High Pressure Laminate by Formica

Health Product Declaration v2.2

created via: HPDC Online Builder

HPD UNIQUE IDENTIFIER: 23751

CLASSIFICATION: 06 06 00 Schedules for Wood, Plastics, and Composites

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION: High pressure decorative laminates in Grades 10, 12, 20, D4, D5 and A-7 consist of multiple ply's of kraft paper saturated with phenolic resin solids to form the core base Laminate surfaces consist of papers saturated with melamine resin solids. Formica laminate can fabricated as an applied surface to countertops, table tops, casework, wall panels and other decorative surfaces where design, ease of maintenance and lasting durability are required.



Section 1: Summary

Basic Method / Product Threshold

CONTENT INVENTORY

Inventory Reporting Format

Nested Materials Method

Basic Method

Threshold Disclosed Per

Material

Product

Threshold level

C 1,000 ppm C Per GHS SDS

Other

Residuals/Impurities

Considered

C Partially Considered

O Not Considered

Explanation(s) provided

for Residuals/Impurities?

Yes ○ No

All Substances Above the Threshold Indicated Are:

Characterized

○ Yes Ex/SC Yes No

% weight and role provided for all substances.

Screened

○ Yes Ex/SC Yes No

All substances screened using Priority Hazard Lists with

results disclosed.

Identified

○ Yes Ex/SC Yes No

One or more substances not disclosed by Name (Specific or Generic) and Identifier and/ or one or more Special

Condition did not follow guidance.

CONTENT IN DESCENDING ORDER OF QUANTITY

Summary of product contents and results from screening individual chemical substances against HPD Priority Hazard Lists and the GreenScreen for Safer Chemicals®. The HPD does not assess whether using or handling this product will expose individuals to its chemical substances or any health risk. Refer to Section 2 for further details.

MATERIAL | SUBSTANCE | RESIDUAL OR IMPURITY

GREENSCREEN SCORE | HAZARD TYPE

HIGH PRESSURE LAMINATE [KRAFT PAPER NoGS PHENOLIC RESIN

LT-P1 | RES MELAMINE RESIN LT-UNK UNDISCLOSED NoGS]

Number of Greenscreen BM-4/BM3 contents ... 0

Contents highest concern GreenScreen

Benchmark or List translator Score ... LT - P1

Nanomaterial ... No

INVENTORY AND SCREENING NOTES:

Ranges for substances' percent weight are provided.

VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUND (VOC) CONTENT

VOC Content data is not applicable for this product category.

CERTIFICATIONS AND COMPLIANCE See Section 3 for additional listings.

VOC emissions: GreenGuard - Gold (previously Children & Schools) Sustainable forestry: FSC Certification - Chain of Custody (COC)

Other: NSF 35

CONSISTENCY WITH OTHER PROGRAMS

Pre-checked for LEED v4 Material Ingredients Option 1 and Option 2

Third Party Verified?

C Yes

⊙ No

PREPARER: Self-Prepared

VERIFIER: VERIFICATION #:

SCREENING DATE: 2020-08-04 **PUBLISHED DATE: 2021-02-10**

EXPIRY DATE: 2023-08-04



Section 2: Content in Descending Order of Quantity

This section lists contents in a product based on specific threshold(s) and reports detailed health information including hazards. This HPD uses the inventory method indicated above, which is one of three possible methods:

- Basic Inventory method with Product-level threshold.
- Nested Material Inventory method with Product-level threshold
- Nested Material Inventory method with individual Material-level thresholds

Definitions and requirements for the three inventory methods and requirements for each data field can be found in the HPD Open Standard version 2.2, available on the HPDC website at: www.hpd-collaborative.org/hpd-2-2-standard

HIGH PRESSURE LAMINATE

PRODUCT THRESHOLD: 100 ppm

RESIDUALS AND IMPURITIES CONSIDERED: Yes

RESIDUALS AND IMPURITIES NOTES: Residuals are tested by UL environment on a quarterly basis and Greenguard Gold certificate is achieved for Total VOC on all Formica Grades 10, 12, 20 and A-7.

OTHER PRODUCT NOTES: Formica HPL are layers of paper saturated with phenolic resins for the core and melamine resins for the surface décor sheets. They are pressed under high pressure and 300 deg F temperatures. The monomers and polymers react under these conditions thus polymerizing into a thermoset hard resin system. The residuals are a very small fraction of the unreacted monomers and are less than 7.3 parts per billion under the Greenguard test protocol.mentioned in this HPD.

HAZARD SCREENING METHOD: Pharos Chemical and Materials Library HAZARD SCREENING DATE: 2020-08-04
%: 56.0000 - 63.0000 GS: NoGS RC: PostC NANO: No SUBSTANCE ROLE: Structure component
HAZARD TYPE AGENCY AND LIST TITLES WARNINGS
None found No warnings found on HPD Priority Hazard Lists

MELAMINE RESIN ID: 9003-08-1

HAZARD SCREENING METHOD: Pharos Chemical and Materials Library HAZARD SCREENING DATE: 2020-08-04

%: 8.0000 - 12.0000 GS: LT-UNK RC: None NANO: No SUBSTANCE ROLE: Sealant

HAZARD TYPE AGENCY AND LIST TITLES WARNINGS

SUBSTANCE NOTES: Post consumer content 8-14%

None found No warnings found on HPD Priority Hazard Lists

SUBSTANCE NOTES: Used to saturate decorative and protective surface sheets prior to pressing and curing operation.

UNDISCLOSED ID: Undisclosed

HAZARD SCREENING METHOD: Pharos Chemical and Materials Library HAZARD SCREENING DATE: 2020-08-04

%: 6.0000 - 11.0000 GS: NoGS RC: None NANO: No SUBSTANCE ROLE: Structure component

HAZARD TYPE AGENCY AND LIST TITLES WARNINGS

None found No warnings found on HPD Priority Hazard Lists

SUBSTANCE NOTES: Used to impart design and protective surface to HPDL.



Section 3: Certifications and Compliance

This section lists applicable certification and standards compliance information for VOC emissions and VOC content. Other types of health or environmental performance testing or certifications completed for the product may be provided.

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VOC EMISSIONS

GreenGuard - Gold (previously Children & Schools)

CERTIFYING PARTY: Third Party

APPLICABLE FACILITIES: Evendale USA and St Jean

ISSUE DATE: 2004-10-

EXPIRY DATE:

EXPIRY DATE: 2021-

CERTIFIER OR LAB: UL

CERTIFIER OR LAB: SCS

environment

Canada

CERTIFICATE URL:

http://www.formica.com/en/us/landing-

pages/sustainability-2017/sustainability17/emissions-and-

CERTIFICATION AND COMPLIANCE NOTES: Residuals are tested on a quarterly basis by UL Environment and achieve Green Guard Gold for Total VOC.

ISSUE DATE: 2015-06-

SUSTAINABLE FORESTRY

FSC Certification - Chain of Custody (COC)

06-04

CERTIFYING PARTY: Third Party

APPLICABLE FACILITIES: Evendale, Ohio and St. Jean,

Canada

CERTIFICATE URL:

http://www.formica.com/en/us/landing-

pages/sustainability-2017/sustainability17/fsc-certified-

CERTIFICATION AND COMPLIANCE NOTES: FSC is an independent, non-government, not-for-profit organization established to promote responsible forest management practices worldwide. It was created out of concern for the loss of the world's forests and failure to address deforestation. FSC forest management certification is awarded to forest managers who adopt practices that provide environmental, social and economic benefits. FSC Principles and Criteria provide a foundation for all forest management standards globally.

OTHER

NSF 35

CERTIFYING PARTY: Third Party

APPLICABLE FACILITIES: Evendale, Ohio and St. Jean,

ISSUE DATE: 2007-01- EXPIRY DATE:

CERTIFIER OR LAB: NSF

International

Canada

CERTIFICATE URL:

http://info.nsf.org/Certified/Food/Listings.asp?

Company=17720&Standard=035

CERTIFICATION AND COMPLIANCE NOTES: The requirements of NSF/ANSI 35 are applicable to HPDL for use as work and nonwork surfaces of food service equipment on which direct contact during normal preparation or holding operations is not intended, expected, or reasonable. Applications of HPDL covered by this Standard include wait stations, service counters, and other counters used in conjunction with cutting boards or other means of preventing direct food contact with the laminate



Section 4: Accessories

This section lists related products or materials that the manufacturer requires or recommends for installation (such as adhesives or fasteners), maintenance, cleaning, or operations. For information relating to the contents of these related products, refer to their applicable Health Product Declarations, if available.

FORMICA BRAND CONTACT ADHESIVES

HPD URL: http://www.formica.com/en/us/products/adhesives

CONDITION WHEN RECOMMENDED OR REQUIRED AND/OR OTHER NOTES:

Contact Adhesives are used to bond HPDL to various substrates including Particleboard, Medium Density Fiberboard and Hardwood Faced Plywood.

FORMICA IDEAL EDGE

HPD URL: http://www.formica.com/en/us/products/idealedge-real

CONDITION WHEN RECOMMENDED OR REQUIRED AND/OR OTHER NOTES:

.Eliminate the flat edges and brown seams traditionally associated with laminate surfaces with IdealEdge® Decorative Edging. Available in two stunning profiles, Ogee and Bullnose, IdealEdge® mimics the contemporary look often found on more expensive stones, granites and quartzes

Section 5: General Notes

Formica brand laminates have been evaluated under the GREENGUARD certification program since 2007 UL 2818-2013 Gold Standard for Chemical Emissions for Building Materials, Finishes and Furnishings. Building products and interior finishes are determined compliant in accordance with California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Standard Method V1.2-2007 using a Classroom Environment. A generic EPD is available at http://www.formica.com/en/us/landing-pages/sustainability-2017/sustainability17/leed.

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KEY

Hazard Types

AQU Aquatic toxicity

CAN Cancer

DEV Developmental toxicity

END Endocrine activity

EYE Eye irritation/corrosivity

GEN Gene mutation

GLO Global warming

LAN Land toxicity

MAM Mammalian/systemic/organ toxicity

MUL Multiple

NEU Neurotoxicity

NF Not found on Priority Hazard Lists

OZO Ozone depletion

PBT Persistent, bioaccumulative, and toxic

PHY Physical hazard (flammable or reactive)

REP Reproductive

RES Respiratory sensitization

SKI Skin sensitization/irritation/corrosivity

UNK Unknown

GreenScreen (GS)

BM-4 Benchmark 4 (prefer-safer chemical)

BM-3 Benchmark 3 (use but still opportunity for improvement)

BM-2 Benchmark 2 (use but search for safer substitutes)

BM-1 Benchmark 1 (avoid - chemical of high concern)

BM-U Benchmark Unspecified (due to insufficient data)

LT-P1 List Translator Possible 1 (Possible Benchmark-1)

LT-1 List Translator 1 (Likely Benchmark-1)

LT-UNK List Translator Benchmark Unknown (the chemical is present on at least one GreenScreen Specified List, but the

information contained within the list did not result in a clear mapping

to a LT-1 or LTP1 score.)

NoGS No GreenScreen.

Recycled Types

PreC Pre-consumer recycled content

PostC Post-consumer recycled content

UNK Inclusion of recycled content is unknown

None Does not include recycled content

Other Terms:

GHS SDS Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals Safety Data Sheet

Inventory Methods:

Nested Method / Material Threshold Substances listed within each material per threshold indicated per material

Nested Method / Product Threshold Substances listed within each material per threshold indicated per product

Basic Method / Product Threshold Substances listed individually per threshold indicated per product

Nano Composed of nano scale particles or nanotechnology

Third Party Verified Verification by independent certifier approved by HPDC

Preparer Third party preparer, if not self-prepared by manufacturer

Applicable facilities Manufacturing sites to which testing applies

The Health Product Declaration (HPD) Open Standard provides for the disclosure of product contents and potential associated human and environmental health hazards. Hazard associations are based on the HPD Priority Hazard Lists, the GreenScreen List Translator™, and when available, full GreenScreen® assessments. The HPD Open Standard v2.1 is not:

- a method for the assessment of exposure or risk associated with product handling or use,
- a method for assessing potential health impacts of: (i) substances used or created during the manufacturing process or (ii) substances created after the product is delivered for end use.

Information about life cycle, exposure and/or risk assessments performed on the product may be reported by the manufacturer in appropriate Notes sections, and/or, where applicable, in the Certifications section.

The HPD Open Standard was created and is supported by the Health Product Declaration Collaborative (the HPD Collaborative), a customer-led organization composed of stakeholders throughout the building industry that is committed to the continuous improvement of building products through transparency, openness, and innovation throughout the product supply chain.

The product manufacturer and any applicable independent verifier are solely responsible for the accuracy of statements and claims made in this HPD and for compliance with the HPD standard noted.