



# Material Safety Data Sheet

**CHEMTREC Transportation  
Emergency Phone:  
800-424-9300**

**Pittsburgh Poison Control  
Center Health Emergency No.:  
412-681-6669**

NOTE: The CHEMTREC Transportation  
Emergency Phone is to be used only in the  
event of chemical emergencies involving a  
spill, leak, fire, exposure or accident involving  
chemicals

## Section 1 - Chemical Product / Company Information

**Product Name:** A/D Southwest Type 5GP (aka Type 5, 5MD, 5EF)      **Revision Date:** 09/16/2009  
**Identification Number:** 24AD5GP1006      **Supercedes :** 06/05/2009  
**Product Use/Class:** Cementitious Fireproofing - FOR INDUSTRIAL USE ONLY  
**Manufacturer:** A/D Fire Protection Systems Inc.  
420 Tapscott Rd.  
Scarborough, Ontario  
M1B 1Y4      **Preparer:** Technical Service Department  
**A/D Tel. No** (800) 263-4087, (416) 292-2361  
**A/D Fax No.** (416) 298-5887

## Section 2 - Composition / Information On Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Weight % Less Than	ACGIH TLV-TWA	ACGIH TLV-STEL	OSHA PEL-TWA	OSHA-CEIL
PLASTER OF PARIS	26499-65-0	70.0	10 MG/M3	N/E	15 MG/M3 TOTAL, 5 MG/M3 RESPIRABLE	N/E
VERMICULITE	1318-00-9	30.0	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E
CELLULOSE	9004-34-6	10.0	10 MG/M3	N/E	15 MG/M3 TOTAL, 5 MG/M3 RESPIRABLE	N/E
LIMESTONE	1317-65-3	5.0	N/E	N/E	5 MG/M3	N/E
MICROCRYSTALLINE SILICA	14808-60-7	1.0	0.025 mg/m3	N/E	0.1 mg/m3	N/E

## Section 3 - Hazards Identification

**Emergency Overview:** Contains silica which can cause cancer. Risk of Cancer depends on duration and level of exposure. May cause irritation to the respiratory tract. Floors in spray area may be slippery when wet. Post "Slippery When Wet" signs where appropriate. Direct contact with spray can damage eyes.

This product contains a chemical(s) known to the State of California to cause cancer.

**Effects Of Overexposure - Eye Contact:** May cause eye irritation.

**Effects Of Overexposure - Skin Contact:** May cause skin irritation.

**Effects Of Overexposure - Inhalation:** Overexposure will be irritating to mucous membranes.

**Effects Of Overexposure - Ingestion:** May be harmful if swallowed.

**Effects Of Overexposure - Chronic Hazards:** Crystalline silica is known to cause silicosis. Crystalline silica (Quartz) is classified as a known human carcinogen (Group 1) by IARC. Exposure is by route of inhalation. If material is in a liquid matrix it is unlikely to be inhaled. When sanding or grinding the finished product, there may be potential for crystalline silica to become airborne.

**Primary Route(s) Of Entry:** Skin Contact, Skin Absorption, Inhalation, Ingestion, Eye Contact

**Medical Conditions Prone to Aggravation by Exposure:** May aggravate dermatitis and asthma.

## Section 4 - First Aid Measures

**First Aid - Eye Contact:** Flush eyes with running water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

**First Aid - Skin Contact:** Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water.

**First Aid - Inhalation:** Move person to fresh air. Seek medical attention if irritation persists.

**First Aid - Ingestion:** If swallowed do not induce vomiting. Seek immediate medical attention.

## Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

**Flash Point, F:** N.D.

(No Flashpoint Method Specified)

**Lower Explosive Limit, %:** N.D.

**Upper Explosive Limit, %:** N.D.

**Extinguishing Media:** Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical, Foam, Water Fog

**Unusual Fire And Explosion Hazards:** None known.

**Special Firefighting Procedures:** None. Product will not burn.

## Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

**Steps To Be Taken If Material Is Released Or Spilled:** Sweep up material and place in appropriate disposal container. Use sweeping compound or other cleaning aids to pick up residues. Wash down area thoroughly with water. Dispose of material in accordance with all federal, state, and local regulations. Use personal protective equipment as necessary. Spilled material becomes very slippery when wet.

## Section 7 - Handling And Storage

**Handling:** Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling.

**Storage:** Keep Dry. Keep containers closed when not in use. Store in a cool, dry place with adequate ventilation.

## Section 8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls:** Use appropriate equipment to keep nuisance dust cloud levels low.

**Respiratory Protection:** Wear NIOSH-approved respiratory protection (generally a N-95 dust mask is appropriate) to prevent employee exposures from exceeding the limits specified in Section 2. Once the product has been wetted, the potential for silica dust exposure is essentially eliminated. A properly fitted NIOSH/MSHA approved disposable dust respirator should be used when: high dust levels are encountered; the level of fibers in the air exceeds the OSHA permissible limits; or if irritation occurs.

**Skin Protection:** Sensitive individuals should wear gloves to prevent repeated contact.

**Eye Protection:** Recommend safety glasses with side shields or chemical goggles to avoid eye contact.

**Other protective equipment:** Eye wash and safety showers should be readily available.

**Hygienic Practices:** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices. These practices include: avoiding unnecessary exposures to dusts and fibers by using good local exhaust ventilation; removal of the material from the skin and eyes after exposure; removal of material from clothing (Use vacuum equipment to remove fibers and dusts from clothing. Compressed air should never be used. Always wash contaminated work clothes separately from other laundry and wipe out washer / sink to prevent loose fibers from getting on other articles); keep the work area clean of dusts and fibers generated during fabrication (Use vacuum equipment to clean up dusts and fibers. Avoid sweeping or using compressed air as these techniques re-suspend dusts and fibers into the air.) and; have access to safety showers and eye wash stations.

## Section 9 - Physical And Chemical Properties

<b>Boiling Range:</b>	N/A - N/A	<b>Vapor Density:</b>	N/A
<b>Odor:</b>	Low odor	<b>Odor Threshold:</b>	N.E.
<b>Appearance:</b>	Gray powder mixture	<b>Evaporation Rate:</b>	N/A
<b>Solubility in H2O:</b>	Slight		
<b>Freeze Point:</b>	N/A	<b>Specific Gravity:</b>	1.920
<b>Vapor Pressure:</b>	N/A	<b>PH:</b>	6 to 8 (in water)
<b>Physical State:</b>	Powder		

(See section 16 for abbreviation legend)

## Section 10 - Stability And Reactivity

**Conditions To Avoid:** Keep Dry. Material becomes hard and unusable when exposed to water.

**Incompatibility:** Avoid contact with strong oxidizing agents.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** None are known.

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur under normal conditions.

**Stability:** This product is stable under normal storage conditions.

## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

**Product LD50:** N/D

**Product LC50:** N/D

<b>Chemical Name</b>	<b>CAS Number</b>	<b>LD50</b>	<b>LC50</b>
PLASTER OF PARIS	26499-65-0	NOT AVAILABLE.	NOT AVAILABLE.
VERMICULITE	1318-00-9	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE
CELLULOSE	9004-34-6	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE.
LIMESTONE	1317-65-3	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE
MICROCRYSTALLINE SILICA	14808-60-7	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE

## Section 12 - Ecological Information

**Ecological Information:** No data

## Section 13 - Disposal Information

**Disposal Information:** RCRA HAZARDS CLASS: Non Hazardous Material. Take up material and seal tightly for proper disposal.

## Section 14 - Transportation Information

<b>DOT Proper Shipping Name:</b>	Not Regulated	<b>Packing Group:</b>	N/A
<b>DOT Technical Name:</b>	N/A	<b>Hazard Subclass:</b>	N/A
<b>DOT Hazard Class:</b>	N/A	<b>Resp. Guide Page:</b>	N/A
<b>DOT UN/NA Number:</b>	N/A		

## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

### CERCLA - SARA HAZARD CATEGORY

This product has been reviewed according to the EPA Hazard Categories promulgated under Sections 311 and 312 of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA Title III) and is considered, under applicable definitions, to meet the following categories:

### SARA SECTION 313

This product contains the following substances subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR part 372:

None

## TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT

All components of this product are listed on the TSCA inventory.

This product contains the following chemical substances subject to the reporting requirements of TSCA 12(B) if exported from the United States:

No TSCA 12(b) Substances exist in this product

## U.S. STATE REGULATIONS AS FOLLOWS:

### NEW JERSEY RIGHT-TO-KNOW

The following materials are non-hazardous, but are among the top five components in this product.

### PENNSYLVANIA RIGHT-TO-KNOW

The following non-hazardous ingredients are present in the product at greater than 3%.

### CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65

**Warning: The following ingredients present in the product are known to the state of California to cause Cancer:**

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS Number</u>
MICROCRYSTALLINE SILICA	14808-60-7

**Warning: The following ingredients present in the product are known to the state of California to cause birth defects, or other reproductive hazards:**

No California Proposition 65 Reproductive Toxins exist

## INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS AS FOLLOWS:

### CANADIAN WHMIS

This MSDS has been prepared in compliance with Controlled Product Regulations except for the use of the 16 headings.

**CANADIAN WHMIS CLASS:** Class D, Division 2

## Section 16 - Other Information

### HMIS Ratings

**Health:** 2                      **Flammability:** 0                      **Reactivity:** 0                      **Personal Protection:** X

**VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS, GR/LTR MIXED (UNTHINNED):** 0

**REASON FOR REVISION:** Changes made in Section(s): 1 and 2

**Legend:** N.A. - Not Applicable, N.E. - Not Established, N.D. - Not Determined

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