# ProForm<sup>™</sup> Paper Joint Tape

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

# **SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

## PRODUCT NAME

ProForm<sup>™</sup> Paper Joint Tape

#### **IDENTIFIERS**

75' Joint Tape 250' Joint Tape 500' Joint Tape

# OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

Drywall tape

### RECOMMENDED USE

Joint tape is used to reinforce gypsum board joints. Use per manufacturer's recommendations.

### **RESTRICTIONS ON USE**

None.

## MANUFACTURER/SUPPLIER DETAILS

ProForm Finishing Products, LLC 2001 Rexford Road Charlotte, NC 28211 Website: **proformfinishing.com** 

## EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER

Director Quality Services – National Gypsum Services Company (704) 551-5820 - 24 Hour Emergency Response National Gypsum Company is the exclusive service provider for products manufactured by ProForm Finishing Products, LLC.

# **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### **UNITED STATES (US)**

According to OSHA 29CFR 1910.1200 (HCS)

## GHS CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE

Not classified PICTOGRAM None SIGNAL WORD None

## HAZARD STATEMENTS

None

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

PREVENTION

Use engineering controls and wet methods to minimize dust.

## RESPONSE

If in eyes, rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if exposed or concerned.

## STORAGE

Keep dry to preserve usefulness.

## DISPOSAL

Dispose of material in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations.



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# **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

CHEMICAL NAME	COMMON NAME/SYNONYM	IDENTIFIERS/CAS NUMBER	% (WEIGHT)	IMPURITIES
Cellulose	Paper Fiber	9004-34-6	<95	

# **SECTION 4: FIRST-AID MEASURES**

### INHALATION

Inhalation exposure is unlikely.

## EYE CONTACT

Do not rub or scratch eyes. Immediately flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses (if applicable). Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

## SKIN CONTACT

Flush and wash skin with soap and water. Utilize lotions to alleviate dryness if present. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

### INGESTION

Not expected to occur. Seek medical attention if ingested.

#### MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE

Pre-existing upper respiratory and lung diseases such as, but not limited to, bronchitis, emphysema and asthma. Pre-existing skin diseases such as, but not limited to, rashes and dermatitis.

# **SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

Dry chemical, foam, water, or extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

#### UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS

Mixture poses no fire-related hazard.

## SPECIAL HAZARDS ARISING FROM THE MIXTURE

None known.

## SPECIAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND PRECAUTIONS FOR FIREFIGHTERS

A SCBA is recommended to limit exposures to combustion products when fighting any fire.

# **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

No special precautions required

#### **General recommendations:**

Wear appropriate Personal Protective Equipment. (See Section 8) Maintain proper ventilation.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS**

This product does not present an ecological hazard to the environment. Dispose of in accordance with applicable federal, state, and local regulations.

#### METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEANING UP

No specific clean-up procedures necessary. Pick up unused product to prevent tripping hazard. Maintain proper ventilation to minimize dust.

# **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

## PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING

Minimize generation of dust. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wear recommended personal protective equipment when handling. (See Section 8).

#### CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE, INCLUDING ANY INCOMPATIBILITIES

Store material in a cool, dry, ventilated area, away from excessive heat or sunlight.

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# SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control Parameters	Exposure Limits	
COMPONENT	OSHA PEL mg/m³	ACGIH TLV mg/m³
Cellulose	15 <sup>(T)</sup> 5 <sup>(R)</sup>	10 <sup>(T)</sup>
T - Total Dust R - Respirable Dust		

## EXPOSURE CONTROLS/APPROPRIATE ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Work/Hygiene Practices: Utilize methods to minimize dust production. Ventilation: Not required

### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT/RESPIRATORY PROTECTION

None required

#### **EYE PROTECTION**

Safety glasses or goggles.

#### SKIN

Gloves, protective clothing and/or barrier creams may be utilized if conditions warrant.

# **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

- a. Appearance: white/gray solid paper
- b. Odor: None
- c. Odor threshold: Not available
- d. pH: Not available
- e. Melting point/freezing point: Not Available
- f. Initial boiling point and boiling range: Not Available
- g. Flash point: Not available
- h. Evaporation rate: Not available
- i. Flammability (solid, gas): Not flammable
- j. Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits: Not available
- k. Vapor pressure: Not available
- I. Vapor density: Not available
- m. Relative density: 2.3 g/cc
- n. Solubility(ies): 2.1 g/L @ 20° C
- o. Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: Not available
- p. Auto-ignition temperature: Not available
- q. Decomposition temperature: 1450°C
- r. Viscosity: Not available
- s. Volatile organic compound (VOC) content: None

# SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

- a. Reactivity: No data available
- **b.** Chemical stability: Stable in dry environments
- c. Possibility of hazardous reactions: None known
- d. Conditions to avoid (e.g., static discharge, shock, or vibration): None known
- e. Incompatible materials: None known
- f. Hazardous decomposition products: None known

# **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### INFORMATION ON TOXICOLOGICAL EFFECTS/INFORMATION ON LIKELY ROUTES OF EXPOSURE

#### INGESTION

Not a likely route of exposure.

#### INHALATION

Not a likely route of exposure.

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### **SKIN CONTACT**

Possibly temporary irritation.

**EYE CONTACT** Possibly temporary irritation.

## SYMPTOMS RELATED TO THE PHYSICAL, CHEMICAL AND TOXICOLOGICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Prolonged skin contact may result in temporary irritation.

### TOXICOLOGICAL DATA

No toxicological data is available for this product. Toxicological information for components of this product listed below:

ACUTE TOXICITY Not available

SKIN CORROSION/IRRITATION

Not available

SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE/EYE IRRITATION Not available

SKIN SENSITIZATION

Not available

**RESPIRATORY SENSITIZATION** Not available

SENSITIZATION Not available

MUTAGENICITY Not available

CARCINOGENICITY Not available

## REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS

Not available SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY – SINGLE EXPOSURE Not available ASPIRATION TOXICITY

Not available

# **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

- a. Ecotoxicity (aquatic and terrestrial, where available): This product does not present an ecological hazard to the environment.
- **b.** Persistence and degradability: Unknown
- c. Bioaccumulative potential: None Known
- d. Mobility in soil: Unknown
- e. Other adverse effects (such as hazardous to the ozone layer): None known

# **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

This material is not considered a hazardous waste. Dispose of according to Local, State, Federal, and Provincial Environmental Regulations.

# **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

This product is not a DOT hazardous material. Shipping Name: Same as product name ICAO/IATA/IMO: Not applicable

# **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

All ingredients are included on the TSCA inventory. FEDERAL REGULATIONS SARA Title III: Not listed under Sections 302, 304, and 313 CERCLA: Not listed RCRA: Not listed

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**OSHA:** Not listed

STATE REGULATIONS: Not listed

CANADA WHMIS: All components of this product are included in the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL).

# **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

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## **KEY TO ABBREVIATIONS**

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
CAS	Chemical Abstract Services Number
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
DOT	Department of Transportation
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
HEPA	High Efficiency Particulate Air
HCS	Hazard Communications Standard
HMIS	Hazardous Material Identification System
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
IATA	International Air Transport Association
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organization
IMO	International Maritime Organization
NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
NFPA	National Fire Protection Association
NTP	National Toxicology Program
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
PPE	Personal Protective Equipment
TLV	Threshold Limit Value
TSCA	Toxic Substance Control Act
TWA	Time Weighted Average
WHMIS	Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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