

# **Safety Data Sheet**

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# 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier

Product Name Fix-A-Floor® Tile Grout

Other means of identification

SDS # RD-0022PTG

Product Code FIX510, FIX520, & FIX550 Series

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended Use** A premium, acrylic latex based, water-resistant compound for grouting ceramic & mosaic

tile.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Address Red Devil, Inc. 4175 Webb Street Pryor, Oklahoma 74361 www.reddevil.com

**Emergency Telephone Number** 

Company Phone Number 918-825-5744

Fax: 918-825-5761

Emergency Telephone (24 hr) INFOTRAC 1-352-323-3500 (International)

1-800-535-5053 (North America)

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Appearance White, Almond, or Gray paste Physical State Paste Odor Mild Acrylic/slight ammoniacal

### Classification

This chemical does not meet the hazardous criteria set forth by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). However, this Safety Data Sheet (SDS) contains valuable information critical to the safe handling and proper use of this product. This SDS should be retained and available for employees and other users of this product.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

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Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%
Calcium Carbonate	1317-65-3	<70
Acrylic Emulsion	MIXTURE	<25
Non-hazardous Ingredients*	Proprietary	<5
Titanium Dioxide	13463-67-7	<2
Soda lime borosilicate glass	65997-17-3	<1
Propylene Glycol	57-55-6	<1
Ammonium Hydroxide	7664-41-7	<0.15
Petroleum Hydrocarbon	64742-48-9	<1

<sup>\*\*</sup>If Chemical Name/CAS No is "proprietary" and/or Weight-% is listed as a range, the specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.\*\*

#### 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

#### **First Aid Measures**

**General Advice** Provide this SDS to medical personnel for treatment.

Eye Contact Immediately flush with large quantities of water for at least 15 minutes until irritation

subsides. Get medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash w/ soap & water for @ least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if symptoms persist.

Remove & wash contaminated clothing.

Inhalation Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, leave area to obtain fresh air. If breathing

remains difficult, get medical attention.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting unless directed by medical personnel. If vomiting occurs, lean

patient forward to maintain an open airway & prevent aspiration. Get immediate medical

attention.

#### Most important symptoms and effects

**Symptoms** Prolonged or repeated skin contact may result in dermatitis (red, dry skin). Direct contact

with eyes may cause temporary irritation. Exposed individuals may experience eye tearing, redness and discomfort. Irritating to mouth, throat, and stomach if ingested. May cause gas trointestinal irritation, nausea, diarrhea, and vomiting. Overexposure to vapors during application and curing may mildly irritate respiratory tract and result in coughing and

sneezing.

#### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: Asthma & asthma-like conditions may worsen

from prolonged or repeated exposure to dust, should sanding be performed.

<sup>\*</sup> Unlisted ingredients are not considered hazardous under the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). (Calcium Carbonate, Titanium Dioxide and Soda lime borosilicate glass) Inhalation of particulates unlikely due to product's physical state

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

# Suitable Extinguishing Media

Carbon dioxide (CO2). Dry chemical. Water spray (fog). Foam. Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media Not determined.

#### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Product is combustible & mayignite if exposed to high temperature or direct flame.

Hazardous Combustion Products Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides (NOx).

#### Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

# Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

Other Information Small Spills: 1 drum or less – Level D Equipment (gloves, chemical resistant apron, boots &

eye protection).

Large Spills: Rubber gloves, rubber boots, face shield & Tyvek suit as a minimum. Minimum level of PPE for releases in which the oxygen level is < 19.5% or is unknown, should be Level B: triple gloves (rubber gloves & nitrile gloves over latex gloves), chemical resistant suit, fire-retardant clothing & boots, hard hat & self-contained breathing apparatus.

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For Emergency Responders Restrict access to spill area.

**Environmental Precautions** Minimize use of water to prevent environmental contamination. Prevent spill or rinse from

contaminating storm drains, sewers, soil or groundwater. Do not allow discharge containing

this material to enter streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters unless in

accordance w/ requirements of National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit & permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not allow discharge containing this material to enter sewer systems w/o previously notifying local sewage treatment plant authority. For information, contact State Water Board or EPA

Regional Office

Other: U.S. regulations may require reporting of spills of this material reaching surface

waters if sheen is formed.

#### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for Containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Use absorbent material to contain spill.

Methods for Clean-Up Sweep up absorbed material and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Wash area

with soap and water. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on Safe Handling Keep out of reach of children & pets. Do not take internally. Do not breathe vapors or dust.

If dry sanding use NIOSH-approved dust mask. Use onlyw/ adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid contact w/ eyes, skin & clothing. Open windows & doors to ensure cross-ventilation & fresh air during application & curing. Do not eat or drink while

handling this material. In event of spill - see Section 6.

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# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** 

Stable under normal conditions of handling, use & storage. Store containers in a cool, dry location, away from direct sunlight & high temperatures. Protect from freezing. Store away from incompatible materials (caustics & oxidizers). Close container after each use & keep tightly closed when not in use. To maximize shelf life, store @ temperatures below 26C (80F).

**Incompatible Materials** 

Strong bases. Oxidizing agents.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

# Exposure Guidelines

Exposure guidelines / protective equipment are for routine handling and accidental spills

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	osha pel	NIOSH IDLH
Calcium Carbonate 1317-65-3	-	TWA: 15 mg/m³ total dust TWA: 5 mg/m³ respirable fraction	TWA: 10 mg/m³ total dust TWA: 5 mg/m³ respirable dust
		(vacated) TWA: 15 mg/m³ total dust (vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m³ respirable fraction	
Titanium Dioxide 13463-67-7	TWA: 10 mg/m³	TWA: 15 mg/m³ total dust (vacated) TWA: 10 mg/m³ total dust	IDLH: 5000 mg/m³
	TWA: 1 fiber/cm3 respirable fibers: length >5 µm, aspect ratio >=3:1, as determined by the membrane filter method at 400-450X magnification [4-mm objective], using phase-contrast illumination TWA: 5 mg/m³ inhalable fraction	-	<u>-</u>
Ammonium Hydroxide 7664-41-7	STEL: 35 ppm TWA: 25 ppm	TWA: 50 ppm TWA: 35 mg/m³ (vacated) STEL: 35 ppm (vacated) STEL: 27 mg/m³	IDLH: 300 ppm TWA: 25 ppm TWA: 18 mg/m³ STEL: 35 ppm STEL: 27 mg/m³
Petroleum Hydrocarbon 64742-48-9	ACGIH TWA: 5 mg/m³; ACGIH STEL: 10 mg/m³	-	-

# Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Controls** 

Ventilation must be adequate to maintain the ambient workplace atmosphere below the exposure limit(s) outlined in the SDS. Provide appropriate local exhaust ventilation if material is to be sanded.

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#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/Face Protection** Use approved safety goggles or safety glasses. If necessary, refer to appropriate

regulations & standards.

**Skin and Body Protection** Skin: Wear chemical resistant rubber gloves for repeated or prolonged use.

Body: Not required w/ normal use.

**Respiratory Protection** Avoid breathing of dust. Avoid breathing of vapors, mists or spray. If concentrations exceed

exposure limits specified, use a NIOSH-approved supplied air respirator. If protection factor exceeded, use self contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). A respiratory protection program that exceeds OSHA 1910.134 & ANSI Z88.2 requirements should be followed when conditions were provided to a protection of the conditions were provided to a protection of the conditions were provided to a protection of the conditions were provided to a p

when conditions warrant respirator use. If dry sanding preferred, use approved

NIOSH/OSHA respirator.

General Hygiene Considerations Wash hands w/soap & water before breaks & @ end of workday. Remove & wash

contaminated clothing prior to re-use.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State Paste

Appearance White paste Odor Mild Acrylic/slight ammoniacal
Color White Odor Threshold Not determined

Property Note: The information below is not Remarks • Method

intended for use in preparing

product specifications

**pH** 7.0-10.0

Melting Point/Freezing Point ~ 0 °C / ~32 °F

Boiling Point/Boiling Range Not established

Flash Point > 93.33 °C / > 200 °F Ceta Closed Cup

Evaporation Rate Not determined Flammability (Solid, Gas) Not determined Upper Flammability Limits Unknown Lower Flammability Limit Unknown Not established

Vapor PressureNot establishedVapor DensityHeavier than airSpecific Gravity~1.5-2.00

Specific Gravity ~1.5-2.00 @ 25 °C (77 °F)

Water Solubility Soluble in water Solubility in other solvents Not determined **Partition Coefficient** Not determined **Auto-ignition Temperature** Not determined **Decomposition Temperature** Not determined Kinematic Viscosity Not determined **Dynamic Viscosity** Not determined **Explosive Properties** Not determined **Oxidizing Properties** Not determined **VOC Content (%)** <1.5%

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# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### <u>Reactivity</u>

Not reactive under normal conditions.

#### **Chemical Stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

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# Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

**Hazardous Polymerization** 

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

# **Conditions to Avoid**

Incompatible Materials. Excessive heat or cold.

#### **Incompatible Materials**

Strong bases. Oxidizing agents.

# **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides (NOx).

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

**Product Information** 

**Eye Contact** Eye contact may result in tearing, redness & pain.

**Skin Contact** Prolonged and frequent contact may cause redness and irritation. Repeated skin contact

may cause dermatitis.

Inhalation Overexposure to vapors during application & curing may mildly irritate respiratory tract &

result in coughing & sneezing.

Ingestion May cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, diarrhea, and vomiting.

#### Component Information

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Titanium Dioxide 13463-67-7	> 10000 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-
Propylene Glycol 57-55-6	= 20000 mg/kg ( Rat )	= 20800 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	-
Ammonium Hydroxide 7664-41-7	= 350 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	= 5.1 mg/L (Rat) 1 h = 2000 ppm (Rat) 4 h
Petroleum Hydrocarbon 64742-48-9	> 5000 mg/kg (Rat)	> 3160 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	-

# Information on physical, chemical and toxicological effects

**Symptoms** Please see section 4 of this SDS for symptoms.

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# Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Sensitization Not known to be human skin or respiratory sensitizers.

Carcinogenicity Titanium dioxide is a possible carcinogen when it appears as a respirable dust

Product contains trace amounts of residual Formaldehyde. OSHA & NTP identify Formaldehyde as a potential carcinogen. IARC identifies Formaldehyde as a human carcinogen. Formaldehyde has been shown to cause mutations in a variety of in-vitro test systems, w/human significance unknown. Rats have shown carcinogenic effects in respiratory system. Risk should be minimal when used w/adequate ventilation. Maintain

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adequate ventilation to prevent exposure above OSHA exposure limits.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Titanium Dioxide 13463-67-7		Group 2B		X
Soda lime borosilicate glass 65997-17-3		Group 3		

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)
Group 2B - Possibly Carcinogenic to Hurrans
Group 3 IARC components are "not classifiable as hurran carcinogens"

OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)

X - Present

**Target organ effects** Acute: Eyes & Skin. Chronic: Skin.

#### **Numerical measures of toxicity**

Not determined

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity**

PRACTICES SHOULD BE AIMED AT ELIMINATING ENVIRONMENTAL CONTAMINATION.

not tested for aquatic or animal toxicity. Release of product to terrestrial, atmospheric & aquatic environments should be avoided.

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to	Crustacea
			microorganisms	
Propylene Glycol	19000: 96 h	51600: 96 h Oncorhynchus		10000: 24 h Daphnia magna
57-55-6	Pseudokirchneriella	mykiss mg/L LC50 static 41 -		mg/L EC50 1000: 48 h
	subcapitata mg/L EC50	47: 96 h Oncorhynchus		Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
		mykiss mL/L LC50 static		Static
		51400: 96 h Pimephales		
		promelas mg/L LC50 static		
		710: 96 h Pimephales		
		promelas mg/L LC50		
Ammonium Hydroxide		0.44: 96 h Cyprinus carpio		25.4: 48 h Daphnia magna
7664-41-7		mg/L LC50 0.26 - 4.6: 96 h		mg/L LC50
		Lepomis macrochirus mg/L		
		LC50 1.17: 96 h Lepomis		
		macrochirus mg/L LC50		
		flow -through 0.73 - 2.35: 96		
		h Pimephales promelas mg/L		
		LC50 5.9: 96 h Pimephales		
		promelas mg/L LC50 static		
		1.5: 96 h Poecilia reticulata		
		mg/L LC50 1.19: 96 h		
		Poecilia reticulata mg/L		
		LC50 static		
Petroleum Hydrocarbon		2200: 96 h Pimephales		2.6: 96 h Chaetogammarus
64742-48-9		promelas mg/L LC50		marinus mg/L LC50

## Persistence/Degradability

Not tested for persistence & biodegradability.

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#### **Bioaccumulation**

Not tested for bio-accumulation potential.

#### **Mobility**

Not tested for mobility in soil

Chemical Name	Partition Coefficient
Ammonium Hydroxide 7664-41-7	-1.14

#### Other Adverse Effects

Environmental Exposure Controls: Should be maintained so as to prevent release to the environment (atmospheric release, release to waterways & spills)

#### **Ozone**

Not expected to produce any ozone depletion

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### **Waste Treatment Methods**

**Disposal of Wastes** Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and **Contaminated Packaging** 

regulations.

#### **US EPA Waste Number**

Not Applicable

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Please see current shipping paper for most up to date shipping information, including Note

exemptions and special circumstances.

DOT Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

**IMDG** Not regulated

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### International Inventories

**TSCA** Listed **DSL** Listed **NDSL** Listed

### Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

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# US Federal Regulations

#### **CERCLA**

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Ammonium Hydroxide	100 lb	100 lb	RQ 100 lb final RQ
7664-41-7			RQ 45.4 kg final RQ

# SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

**Acute Health Hazard** Yes **Chronic Health Hazard** No Fire Hazard No Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard No **Reactive Hazard** No

# **SARA 313**

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Ammonium Hydroxide - 7664-41-7	7664-41-7	<0.15	1.0

# CWA (Clean Water Act)

Component	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Ammonium Hydroxide 7664-41-7 ( <0.15 )	100 lb			X

# US State Regulations

# California Proposition 65

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals.

Chemical Name	California Proposition 65
Titanium Dioxide - 13463-67-7	Carcinogen

# U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Calcium Carbonate	X	X	X
1317-65-3			
Titanium Dioxide	X	X	X
13463-67-7			
Propylene Glycol	X		X
57-55-6			
Ammonium Hydroxide	X	X	X
7664-41-7			

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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NFPAHealth HazardsFlammabilityInstabilitySpecial Hazards100Not determinedHMISHealth HazardsFlammabilityPhysical HazardsPersonal Protection100X

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#### Disclaimer

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