

**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

Product: Phoenixboard® Builder's Shim Stock™

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**SECTION I**

Company Name  
Fortifiber Corporation

Emergency Telephone No.  
508-222-3500

Address: 55 Starkey Ave., Attleboro, MA 02703

Chemical Name & Synonyms  
N/A

Trade Name & Synonyms  
Phoenixboard®Builders Shim Stock™

Chemical Family  
Cellulose Fiber & Polyolefin

Formula  
N/A

**SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS**

In the solid state the material is not considered a hazardous material as defined by 21CFR 1900.1210 (OSHA Hazards Communications Law) paragraph (b) (5) (iv). This product is supplied in compliance with TSCA reporting requirements.

**SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA**

Boiling Point (°F.)  
N/A

Specific Gravity (Water=1)  
< 1.0

Vapor Pressure (mmHg.)  
N/A

Percent, Volatile by Volume (%)  
N/A

Vapor Density (Air=1)  
N/A

Evaporation Rate(Butyl Acetate=1)  
N/A

Solubility in Water Negligible

Appearance & Odor Two chipboards laminated together with recycled polyolefin coated paper.

**SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA**

Flash Point N/A      Method N/A      Flammable Limits N/A      Lel N/A  
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Extinguishing Media Water spray, dry chemical, CO<sub>2</sub> or foam

Special Fire Fighting Procedures Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes. Water should be applied as a spray from a fogging nozzle to prevent the spread of fire due to high velocity water.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards Refer to NFPA Pamphlet No.654, "Prevention of Fire and Dust Explosions in the Chemical, Dye, Pharmaceutical and Plastics Industries".

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**SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA**

Threshold Limit Value Not established

Effects of Overexposure

INHALATION: Above 180 deg C, irritating vapors may be released.  
EYES: Low hazard for normal industrial handling.  
SKIN: Molten material will produce thermal burns.

Emergency and First Aid Procedures

SKIN: If burned by contact with molten material, cool as quickly as possible (cold water flush) and see a physician for treatment of burn.

Note to Physicians: Burns should be treated as thermal burns. The plastic will come off as healing occurs; therefore, immediate removal from the skin is not necessary.

**SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA**

Stability: Stable  X  Unstable

Conditions to Avoid Fire or exposure to strong oxidizing agents such as nitric and sulfuric acid, halogens and chlorinating agents.

Hazardous Polymerization May Occur   Will not Occur  X .

Hazardous Decomposition Products As with any organic material, combustion will produce carbon monoxide, acrolein, and aldehydes.

**SECTION VII - SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES**

Steps to be Taken in Case Material is Released or Spilled N/A

Waste Disposal Method Incineration or landfill. Observe all federal, state and local laws concerning health and the environment.

**SECTION VIII - SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION**

Respiratory Protection N/A

Ventilation: N/A  
Special N/A

Mechanical N/A  
Other N/A

Protective Gloves  
To avoid paper cuts

Eye Protection  
Safety glasses, ANSI Std. 287.1

Other Protective Equipment  
None

Work/Hygienic Practices  
Avoid unnecessary exposure to dust and fibers.

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**SECTION IX - SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS**

Precautions to be Taken in Handling and Storing      Other Precautions N/A  
Do not store near open flame.  
Use reasonable care and caution in handling.

**SECTION X – REGULATORY**

**SARA / TITLE III**

This product does not contain a toxic chemical for routine annual toxic chemical reporting under Section 313 (40 CFR 372).

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