабилната фракция	
OEL TWA	6 mg/m ³ (Инхалабилна фракция) 3 mg/m ³ (Респирабилна фракция)	
Regulatory reference	Наредба № 13 от 30.12.2003 г. за защита на работещите от рискове, свързани с експозиция на химични агенти при работа (изм. и доп. ДВ. бр. 47 от 2021 г., в сила от 04.06.2021 г.)	
Croatia - Occupational Exposure Limits		
Local name	Kaolin	
GVI (OEL TWA) [1]	2 mg/m ³ R (respirabilna prašina)	
Regulatory reference	Pravilnik o izmjenama i dopunama Pravilnika o graničnim vrijednostima izloženosti opasnim tvarima pri radu i o biološkim graničnim vrijednostima (NN 1/2021)	
Denmark - Occupational Exposure Limits		
Local name	Kaolin	
OEL TWA [1]	2 mg/m ³ respirabel	
Regulatory reference	BEK nr 1426 af 28. juni 2021	
Finland - Occupational Exposure Limits		
Local name	Kaoliini	
HTP (OEL TWA) [1]	2 mg/m ³ alveolijae	
Regulatory reference	HTP-ARVOT 2020 (Sosiaali- ja terveystieteiden ministeriö)	
Ireland - Occupational Exposure Limits		
Local name	Kaolin, respirable dust	
OEL TWA [1]	2 mg/m ³	
Regulatory reference	Chemical Agents Code of Practice 2021	
Poland - Occupational Exposure Limits		
Local name	Kaolin	

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(1332-58-7)		
NDS (OEL TWA)	10 mg/m ³ frakcja wdychalna	
Remark	Frakcja wdychalna – frakcja aerozolu wnikaćca przez nos i usta, która po zdeponowaniu w drogach oddechowych stwarza zagrożenie dla zdrowia. Obowiązuje jednocześnie oznaczanie stężeń frakcji respirabilnej krzemionki krystalicznej.	
Regulatory reference	Dz. U. 2018 poz. 1286	
Portugal - Occupational Exposure Limits		
Local name	Caulino	
OEL TWA	2 mg/m ³ E (O valor aplica-se a partículas sem amianto e contendo menos de 1 % de sílica cristalina), R (Fração respirável)	
Remark	A4 (Agente não classificável como carcinogénico no Homem)	
Regulatory reference	Norma Portuguesa NP 1796:2014	
United Kingdom - Occupational Exposure Limits		
Local name	Kaolin	
WEL TWA (OEL TWA) [1]	2 mg/m ³ respirable dust	
Regulatory reference	EH40/2005 (Fourth edition, 2020). HSE	
Iceland - Occupational Exposure Limits		
Local name	Kaolín, örfint ryk	
OEL TWA	2 mg/m ³	
Regulatory reference	Reglugerð um mengunarmörk og aðgerðir til að draga úr mengun á vinnustöðum (Nr. 390/2009)	
Switzerland - Occupational Exposure Limits		
Local name	Kaolin / Kaolin	
MAK (OEL TWA) [1]	3 mg/m ³ (a) / (a)	
Critical toxicity	Fibpulm / Lungenfibrose	
Regulatory reference	www.suva.ch, 01.01.2021	

8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available

8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available

8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

No additional information available

8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

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8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

Personal protective equipment:

Gloves. Safety glasses.

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

Eye protection:

Safety glasses

8.2.2.2. Skin protection

Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

Hand protection:

Protective gloves

8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection:

No respiratory protection needed under normal use conditions

8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

No additional information available

8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

Environmental exposure controls:

Avoid release to the environment.

Other information:

Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Appearance	: Paste.
Colour	: light brown.
Odour	: odourless.
Odour threshold	: No data available
pH	: > 7
pH solution	: Alkaline
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: Not applicable
Freezing point	: 0 °C
Boiling point	: 100
Flash point	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Non flammable.
Vapour pressure	: No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Density	: 1.45 – 1.75 g/ml
Solubility	: In water, material is partially soluble.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available

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Explosive properties : No data available
Oxidising properties : No data available
Explosive limits : No data available

9.2. Other information

Softening point : 900 °C

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 under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids.

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 (oral) : May be harmful if swallowed (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified
Additional information : No data available

sodium silicate (1344-09-8)

LD50 dermal rat	> 5000 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Guideline: EPA OPPTS 870.1200 (Acute Dermal Toxicity)
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LC50 Inhalation - Rat	> 2.06 mg/l air Animal: rat, Guideline: EPA OPPTS 870.1300 (Acute inhalation toxicity)
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Skin corrosion/irritation : Slightly irritant but not relevant for classification (Not applicable)
pH: > 7

Additional information : Causes skin irritation.

sodium silicate (1344-09-8)

pH	> 13.5 Concentration:]42 vol%,46 vol%[
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Serious eye damage/irritation : Slightly irritant but not relevant for classification (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
pH: > 7

Additional information : Causes eye irritation

sodium silicate (1344-09-8)

pH	> 13.5 Concentration:]42 vol%,46 vol%[
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Respiratory or skin sensitisation : Not classified

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

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Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
STOT-single exposure	: Not classified
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified

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.
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute)	: Not classified
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic)	: Not classified
Not rapidly degradable	

sodium silicate (1344-09-8)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	3185 mg/l Test organisms (species): Danio rerio (previous name: Brachydanio rerio)
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	1700 mg/l Test organisms (species): Daphnia magna
EC50 72h - Algae [1]	207 mg/l Test organisms (species): Desmodesmus subspicatus (previous name: Scenedesmus subspicatus)
EC50 72h - Algae [2]	> 345.4 mg/l Test organisms (species): Desmodesmus subspicatus (previous name: Scenedesmus subspicatus)

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

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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PBT: not relevant – no registration required

12.6. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Regional legislation (waste)	: Disposal must be done according to official regulations.
Waste treatment methods	: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.
Sewage disposal recommendations	: Disposal must be done according to official regulations.
Product/Packaging disposal recommendations	: Clean with water. Do not dispose of the packaging without first carrying out the necessary cleaning.
Additional information	: Clean up even minor leaks or spills if possible without unnecessary risk.
Ecology - waste materials	: Avoid release to the environment.

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SECTION 14: Transport information

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

ADR	IMDG	IATA	ADN	RID
NOT SUBJECT	NOT SUBJECT	NOT SUBJECT	NOT SUBJECT	
14.1. UN number				
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
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
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

Special transport precautions : Do not empty into drains

Overland transport

Transport regulations (ADR) : Not subject

Transport by sea

No data available

Air transport

No data available

Inland waterway transport

No data available

Rail transport

No data available

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol 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

REACH Annex XVII (Restriction List)

Contains no REACH substances with Annex XVII restrictions

REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

Contains no REACH Annex XIV substances

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REACH Candidate List (SVHC)

Contains no substance on the REACH candidate list

PIC Regulation (Prior Informed Consent)

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals.

POP Regulation (Persistent Organic Pollutants)

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) No 2019/1021 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants

Ozone Regulation (1005/2009)

Contains no substance subject to REGULATION (EU) No 1005/2009 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 September 2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer.

Explosives Precursors Regulation (2019/1148)

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) 2019/1148 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors.

Drug Precursors Regulation (273/2004)

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EC) 273/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 February 2004 on the manufacture and the placing on market of certain substances used in the illicit manufacture of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances.

15.1.2. National regulations

Germany

Employment restrictions : Observe restrictions according Act on the Protection of Working Mothers (MuSchG).
Observe restrictions according Act on the Protection of Young People in Employment (JArbSchG).
Water hazard class (WGK) : WGK 1, Slightly hazardous to water (Classification according to AwSV, Annex 1).
Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV) : Is not subject of the Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV)

Netherlands

SZW-lijst van kankerverwekkende stoffen : None of the components are listed
SZW-lijst van mutagene stoffen : None of the components are listed
SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Borstvoeding : None of the components are listed
SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Vruchtbaarheid : None of the components are listed
SZW-lijst van reprotoxische stoffen – Ontwikkeling : None of the components are listed

Switzerland

Storage class (LK) : LK 10/12 - Liquids

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

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
ATE	Acute Toxicity Estimate
BCF	Bioconcentration factor
BLV	Biological limit value
BOD	Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)
COD	Chemical oxygen demand (COD)
DMEL	Derived Minimal Effect level

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Abbreviations and acronyms:	
DNEL	Derived-No Effect Level
EC-No.	European Community number
EC50	Median effective concentration
EN	European Standard
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
LC50	Median lethal concentration
LD50	Median lethal dose
LOAEL	Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOAEC	No-Observed Adverse Effect Concentration
NOAEL	No-Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOEC	No-Observed Effect Concentration
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OEL	Occupational Exposure Limit
PBT	Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic
PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration
RID	Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
SDS	Safety Data Sheet
STP	Sewage treatment plant
ThOD	Theoretical oxygen demand (ThOD)
TLM	Median Tolerance Limit
VOC	Volatile Organic Compounds
CAS-No.	Chemical Abstract Service number
N.O.S.	Not Otherwise Specified
vPvB	Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative
ED	Endocrine disrupting properties

Full text of H- and EUH-statements:	
EUH066	Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
Skin Corr. 1	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1

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This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.