# SAFETY DATA SHEET



### Section 1. Identification

: Gypsum Board Products **GHS** product identifier

**Product Names** 

PABCO LITECORE® PABCO® Regular Gypsum Board (Regular and Flex)

PABCORE® Shaftliner PABCO WATER CURB®

PABCO® Interior Ceiling PABCO<sup>®</sup> Gypsum Sheathing (Regular and Type X) PABCO ABUSE CURB® PABCO® Exterior Soffit (Regular, Type X, and Type C) PABCO® Impact Resistant PABCO MOLD CURB® Plus (Regular and Type X)

PABCO SOUND CURB® PABCORE® MOLD CURB® Plus Shaftliner

PABCO GLASS® Sheathing PABCO GLASS® Shaftliner

PABCO GLASS® Interior PABCO FLAME CURB® (Type X, Type XXX, Type C,

(Regular and Type X) and Super C)

: Use in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.

Other means of identification : Drywall, Gypsum Board, Wallboard

**Product type** : Solid

Recommended restrictions

**Identified uses** : Regular and Fire Resistant Wallboard

Supplier's details

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### Section 2. Hazards Identification

**OSHA/HCS** status : While this material is not considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication

Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200), this SDS contains valuable information critical to the safe

handling and proper use of the product.

Classification of the substance or mixture

: Not classified

**GHS** label elements

Signal word : None **Hazard statements** : None **Pictogram** : None

**Precautionary statements** 

**Prevention** : Observe good industrial hygiene practices. : Get medical advice/attention if required. Response

: (See Section 7) Storage

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

(See Section 13)

Hazards not otherwise

classified

: None known



## Section 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Substance/mixture : Mixture

Ingredient name	%	CAS number
Gypsum (Calcium Sulfate Dihydrate)	> 85	13397-24-5
Cellulose (Paper)	< 5	65996-61-4
Vermiculite	0 - 5	1318-00-9
Fiberglass (Continuous Filament Glass Fiber)	0 - 2	65997-17-3

The gypsum in this product may contain respirable crystalline silica as an impurity. Independent industrial hygiene testing using both personal and area sampling measured no detectable respirable Crystalline Silica when cutting the product by score and snap, rotary saw, or hand saw.

### Section 4. First Aid Measures

#### Description of necessary first aid measures

**Eye contact**: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water. If irritation

occurs, get medical attention.

Inhalation : If inhaled, remove to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms persist.

Skin contact : Rinse skin with water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

**Ingestion** : Get medical attention if symptoms persist.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

: Under normal conditions of intended use, this material does not pose a risk to health. Dust may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing. Irritation of eyes.

#### Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary

Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically. Under normal conditions of intended use, the material does not

pose a risk to health.

**Specific treatments**: No specific treatment.

## Section 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

#### **Extinguishing media**

Suitable extinguishing : Not flammable by OSHA/WHMIS criteria. Use fire extinguishing agent appropriate for

media surrounding materials.

Unsuitable : Not applicable

extinguishing media

Specific hazards arising : Not applicable from the chemical

Hazardous thermal decomposition products

: Decomposition products may include the following materials:

carbon dioxide carbon monoxide

Special protective actions for firefighters

: No special measures are required.

Special protective equipment for firefighters

: Firefighters should wear full protective clothing and a self-

contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).



### Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

: Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8).

**Environmental precautions** 

: Avoid discharge to drains, sewers, and other water systems.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

: Dispose of in accordance with applicable federal, state, and local regulations (see Section 13).

### Section 7. Handling and Storage

#### Precautions for safe handling

**Protective measures** 

: Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

: Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

: Store in accordance with local regulations. Store protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see Section 10).

## Section 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

#### **Occupational exposure limits**

Ingredient name	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	NIOSH REL
Gypsum	TWA: 5 mg/m³ (Respirable)	TWA: 10 mg/m³ (Inhalable)	TWA: 5 mg/m³ (Respirable)
Cellulose	TWA: 5 mg/m³ (Respirable)	TWA: 10 mg/m³ (Total)	TWA: 5 mg/m³ (Respirable)
Fiberglass	TWA: 5 mg/m³ (Respirable)	TWA: 5 mg/m³ (Inhalable)	TWA: 5 mg/m³ (Total)

Appropriate engineering controls

: Provide local and/or general exhaust ventilation to reduce airborne dust concentration.

Environmental exposure controls

: Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the standard requirements.

#### **Individual protection measures**

Hygiene measures

: Follow good industrial hygiene practice.

Eye/face protection

: Safety glasses or goggles are recommended when using this product.

Skin protection

**Hand protection** 

: Protective gloves are recommended.

Other protection

: Protective clothing to prevent skin contact is recommended.

Respiratory protection

: To minimize exposure to dust, cutting drywall products should be conducted by scoring and breaking using a utility knife with sufficient ventilation. When using power tools, NIOSH/MSHA approved respirators should be worn in accordance with 29CFR 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2-1080.



### Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** : Paper faced with gypsum core

**Physical state** : Solid Color : White

Odor : No to low odor **Odor threshold** : Not applicable

pН : 6 to 8

**Melting point** : Not applicable **Boiling point** : Not applicable Flash point : Not applicable : Not applicable **Evaporation rate** Flammability (solid, gas) : Not applicable : Not applicable Lower and upper

explosive (flammable) limits

: Not applicable Vapor pressure **Relative density** : 1.1 – 4.0 lb/ft<sup>3</sup> Solubility in water : 0.24 g/100g (H2O). Partition coefficient: n-: Not applicable

octanol/water

**Auto-ignition temperature** 

: Not applicable **Decomposition temperature Viscosity** Volatility

: Notapplicable : Not applicable : Not applicable

### Section 10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity : Product stable and non-reactive under normal conditions.

**Chemical stability** : The product is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

: Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur.

Conditions to avoid : No specific data.

Incompatible materials : Reactive or incompatible with the following materials: oxidizing materials and strong

**Hazardous decomposition** products

: Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.



## Section 11. Toxicological Information

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

Ingestion : Not applicable under normal conditions of use.Inhalation : Inhalation of dust may cause respiratory irritation.

**Skin Contact**: Under normal conditions of intended use, this product is not expected to cause skin irritation.

**Eye Contact**: Dust in the eyes may cause irritation.

#### Information on toxicological effects

# Acute toxicity Low hazard

#### Irritation/Corrosion

Gypsum is not an irritant to the skin.

#### **Sensitization**

There is no data available.

#### Carcinogenicity

This product may contain crystalline silica (quartz) as a naturally occurring impurity in the gypsum. Exposure to respirable crystalline silica in the form of quartz is listed by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) and the National Toxicology Program (NTP) as carcinogenic to humans. Independent industrial hygiene testing detected no respirable crystalline silica during recommended use of this product. However, actual levels must be determined by workplace industrial hygiene testing.

#### Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

There is no data available.

#### **Aspiration hazard**

There is no data available.

#### Potential acute health effects

Eye contact
 Inhalation
 No known significant effects or critical hazards.
 Skin contact
 No known significant effects or critical hazards.
 Ingestion
 No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Eye contact
 Inhalation
 No known significant effects or critical hazards.
 Skin contact
 No known significant effects or critical hazards.
 Ingestion
 No known significant effects or critical hazards.
 No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### Delayed and immediate effects and chronic effects from short and long term exposure

#### Short term exposure

Potential immediate effects: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Potential delayed effects: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### Long term exposure

Potential immediate effects: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Potential delayed effects: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### Potential chronic health effects

General : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Carcinogenicity : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Mutagenicity : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Teratogenicity : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Developmental effects : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Fertility effects : No known significant effects or critical hazards.

### **Numerical measures of toxicity**

**Acute toxicity estimates**: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

or critical hazards.



## Section 12. Ecological information

#### **Toxicity**

No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### **Bioaccumulative potential**

Bioaccumulation is not expected.

#### **Mobility in soil**

Soil/water partition coefficient (KOC)

: Not available

Other adverse effects

: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

### **Section 13. Disposal Considerations**

**Disposal methods** 

: Recycle if possible. Dispose of material in accordance with all local, state, and federal regulations. The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible.

## **Section 14. Transport Information**

	DOT Classification	IMDG	IATA
UN number	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
Transport hazard class(es)	-	-	-
Packing group	-	-	-
Environmental hazards	No	No	No
Additional information	-	-	-
			AERG: Not applicable

Special precautions for user

: Transport within user's premises - always transport in containers that are upright and secure.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

: Product is a solid and bulk transport is governed by IMSBC.



## Section 15. Regulatory Information

U.S. Federal regulations : United States - TSCA 12(b) - Chemical export notification (40 CFR 707, Subpart D):

Clean Air Act Section 112

(b) Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) : Not listed

**Clean Air Act Section 602** 

Class I Substances : Not listed
Class II Substances : Not listed

DEA List I Chemicals : Not listed

(Precursor Chemicals)

**DEA List II Chemicals** (Essential Chemicals)

: Not listed

**SARA 302/304** 

Composition/information on ingredients: No products were listed

SARA 304 RQ : Notapplicable

**SARA 311/312** 

Classification : Not applicable

SARA 313 : No products were listed

State regulations

Massachusetts : The following components are listed: Gypsum (CAS 13397-24-5)

Cellulose (CAS 65996-61-4)

New Jersey : The following components are listed: Gypsum (CAS 13397-24-5)

Cellulose (CAS 65996-61-4) Fiberglass (CAS 65997-17-3)

Pennsylvania : The following components are listed: Gypsum (CAS 13397-24-5)

Cellulose (CAS 65996-61-4)

**California Prop. 65** : Respirable crystalline silica is recognized by the State of California to cause cancer.

Independent industrial hygiene monitoring showed no exposure risk as no respirable

crystalline silica was detected during recommended use of this product.

### Section 16. Other information

**History** 

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**Key to abbreviations** : ATE = Acute Toxicity Estimate

BCF = Bioconcentration Factor

GHS = Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals

IATA = International Air Transport Association

IBC = Intermediate Bulk Container

IMDG = International Maritime Dangerous Goods

LogPow = logarithm of the octanol/water partition coefficient

MARPOL 73/78 = International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships,

1973 as modified by the Protocol of 1978. ("Marpol" = marine pollution)

UN = United Nations

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