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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

Product Name Euromix™ LWHB (Light Weight High Build) Render

Product Code RENLWHB

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**Synonym(s)** Euro LWHB, Euromix LWHB, Euromix Light Weight High Build

**Use(s)P** Pre-blended, acrylic modified, cement-based render that is suitable for decorative rendering and

patching over most substrates for interior and exterior use.

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

This product is classified as hazardous according to Safe Work Australia criteria. Not classified as a dangerous good by the criteria of the ADG code, IMDG or IATA.

#### **GHS Classifications**

Skin Corrosion/Irritation:

Skin Sensitization:

Series Eye Damage / Eye Irritation

Specific Target Organ Systemic Toxicity (Repeated Exposure):

Category 2

Category 1B

Category 2A

Category 2A

Category 3

# SIGNAL WORD Pictograms

#### DANGER



#### **Hazard statements**

H315 Causes skin irritation.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

H373 May cause damage to lungs and respiratory tract through prolonged or repeated exposure.

## **Prevention statements**

P260 Do not breathe dust.

P264 Wash thoroughly after handling.

P271 Use only outdoors in a well-ventilated area.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

# Response statements

P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if

present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P333 + P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

P314 Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

P321 Specific treatment is advised – see first aid instructions. P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

# **Disposal statements**

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with relevant regulations.

UN No None Allocated Hazchem Code None Allocated Pkg Group None Allocated DG Class None Allocated Subsidiary Risk(s) None Allocated EPG None Allocated



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# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

A small proportion of the fine dust associated with this product will contain 'Respirable Crystalline Quartz' (RCQ). While the product is wet and being applied as per the directions on the package the amount of airborne RCQ will be minimal, but it is still recommended that proper PPE is worn. Once dry any residues, grinding or strong abrasive forces may reintroduce RCQ into the air so caution should be taken.

Ingredient	Formula	Conc.	CAS No.
PORTLAND CEMENT	Not Available	30 - 60%	65997-15-1
QUARTZ SANDS	Not Available	50 - 70%	68131-74-8
SYNTHETIC ADDITIVES	Not Available	> 5%	10101-41-4
CRYSTALLINE SILICA (QUARTZ)	SiO <sub>2</sub>	< 1%	14808-60-7
NON-HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS	Not Available	Remainder	N/A

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Flush thoroughly with flowing water for at least 15 minutes and seek medical attention if

symptoms persist. If wet cement is splashed into the eyes, flush thoroughly with flowing

water for 15 minutes and seek urgent medical attention.

**Inhalation** Remove from dusty area to fresh air. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention. Apply

artificial respiration if not breathing.

**Skin** Remove heavily contaminated clothing immediately. Wash off skin thoroughly with water.

A shower may be required. Seek medical attention for persistent irritation or burning of the

skin or contact Poison Hotline on 13 11 26.

Ingestion Rinse mouth and lips with water. Do not induce vomiting. Give water to drink to dilute

stomach contents. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention.

**Advice to Doctor** Treat for moderate to strong alkali and symptomatically.

**First Aid Facilities** Eye wash station and safety shower should be available.

# Additional Information - Aggravated Medical Conditions

Irritating to the eyes, skin and respiratory system. Chronic over exposure to silica quartz dust may result in silicosis (lung disease). Principal symptoms of silicosis are coughing and breathlessness. Some individuals may exhibit an allergic response upon exposure to this product, possibly due to the trace amounts of chromium present. Crystalline silica and hexavalent chromium compounds are classified as carcinogenic to humans (IARC Group 1).

**Skin** Prolonged and repeated skin contact with cement in wet concrete, mortars and slurries

may result in irritant dermatitis or alkaline burns.

**Eye** Irritating to the eye. If wet cement is splashed into the eye alkaline burns can cause permanent

damage.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING

**Flammability** Non-flammable. Does not support combustion of other materials.

Fire and Explosion No fire or explosion hazard exists.

**Extinguishing** Non-flammable; use suitable extinguishing agent for surrounding fire.

Hazchem Code None.



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#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Spillage If spilt (bulk), contact emergency services if appropriate. Wear dust-proof goggles,

PVC/rubber gloves, a Class P2 respirator (where an inhalation risk exists), coveralls and rubber boots. Clear area of all unprotected personnel. Prevent spill entering drains or waterways. Collect and place in sealable containers for disposal or reuse. Avoid generating

dust.

**Emergency Procedures** 

Follow safety requirements for personal protection under Section 8 Exposure

Controls/Personal Protection.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Storage Store off the floor in the original bags in a cool, dry, well ventilated area, removed from

excessive moisture and heat. Ensure packages are adequately labelled, protected from

physical damage, and sealed when not in use.

**Handling** Euromix<sup>™</sup> LWHB Render is supplied in 15kg bags. Recognised local safe lifting methods

should be used.

Before use, carefully read the product label. Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation. Observe good personal hygiene, including washing

hands before eating. Prohibit eating, drinking, and smoking in contaminated areas.

Property/ Environmental Refer to Section 13.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Ventilation** Do not inhale dust/powder. Use with adequate ventilation. Where a dust inhalation hazard

exists, mechanical extraction ventilation is recommended. Maintain dust levels below the

recommended exposure standard.

**Exposure** PORTLAND CEMENT (655997-15-1)

**Standards** ES-TWA: 10 mg/m³ (Respirable Dust)

SILICA, CRYSTALLINE - QUARTZ (14808-60-7)

ES-TWA: 0.1 mg/m³ (Respirable Dust). Under Model WHS Law adopted in most

Australian jurisdictions.

**PPE** Wear dust-proof goggles and rubber or PVC gloves. Where an inhalation risk exists, wear

a Class P2 respirator. If there is potential for prolonged and/or excessive skin contact, wear coveralls. At high dust levels, wear a Class P3 respirator or a Powered Air Purifying Respirator

(PAPR) with Class P3 filter.









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## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Light grev in colour **Appearance** Odour Slight Odour pН 11-13 **Vapour Pressure** Not Available **Vapour Density** Not Available **Boiling Point** Not Available **Melting Point** Not Available **Evaporation Rate** Not Available

**Bulk Density** Dry 1400 to 1600 kg/m<sup>3</sup>

< 10 a/l Solubility (water) Specific Gravity 1.4 to 1.6 kg/l % Volatiles Not Available **Flammability** Non-Flammable Flash Point Not Relevant **Upper Explosion Limit** Not Relevant **Lower Explosion Limit** Not Relevant Autoignition Temperature Not Available

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Chemical Stability** Chemically Stable under correct conditions of storage, considered inert in powdered and solid state.

Conditions to Avoid Keep free of moisture.

Incompatible Materials Incompatible with oxidising agents (e.g. hypochlorites), ethanol, acids (e.g. hydrofluoric acid) and interhalogens (e.g. chlorine trifluoride). Water contact may increase product to 2°C to 3°C.

**Decomposition Products** 

Unlikely to evolve toxic gases when heated to decomposition.

Hazardous Reactions None

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Acute Toxicity** No known toxicity data available for this product.

**Eye** Irritant upon contact with dust. Over exposure may result in pain, redness, corneal burns

and ulceration with possible permanent damage.

**Inhalation** Irritating to the respiratory system, causing coughing and sneezing. Over exposure may

result in severe mucous membrane irritation and bronchitis. Hexavalent chromium is reported to cause respiratory sensitisation. However, due to the trace amount present, a hazard is not anticipated under normal conditions of use. Crystalline silica can cause silicosis (lung disease) with chronic over exposure, however due to low levels present and product application,

adverse health effects are not anticipated.

**Skin** Irritating to the skin. Prolonged and repeated contact with powder or wetted form may result

in skin rash, dermatitis and sensitisation.

**Ingestion** Slightly corrosive. Ingestion may result in burns to the mouth and throat, with vomiting and

abdominal pain. Due to product form, ingestion is not considered a likely exposure route.

**Mutagenicity** Insufficient data available for this product to classify as a mutagen.

**Carcinogenicity** This product contains crystalline silica which is classified as carcinogenic to humans (IARC Group

1). However, there is sufficient information to conclude that the relative risk of lung cancer is increased in persons with silicosis. Therefore, preventing the onset of silicosis will also reduce the cancer risk. Hexavalent chromium compounds are classified as carcinogenic to humans (IARC Group 1), however due to the trace amounts present, the criteria for classification is not met.

**Reproductive** Insufficient data available to classify as a reproductive toxin.

**STOT – SE** Irritating to the respiratory system. Over exposure may result in irritation of the nose and

throat, coughing. High level of exposure may result in breathing difficulties.

**STOT – RE**Repeated exposure to respirable silica may result in pulmonary fibrosis. Silicosis is an fibronodular lung disease caused by deposition in the lungs of fine respirable particles of crystalline silica

lung disease caused by deposition in the lungs of fine respirable particles of crystalline silica. Principal symptoms of silicosis are coughing and breathlessness. In the wet state, the likelihood of

an inhalation hazard is reduced.



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### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity Product forms an alkaline slurry when mixed with water. This product is non-toxic to

aquatic life forms when present in cured solid form.

Persistence & Degradability

Product is persistent and would have a low degradability.

Mobility in soil A low mobility would be expected in a landfill situation.

## **DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Waste Disposal** Reuse or recycle where possible. Alternatively, ensure product is covered with moist soil b

prevent dust generation and dispose of to an approved landfill site. Contact the manufacturer

for additional information (if required).

Legislation Dispose of in accordance with relevant local legislation. Keep out of sewer and stormwater drains.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not classified as a dangerous good by the criteria of the ADG Code.

Drivers of trucks transporting bagged product should ensure that the bags are properly

restrained.

None Allocated **Shipping Name** 

**UN No** None Allocated **Hazchem Code** None Allocated Pkg Group None Allocated None Allocated **DG Class** None Allocated None Allocated Subsidiary Risk(s) **EPG** 

#### 15. **REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**Poison** A poison schedule number has not been allocated to this product using the criteria in the

Schedule Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSD P).

**AICS** All chemicals listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS).

**Hazard Codes** XI Irritant

XI Harmful

**Risk Phrases** R36/37/38 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

R48/20 Harmful Danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation.

Safety Phrases S22 - Do not breath dust.

S24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

S36/37 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.



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## **OTHER INFORMATION**

#### **Additional Info**

CEMENT CONTACT DERMATITIS: Individuals using wet cement, mortar, grout or concrete could be at risk of developing cement dermatitis. Symptoms of exposure include itchy, tender, swollen, hot, cracked or blistering skin with the potential for sensitisation. The dermatitis is due to the presence of soluble hexavalent chromium.

IARC - GROUP 1 - PROVEN HUMAN CARCINOGEN. This product contains an ingredient for which there is sufficient evidence to have been classified by the International Agency for Research into Cancer as a human carcinogen. The use of products known to be human carcinogens should be strictly monitored and controlled.

RESPIRATORS: In general, the use of respirators should be limited and engineering controls employed to avoid exposure. If respiratory equipment must be worn ensure correct respirator selection and training is undertaken. Remember that some respirators may be extremely uncomfortable when used for long periods. The use of air powered, or air supplied respirators should be considered where prolonged or repeated use is necessary.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT GUIDELINES: The recommendation for protective equipment contained within this MSDS report is provided as a guide only. Factors such as method of application, working environment, quantity used, product concentration and the availability of engineering controls should be considered before final selection of personal protective equipment is made.

HEALTH EFFECTS FROM EXPOSURE: It should be noted that the effects from exposure to this product will depend on several factors including: frequency and duration of use; quantity used; effectiveness of control measures; protective equipment used and method of application. Given that it is impractical to prepare an MSDS report which would encompass all possible scenarios, it is anticipated that users will assess the risks and apply control methods where appropriate.

# ABBREVIATIONS:

MSDS - Material Safety Data Sheet

mg/m<sup>3</sup> – Milligrams per cubic metre

ppm - Parts Per Million

ES-TWA - Exposure Standard - Time Weighted Average

CNS - Central Nervous System

NOS - Not Otherwise Specified

pH - relates to hydrogen ion concentration - this value will relate to a scale of 0 - 14, where 0 is highly acidic and 14 is highly alkaline.

STOT SE – specific target organ toxicity (single exposure SE)

STOT RE – specific target organ toxicity (repeat exposure RE)

CAS# - Chemical Abstract Service Number - used to uniquely identify chemical compounds.

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer.

# **Report Status**

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**Contact Point** For further information on this product contact:

> 02 9572 9061 Telephone:

Emergency: 13 11 26 (Poison Information Line Australia)

Email: contact@euromix.com.au Web site: www.euromix.com.au

**Advice Note** 

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02 9572 9061

or

www.euromix.com.au

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