



# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET (MSDS) SAFETY DATA SHEET (SDS)

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

**IDENTIFICATION OF PREPARATION:** FR408HR Prepreg

**USE OF PREPARATION:** Resin-impregnated woven fiberglass.

**COMPANY IDENTIFICATION** ISOLA USA Corp.

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**MSDS PREPARED BY:** Chemistry & Industrial Hygiene, Inc., (800) 420-9311, on the date shown above.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations of Canada and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### GHS Classification for the preparation: WARNING

Skin irritation/corrosion Category 2 – Causes skin irritation; P264, P280, P302 + P352, P332 + P313, P362

Eye irritation/serious eye damage Category 2B – Causes eye irritation; P264, P305 + P351 + P338, P337 + P313

Skin sensitization Category 1 – May cause allergic skin reaction; P261, P272, P280, P302 + P352, P333 + P313, P363, P501

Hazardous to the aquatic environment Chronic Category 2 – Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects; P273, P391, P501

### Canadian WHMIS for the preparation:

Class D, Division 2B – Toxic Material Causing Eye and Skin Irritation and Skin Sensitization

### EU PREPARATION CLASSIFICATION (1999/45/EC):

Irritant (Xi), R36/37/38-43;

Dangerous for the Environment (N), R51/53

**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:** Inhalation of product particulates or of residual solvent vapors may be harmful. May cause skin sensitization. Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

**POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS:** No information is available on this specific mixture as a whole. The information presented is based on each of the components present at concentrations greater than 1% (0.1 % for carcinogens). Ingestion may cause digestive tract irritation. Exposure to product can produce delayed pulmonary edema. This product contains less than one percent total residual solvents (methyl ethyl ketone and/or cyclohexanone). Exposure to residual vapors may cause eye, skin and respiratory tract irritation. Animal studies indicate that Methyl Ethyl Ketone may have toxic effects on human reproduction. Exposure to cyclohexanone may cause liver and/or kidney toxicity. Dust generated during routine handling, machining, grinding, or sawing may cause mechanical irritation of skin, eyes, nose, and throat.

Machining, grinding or sawing this material may generate harmful dusts. Continuous filament glass fiber is not considered fibrogenic; however, it is woven from E-Glass fibers which are listed by IARC as “special purpose glass fibers” and designated as “possibility of carcinogenic in humans.” See Section 8 for exposure controls.

**ROUTES OF ENTRY:** Dermal: YES Inhalation: POSSIBLE Ingestion: SLIGHT Injection: POSSIBLE



### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

MATERIAL	CAS NUMBER	EC NUMBER	PERCENT	EU Hazard Classification
Woven Continuous Filament Glass Fiber (E-glass)	65997-17-3	266-046-0	35-60	X <sub>i</sub> , R36/37/38
Proprietary Bisphenol A-based Epoxy Resin	Proprietary	Proprietary	7-13	X <sub>i</sub> , R36/38-43; N, R51/53
Brominated Flame Retardant	79-94-7	201-236-9	7-13	N, R50/53
Non-Hazardous Polymers	Proprietary	Proprietary	30-50	Not Classified

See Section 16 for details on Hazard Classifications.

Information regarding proprietary ingredients is available from the manufacturer upon request.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**SEEK IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION IF IRRITATION OCCURS.**

**INHALATION:** Remove the person to fresh air. Treat respiratory distress as appropriate (artificial respiration, etc.) Provide oxygen if necessary. If not breathing, give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation and seek immediate medical attention.

**EYES:** Immediately flush eyes with large amounts of temperate water for a minimum of 15 minutes. Consult an ophthalmologist for a more detailed medical evaluation.

**SKIN:** Remove contaminated clothing. Wash skin thoroughly with mild soap and room temperature running water. DO NOT rub or scratch irritated areas, as this may force fibers into the skin. See immediate medical attention if irritation continues.

**INGESTION:** Not expected to be a significant route of exposure based on expected use. If ingestion occurs, seek immediate medical attention.

**SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE:** May include irritation of the skin, eyes, and respiratory tract, nausea, vomiting, drowsiness, dizziness, headache, nausea, diarrhea, abdominal pain, burning sensation, cough, sore throat and/or an allergic skin reaction.

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Powder, carbon dioxide, or alcohol-resistant foam. Water may be ineffective as an extinguishing medium, but can be used to cool fire-exposed containers. If using a fire extinguisher, make sure that it is an NFPA Class B extinguisher (e.g. label rating will read AB, ABC or BC)

**FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT:** Wear full bunker gear including a positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus.

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION:** Dense smoke, acrid vapors and fumes, hydrocarbons of variable composition, bromine, CO<sub>x</sub>, hydrogen bromide.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**GENERAL:** Under conditions of inadequate ventilation, explosive vapor concentrations may form. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Sweep or scrape into approved container for proper disposal. See Section 13 for Disposal Considerations.



## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**HANDLING:** May contain residual volatile organic compounds. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke while handling this product. The use of appropriate gloves is recommended to minimize the potential for skin contact (See Section 8). Provide adequate ventilation to minimize exposure. Do not breathe dust. Provide proper NIOSH- or local authority-approved respirators if exposure limits are exceeded.

**STORAGE:** Store in tightly closed containers in a well-ventilated area at 5-25 °C. Avoid contact with incompatible materials. Keep from ignition sources, such as sparks and flames. NO SMOKING.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

MATERIAL	EXPOSURE LIMITS*		
	OSHA PEL <sup>(a)</sup>	ACGIH TLV <sup>(b)</sup>	NIOSH REL <sup>(c)</sup>
Woven continuous filament glass fibers (including special purpose glass fibers)	15 mg/m <sup>3(d)</sup> TWA <sup>(e)</sup> Total Dust (PNOR) <sup>(f)</sup> 5 mg/m <sup>3(d)</sup> TWA <sup>(e)</sup> Respirable Dust <sup>(g)</sup>	1 f/cc <sup>(h)</sup> TWA <sup>(e)</sup> Fibers <sup>(i)</sup> 5 mg/m <sup>3(d)</sup> TWA <sup>(e)</sup> Inhalable Dust <sup>(g)</sup>	3 f/cc <sup>(h)</sup> TWA <sup>(e)</sup> Fibers <sup>(i)</sup> 5 mg/m <sup>3(d)</sup> TWA <sup>(e)</sup> Total Fibrous Glass
Proprietary Bisphenol A-based Epoxy Resin	None Established	None Established	None Established
Brominated Flame Retardant	None Established	None Established	None Established

\*See Section 15 for additional Occupational Exposure Limits (OELs).

(a) U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, permissible exposure limit (PEL); (b) American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists', threshold limit value (TLV); (c) National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, recommended exposure limit (REL); (d) milligrams per cubic meter; (e) time-weighted average over an 8-hour day, 40-hour work week for OSHA PELs and ACGIH TLVs, or up to a 10-hour day, during a 40-hour work week for NIOSH RELs; (f) Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated (PNOR); (g) particles in the size range that are hazardous when deposited in the gas-exchange region of the lungs. (h) fibers per cubic centimeter; (i) Respirable fibers longer than 5 microns and having an aspect ratio of  $\geq 3:1$ .

### ENGINEERING CONTROLS:

Use local exhaust to minimize exposures and maintain airborne dust and vapor concentrations below occupational exposure limits, especially where heating or machining/grinding/sawing operations occur.

### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** In the absence of adequate general or local ventilation, or other appropriate engineering controls, use a NIOSH- or local authority-approved respirator appropriate for the contaminant if exposure limits are exceeded. Consult an industrial hygienist for assistance as needed.

**SKIN PROTECTION:** Avoid skin contact! Use impervious gloves, and splash-resistant clean body-covering clothing to minimize exposure. Due to the combination of chemical ingredients, an industrial hygienist should be consulted to select appropriate glove material for specific product application. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**EYE PROTECTION:** Use chemical resistant goggles when handling, and safety glasses or a face shield when machining, grinding or sawing.

**WORK/HYGIENE PRACTICES:** Good personal hygiene should be exercised by all users of this product to minimize potential dermal and inhalation exposures.



## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	Off-white resin impregnated woven glass fibers
Odor:	Not Applicable
Odor Threshold:	Not Applicable
Boiling Point:	Not Applicable
Flash Point:	Not Applicable
Auto-ignition Temperature:	Not Determined
Lower Explosive Limit (LEL):	Not Applicable Under Foreseeable Uses
Upper Explosive Limit (UEL):	Not Applicable Under Foreseeable Uses
Vapor Pressure:	Not Applicable
Specific Gravity:	Not Applicable
Total Volatile Organic Compounds (TVOC) (G/L):	Not Applicable
Solubility in Water:	Not Applicable
Partition Coefficient:	Not Applicable
Viscosity of Solution:	Not Applicable
Vapor density (Air=1.0):	Not Applicable
Percent Volatility:	Less than 1% Volatile Organic Compounds

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**This material is stable under expected conditions of use, handling and storage.**

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Avoid exposure to heat, flames, sparks and other ignition sources as well as moist air and water. Avoid extremes of temperature. Hazardous polymerization will not occur. Avoid contact with incompatible materials. Avoid excessive dust generation.

**INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS:** Strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizers, amines and mercaptans.

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION:** Dense smoke, acrid vapors and fumes, hydrocarbons of variable composition, bromine, CO<sub>x</sub>, hydrogen bromide.

**EXOTHERMIC REACTION FIGHTING PROCEDURES:** Dissipate heat by spreading material apart and dousing with water. Contain vapors with local exhaust.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**NO DATA AVAILABLE ON THE SPECIFIC MIXTURE.**

### CONTINUOUS FILAMENT GLASS FIBERS

NIOSH RTECS No.: LK3651000

Acute Effects of Overexposure: Exposure to dust may cause irritation to the eyes, skin and respiratory system, and may cause difficulty breathing.

Effects Chronic of Overexposure: Repeated or prolonged contact with skin may cause dermatitis. Tumors have been detected in experimental animals but may not be relevant to humans.

Target Organs: Eyes, skin, respiratory system.

Carcinogenicity: ACGIH A4, IARC Group 3

Special purpose glass fibers: ACGIH A3, IARC Group 2B

Toxicity Data: LD<sub>50</sub> data not available in sources utilized.

Mouse-Intratracheal Lethal Dose > 20 mg/kg

## **TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION** (continued)

### **PROPRIETARY BISPHENOL A-BASED EPOXY RESIN**

NIOSH RTECS No.: Not Listed.

Acute Effects of Overexposure: May include irritation of the eyes and skin.

Chronic Effects of Overexposure: Repeated or prolonged exposure may cause skin sensitization.

Target Organs: Eyes, skin.

Carcinogenicity: IARC Group 3

Toxicity Data: Rat-Oral LD<sub>50</sub> > 2,400 mg/kg  
Rabbit-Dermal LD<sub>50</sub> = 6,000 mg/kg

### **BROMINATED FLAME RETARDANT**

NIOSH RTECS No.: SM0894500

Acute Effects of Overexposure: Causes eye, skin and respiratory tract irritation. May cause digestive tract irritation.

Chronic Effects of Overexposure: Adverse reproductive effects have occurred in experimental animals.

Target Organs: Eyes, skin, respiratory system, digestive system.

Carcinogenicity: Not listed as a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, OSHA, or NIOSH.

Toxicity Data: Rat-Oral LD<sub>50</sub> > 5,000 mg/kg  
Rabbit-Dermal LD<sub>50</sub> > 2,000 mg/kg  
Rat-Inhalation LC<sub>50</sub> > 2,550 mg/m<sup>3</sup>/2h

## **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**NO DATA AVAILABLE ON THE SPECIFIC MIXTURE.**

### **CONTINUOUS FILAMENT GLASS FIBERS (E-GLASS)**

Information not available in sources utilized.

### **PROPRIETARY BISPHENOL A-BASED EPOXY RESIN**

Ecotoxicity: LC<sub>50</sub>(96h) 2.4 mg/l Rainbow Trout  
LC<sub>50</sub>(24h) 3.6 mg/l Daphnia Magna

Mobility: Practically insoluble in water.

Persistence and Degradability: Not readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulation Potential: No information available in sources utilized.

### **BROMINATED FLAME RETARDANT**

Ecotoxicity: LC<sub>50</sub>(96h) 0.40 mg/l Rainbow Trout  
LC<sub>50</sub>(96h) 0.54 mg/l Fathead Minnow  
LC<sub>50</sub>(48h) 0.96 mg/l Daphnia Magna

Mobility: Low water solubility.

Persistence and Degradability: Not readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulation Potential: Bioconcentration potential in aquatic organisms is considered moderate to high.

## **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**GENERAL:** Follow all applicable local, national, provincial, territorial, and international regulations. As supplied, this material is not regulated as a hazardous waste under the US EPA Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA). Refer to the European Waste Catalog (EWC) for appropriate waste code(s).

## **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Not regulated by US DOT, ICAO/IATA, RID/ADR, IMDG, Canada TDG



## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**CANADIAN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT:** All of the components of this product are listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL).

**EPA TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT (TSCA) STATUS:** All of the components of this product are listed on the TSCA inventory.

**EUROPEAN INVENTORY OF EXISTING COMMERCIAL CHEMICAL SUBSTANCES (EINECS):** All of the components of this product are listed on the EINECS inventory, are no longer polymers (NLP), or are polymer exempt.

**ADDITIONAL OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS (OELs).** There are currently no international OELs for the Proprietary Bisphenol A-based Epoxy Resin or the Brominated Flame Retardant. See Section 8 for OSHA, ACGIH and NIOSH OELs.

Country	CONTINUOUS FILAMENT GLASS FIBERS (based on mineral wool)
Arab Republic of Egypt	Not Listed
Australia	Not Listed
Austria	Not Listed
Belgium	Not Listed
Canada	
-Alberta	1.0 f/cc 8-hour OEL
-British Columbia, Manitoba, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island	1 f/cc 8-hour TWA 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8-hour TWA Inhalable Dust
-Northwest Territory	3 f/cc 8-hour OEL 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8-hour OEL Total Mass
-Ontario	1 f/cc TWAEV 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWAEV Inhalable Dust
-Quebec	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> VEMP (8-hour OEL)
-Saskatchewan	Not Listed
-Yukon Territory	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8-hour OEL
Denmark	Not Listed
Finland	Not Listed
France	Not Listed
Germany	Not Listed
Hungary	Not Listed
India	Not Listed
Italy	Not Listed
Japan	Not Listed
The Netherlands	2 fibers/cm <sup>3</sup> MAC-TGG Respirable Dust
Norway	Not Listed
The Philippines	Not Listed
Thailand	Not Listed
United Kingdom	Not Listed
Argentina, Bulgaria, Colombia, Jordan, Korea, New Zealand, Singapore, Vietnam	Not Listed



## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### HAZARD CLASSIFICATIONS:

X<sub>i</sub>=Irritant

N=Dangerous to the environment

### R-PHRASES:

R36/38-Irritating to eyes and skin

R36/37/38-Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

R43-May cause sensitization by skin contact

R50/51-Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment

R51/53-Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment

### Precautionary Statements:

P261 – Avoid breathing dust, fume, or vapors.

P264 – Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P272 – Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

P273 – Avoid release to the environment.

P280 – Wear protective gloves.

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

P305 + P351 + P338 – IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P332 + P313 – If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

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

P337 + P313 – If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

P362 – Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

P363 – Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P391 – Collect spillage.

P501 – Dispose contents/container in accordance with local, national, provincial, territorial, and international regulations.

**Current MSDS Revision Date:** January 22, 2015

**Previous MSDS Date(s):** July 1, 2011; March 18, 2008

**NOTE:** This product contains partially cured resin(s). Curing should only be performed in well-ventilated or closed systems. In accordance with good industrial hygiene practices, handle with care and avoid unnecessary personal contact.

**DISCLAIMER:** The information contained in this MSDS relates specifically to the product as a whole and may not be valid if used in combination with other materials or in any specified process. The information on FR408HR is accurate to the best of our knowledge but does not purport to be all inclusive and should only be used as a general guide. It is the user's responsibility to ensure that the product will be suitable for particular usage. The user assumes all responsibility for compliance with applicable Federal, State and Local Regulations. We do not accept liability for damage or loss that may occur from the use of this information.