

## TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

### APPLICATIONS

Classical stone veneer is a natural stone that can be glued to many different indoor and outdoor surfaces. Their light weight and flexibility is appropriate for many applications such as wall panelling. Cladding on the buildings vertical and horizontal surfaces not previously considered for stone due to weight and / or flaking issues.

**NormSlate** Interior, Exterior, Door & Cabinets, Furniture, Kitchens, Bathrooms, Flooring, Signage, Wall cladding, Trim & Backsplashes etc.

**TranSlate**  
Interior, Door & Cabinets, Furniture, Kitchens & any decoration purpose where translucency is required.

**ThinSlate**  
Special applications like stationery, bags, edges of doors & furniture's etc.  
More suitable for indoor applications.

**SandStone**  
Interior, Door & Cabinets, Furniture, Kitchens, Bathrooms etc.  
TYPES OF CLASSICAL STONE VENEERS

Thickness  
Weight  
Flexibility  
Constituents  
**NormSlate**  
1.2 - 1.5 mm  
1.5 - 1.8  
slightly flexible  
Stone Layer + Polyester

kgs/sqm

Resin + Fiberglass  
**TranSlate**  
1.2 - 1.5 mm  
1.5 - 1.8  
slightly flexible  
Stone Layer + UV Resin

kgs/sqm

+ Fiberglass  
**ThinSlate**  
0.5 - 0.7 mm  
0.8 - 1.0  
very flexible

Stone Layer + Water

kgs/sqm

based Glue (Ethylene

Vinyl acetate copolymer +

Cotton Fabric

SandStone

2.0 - 2.5 mm

3.0 - 3.5

slightly flexible

Silica Sand + Water

kgs/sqm

based Glue (Ethylene

Vinyl acetate copolymer)

+ Cotton Fabric

## STANDARD SIZES OF CLASSICAL STONE VENEERS

NormSlate, TranSlate, ThinSlate: 122 x 61 cm, 4 x 2 feet, 0.74 sqm

SandStone: 110 x 68 cm, 3.6 x 2.2 feet, 0.74 sqm or 136 x 55 cm, 4.4 x 1.8 feet, 0.74 sqm

## COLOR VARIATIONS

Classical Stone Veneer is a Natural Stone Veneer, color & texture variations are the property of the material. Texture variations with color difference are an inherent part of the natural beauty of quarried material. Stone Veneer can not be guaranteed to match with each Lot, it is recommended that material should be accepted in lots of 20, 40, 50 sheets to match. Large orders will be executed in bundles of 25 with 2-3 matching lots in each bundle. Exceptions of large lots are also a possibility.

## USES FOR LAMINATION & DIRECT GLUING

Classical Stone Veneer is used for wall panel on MDF, HDF board's application, furniture, woodworking machines, round column cladding and numerous interior and exterior applications. TransSlate, ThinSlate or SandStone Veneer is not recommended for flooring or countertop applications due to the thin soft nature of the Stone Veneer. NormSlate Veneer can directly be glued to concrete floors and walls with the help of epoxy and other PU glues.

## SUBSTRATES

Stone Veneer can be applied to MDF, HDF boards, Styrofoam sheets, melamine, concrete, brick, concrete blocks & slabs, mortar plastered walls, drywall, plywood, acrylic and other plastic sheets.

## LIGHT, HEAT & TEMPERATURE RESISTANCE

Stone Veneer has natural stone surface layer surface which acts as a UV light or UV rays protector and will resist high sun conditions for years. When it is glued to a substrate, Slate Stone veneer will handle high thermal contraction and/or expansions of most standard construction materials. Stone Veneer will handle both high temperatures and freezing without cracking.

TranSlate Veneer may be used in illumination application such as lamp shades or backlight applications as translucent material or the other translucency applications.

## TOOLS FOR CUTTING

Diamond blades used for marble & stone cutting can be used for cutting Stone Veneer. Metal cutting tools also can be used to cut the Stone Veneer. Any standard carbide or diamond saw blades would work just as well.

## CURVATURE and BENDING

Stone Veneer can be bent with same flexibility as any plastic sheet product. The backing used gives it enough strength and flexibility. Stone Veneer can be bent in concave & convex forms, or arched or radial forms depending on the nature of curve. Stone Veneer can be bent or flexed to a radius of 380mm along the 1200mm length. The 600mm width will also have a slight flex to it, but is not recommended for bending. Due to the nature of the different thickness of the individual items, the degree of radius varies per item. We recommend testing the flex of the considered item prior to final installation.

## INSTALLATION

Stone Veneer can be glued to surfaces using most standard laminate adhesives having a thick body or foaming quality. Prior to application of the glue clean, brush and de-grease the receiving surface of dust, oils or any other contaminants. In some installations, and depending upon the adhesive used, it may be necessary to prepare the back of the thin Stone veneer with solvent or recommended primer by the adhesive manufacture. We recommend making a test area with any adhesive prior to final application.

## ADHESIVES

Knowledge of the special adhesives, and the respective surface for which they are recommended, is critical in obtaining superior installation when using Stone veneer. We recommend testing the selected adhesive prior to proceeding with installation. Humidity and temperature of the environment is to be evaluated first. If the application is outdoors, consideration to thermal expansion should be taken into account. Stone is a veneer, it must expand and contract which is recommended by the adhesive manufacturer, the bond must be tested by the installer prior to final installation.

Recommended types of adhesives & fillers:

Polyester-based gap filler putties

Silicone (with primer only)

Epoxies

Polyurethane wood glues

Thick latex-type adhesive, thin set etc. (uses only where air-drying can take place)

Construction grade multi-purpose adhesives (eg. Liquid Nails or PL Premium Polyurethane or similar)

Note: The back of Stone Veneer may require a filler-type adhesive in some cases. Polyurethane wood glues work well for most applications to fill gaps. For wet environment such as shower and bathroom applications, the use of epoxy is best.

Note: Pressure sensitive adhesives are also recommended due to the even backing of the Stone Veneer. Now Pressure sensitive glues are applied on the back of Stone Veneer and is supplied with the paper cover to use it as peel and stick material ready to use.

## TILING

Stone Veneer can be used to create a tiled effect by leaving a grout joint between cut pieces of material. Test results have shown the use of water-based epoxy grouts work well to fill between the cut veneers. By removing the material just under the grout joint, a deeper grout can be achieved if desired. Epoxy grouts are available in many colors to match or coordinate with the different colors of Slate Stone. On final clean up of the epoxy with a sponge, the epoxy can also be used to seal and fill the Stone surface. It is recommended in this installation that the entire surface of the Slate Stone be sealed with epoxy as a final step to ensure complete satisfaction.

THE MANUFACTURER'S MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET OF

NORMSLATE

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET OF NR GRADE STONE VENEER  
ALONG WITH MAJOR CONSTITUENTS

MAJOR CONSTITUENTS OF NR GRADE STONE VENEER

1. SLATE

Properties of Slate:

It is a metamorphosed rock of shale's showing luster. Compactness and tension. It can be scratched by a copper coin or a key. The streak is generally whitish grey. The main properties of a slate are as follows:

Strength

Transverse Strength- This property indicates the capacity of resistance to damage in handling to bear upon slates in their actual use. Rather than those of tension and compression. This is expressed as

$$R = 1.5 WL/bd^2$$

Where

R = modulus of rupture in kg/cm<sup>2</sup>.

W = breaking load in kg.

L = length of span between supporting steel bearing in cm.

b = width of specimen in cm. and

d = thickness of specimen in cm.



Shear kg/cm<sup>2</sup>-172.44 231.63 239.58 216.10 210.61-223.97 Strength Water % 0.20.100.090.080.100.070.098-Absorption Corrodibility % -0.600.420.400.520.60-0.49  
2. POLYESTER RESIN:

## A) Physical & Chemical Properties

Form / Appearance  
Material is a Polyester Resin

Color  
Based on specification

Odor  
None

Flammability  
Not Determined

Melting Point  
482-572 °F (250-300 °C)

Odor Threshold  
Not Determined

Solubility (H<sub>2</sub>O)  
Insoluble

VOC (Weight %)  
Not applicable

## Chemical Stability & Reactivity Information:

### CHEMICAL STABILITY

Stable, however, may decompose if heated. Molten polymer or prolong air drying of polymer at temperatures above 195 °C will release small quantities of acetaldehyde

NIOSH – Pocket Guide – IDLHs (Immediately dangerous to Life or Health)

Acetaldehyde 75-07-0 2000 ppm IDLH

U.S. – OSHA-Final PELs-Time Weighted Averages (TWAs)

Acetaldehyde 75-07-0 200 ppm TWA; 360 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

TWA

U.S. – OSHA-Vacated PELs-TWAs

Acetaldehyde  
75-07-0  
100 ppm TWA; 180 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
TWA

#### ACGIH-Threshold Limits Values – Cellings (TLV-C)

Acetaldehyde  
75-07-0  
25 PPM Ceiling

### C) Toxicological Information:

Due to this material's high molecular weight, and results of toxicity studies of similar products, this material is considered to be of little to no toxicological concern.

### Ecological Information: Ecotoxicity

This Product is not expected to produce significant ecotoxicity upon exposure to aquatic organisms and aquatic systems. Based on similar substances, this material is expected to be essentially non-biodegradable.

### Environmental effects

Based on the physical properties of this product, significant environmental persistence and bioaccumulation would not be expected.

### Disposal Considerations: Disposal Instructions

Any unused product, in discarded, is not considered a RCRA hazardous waste. Dispose of as a non hazardous waste in accordance with local, state and federal regulations. The information offered here is for the product as shipped, Use of and / or alteration to the product, such as mixing with other materials, may significantly change the characteristics of the material and alter the RCRA classification and the proper disposal method.

## 3. FIBERGLASS:

### A) COMPOSITION OF E-GLASS

SiO<sub>2</sub>  
52  
-62%  
Alkaline oxides (Na<sub>2</sub>O, K<sub>2</sub>O)  
< 2%  
Alkaline earth oxides (CaO, MgO...)  
16  
- 30%  
B<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>  
0  
-10%  
Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>  
11  
- 16%  
TiO<sub>2</sub>  
0  
- 3%  
Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>  
0  
- 1%  
F<sub>2</sub>  
0  
- 2%

### B) PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL STATE: Solid

FORM Continuous or chopped strand mats glued or chopped strands or continuous woven fabric.

COLOUR: White or yellowish white.

ODOUR None, except for some products from which a slight odor is sometimes released when a pallet or carton is opened. This odor never indicates that an eventual toxic product has been released in a dangerous amount. PH not applicable.

SPECIFIC TEMPERATURE AT WHICH CHANGES IN PHYSICAL STATE OCCUR

Softening point: Littleton point (defined as the temperature for which the viscosity of the

glass is 10 Poises) : approximately 850°C.

Melting point: Not applicable. Glass does not melt, but viscosity decreases by elevation of the temperature for E glass is in a range of temperature between 1150°C and 1250°C (Fiberizing temperature).

DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE: Sizes and mat binder start to decompose at 200°C.

EXPLOSIVE PROPERTIES: None

DENSITY (Molten glass): 2.6 g/cu. Cm.

SOLUBILITY: Very low solubility in water. Sizes and binders can be partially (and even totally) dissolved in most organic solvents.

NR GRADE STONE VENEER MAJOR INGREDIENTS

S. No  
MATERIAL  
INGREDIENTS  
CONCENTRATION

1.  
Polyester Resin  
Polyethylene  
99-99.9%

Terephthalate

Titanium Dioxide  
<1%

2.  
Fiberglass (Non-Respirable)

%weight 90%Min

Size & Binder

<10% Min

3.  
Pigments & Colors & Stone  
Minimal  
Very Small

S. No.  
MATERIAL COMPOSITION OF NR GRADE STONE  
QUANTITY Kg./Sq.

VENEER

Mtr.

1.  
Processing Material

1.300

2.  
Backing material

0.150

3.  
Natural Stone

0.100

TOTAL WEIGHT PER SQ. MTR.

1.500-1.750

THICKNESS OF LAYERS OF NR GRADE STONE

VENEER

PARTICULARS

IN MM

4.  
Thickness of Natural Stone Layer

0.40mm

5.  
Thickness of other Chemicals with backing

0.80mm

6  
Total thickness of slate NR GRADE STONE VENEER  
1.20mm-1.50mm

sheet

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES OF NR  
TEST VALUE

GRADE STONE VENEER

## PROTOCOL

Slate  
Mica

7.  
Water absorption, % by wt. (Test

2.50

1.9

ASTM C-121

carried out on thin slate specimen)

guidelines

8.  
Water Absorption, % wt. (Test carried

0.17

0.12

ASTM C-97

out on thin slate specimen pasted on

guidelines

marble piece)

9.  
Abrasion Test

0.7

0.9

---Average wear, mm

IS: 9162-1979

--Max. wear on individual specimen,

0.8

1.0  
guidelines

mm

10.

2

1.45

1.66

IS: 12866-1989

Density (Mass per unit area, Kg / M

guidelines

SECTION I – HAZARDOUS CONSTITUENTS OF NR GRADE STONE VENEER

COMPONENT  
CAS NUMBER  
PERCENT  
PERMISSIBLE  
SHORT TERM

EXPOSURE LIMIT  
EXPOSURE LIMIT

(TWA)  
(STEL

Vinyl acetate  
9003-20-7  
51±2%  
NH/NA  
NH/NA  
homopolymer

Residual  
108-05-4  
<0.3 % max  
10 ppm  
20ppm\  
monomer

SECTION II – IDENTIFICATION OF HAZARDS OF NR GRADE STONE VENEER

Toxic Effects of exposure / contact:

SKIN CONTACT:May irritate skin on prolonged or repeated contact.

EYE CONTACT:May cause slight irritation to eyes.

INHALATION:Not Possible being dry product.

INGESTION:Not permissible

DELAYED EFFECTS:Not reported.

### SECTION III – FIRST AID MEASURES OF NR GRADE STONE VENEER USE

SKIN CONTACT:Wash skin with water after handling sheets.

EYE CONTACT:Material being dry does not affect eyes.

INHALATION:Inert smell.

INGESTION:

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:There is no specific antidote. Treatment should be given symptomatically on the clinical condition.

### SECTION IV FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD OF NR GRADE STONE VENEER

FIRE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:Material will burn. Use water, foam dry chemical powder, CO2 to extinguish the fire.

Thermal decomposition product:May yield acrid smoke and irritating gases with oxides of carbon and inorganic fragments. Toxic fumes & dark smoke yields when burnt.

**SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURE:**Wear self contained breathing apparatus or equivalent (MSHA/ NIOSH- approved).

**UNUSUAL FIRE EXPLOSION HAZARDS:**Sheet burns fast with flames. There is no explosion while burning.

**SECTION V – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES OF NR GRADE STONE VENEER Personal Precautions:** Use personal protective equipment & handling when material needs to be burnt.

**ENVIRONMENT PRECAUTIONS:**Review fire and safety precautions before proceeding with clean up. Use appropriate personal protective equipment during clean up. Keep spectators away. Dike and contain spill with an insert (e.g. sand, earth, etc) absorbent collect the absorbed material in plastic bag for final disposal.

**CLEANING METHODS:**Wash floor with water, contaminated dike material may be incinerated or landfilled according to current local or central regulation.

**SECTION VI – HANDLING AND STORAGE OF NR GRADE STONE VENEER**

**HANDLING PROCEDURE:**Use appropriate personal protective Hand Gloves during handling.

Protect against physical damage. Observe good hygiene practices.

**STORAGE REQUIREMENT:**Store at ambient temperature. Keep away from freezing. Keep sheets in stored at room temperature away from flames & fire.

**SECTION VII – EXPOSURE CONTROL / PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENTS DURING NR GRADE STONE VENEER HANDLING & USE**

**PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:**Do not eat drink and smoke when working with NR GRADE STONE VENEER sheets. Wash hands before breaks and after work. **EYE PROTECT:** Impervious (rubber, neoprene, pvc, etc.) hand gloves, aprons.

**RESPIRATION PROTECTION:** None required if good ventilation in the area is maintained. Otherwise suggest to wear MSHA/NIOH approved respirator where vapour concentrations is more.

**OTHERS:**Eyewash facility and emergence shower.

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS:**not specific

**SECTION VIII – PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES OF NR GRADE STONE VENEER Burning Temperature (°C):**About 250-300°C

**FLAMMABILITY:** Combustible.

**EXPLOSIVE LIMITS (% by vol.)** LEL: NA UEL: NA FLASH POINT:NA

**SECTION IX – STABILITY AND REACTIVITY DATA OF NR GRADE STONE VENEER**

CHEMICAL STABILITY:Stable under normal ambient conditions.  
INCOMPATIBILITY:Mineral acids and strong salt solution.  
HAZARDOUS POLYMERISATION:Will occur.  
CONDITION TO AVOID:Not specific.

SECTION X – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION ON NR GRADE STONE VENEER Material has polymer content the product is not a problem in normal handling and storage. However polymer when heated may be release acetaldehyde into workroom atmosphere when sheets are heat above 195 degree centigrade.

SECTION XI – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION ON NR GRADE STONE VENEER Not determined, however as a general practice, do not allow product to overheat flame exposure or extreme cold close to sub zero.

SECTION XII – DISPOSAL INFORMATION ON NR GRADE STONE VENEER The damaged / discarded material may be disposed of in accordance with current local or central regulation.

SECTION XIII – TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION ON NR GRADE STONE VENEER

DO INFORMATION:Not applicable TDG INFORMATION:Not determined The material is not considered as dangerous for transportation.

SECTION XIV – MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

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THE MANUFACTURER'S MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET OF

TRANSLATE

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET OF UV TRANSLUCENT STONE

## VENEER ALONG WITH MAJOR CONSTITUENTS

### MAJOR CONSTITUENTS OF UV TRANSLUCENT STONE VENEER

#### 1. SLATE

##### Properties of Slate:

It is a metamorphosed rock of shale's showing luster. Compactness and tension. It can be scratched by a copper coin or a key. The streak is generally whitish grey. The main properties of a slate are as follows:

##### Strength

Transverse Strength- This property indicates the capacity of resistance to damage in handling to bear upon slates in their actual use. Rather than those of tension and compression. This is expressed as

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Where

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2. ULTRA VIOLET POLYESTER RESIN:

It is an unsaturated polyester resin, containing styrene monomer and methyl methacrylate, and have high level of translucency.

#### A) Physical & Chemical Properties

##### a. Liquid Resin Properties

Appearance

Acid Value [mg KOH/gm]

: Clear Liquid

: 24±2

Viscosity at 25°C, cps



250±50

[Brookfield RVT sp2/10 rpm]

Specific Gravity at 25°C

Monomer Content, %

:  $1.10 \pm 0.01$

:  $38 \pm 2$

## b. Curing Characteristics

Get time at 30°C, min.

RPL 111

Accelerator

Catalyst

Resin Temperature

: 15±2

: 100 gms

: 2.0 ml

: 2.0 ml

: 30°C

## B) Toxicological Information:

Due to this material's high molecular weight, and results of toxicity studies of similar products, this material is considered to be of little to no toxicological concern.

## Ecological Information: Ecotoxicity

This Product is not expected to produce significant ecotoxicity upon exposure to aquatic organisms and aquatic systems. Based on similar substances, this material is expected to be essentially non-biodegradable.

## Environmental effects

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#### UV TRANSLUCENT STONE VENEER MAJOR INGREDIENTS

S. No  
MATERIAL  
INGREDIENTS  
CONCENTRATION

1.  
Polyester Resin  
Polyethylene  
99-99.9%

Terephthalate

Titanium Dioxide  
<1%

2.  
Fiber Glass

%weight 90%Min

(Non-Respirable)

Size & Binder

<10% Min

3.  
Pigments & Colors & Stone  
Minimal  
Very Small

### 3. FIBERGLASS:

#### A) COMPOSITION OF E-GLASS

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- 30%  
B<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>  
0  
-10%  
Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>  
11  
- 16%  
TiO<sub>2</sub>  
0  
- 3%

Fe2O3  
0 - 1%  
F2  
0 - 2%

## B) PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL STATE: Solid

FORM Continuous or chopped strand mats glued or chopped strands or continuous woven fabric.

COLOUR: White or yellowish white.

ODOUR None, except for some products from which a slight odor is sometimes released when a pallet or carton is opened. This odor never indicates that an eventual toxic product has been released in a dangerous amount. PH not applicable.

### SPECIFIC TEMPERATURE AT WHICH CHANGES IN PHYSICAL STATE OCCUR

Softening point: Littleton point (defined as the temperature for which the viscosity of the

glass is 10 Poises) : approximately 850°C.

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DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE: Sizes and mat binder start to decompose at 200°C.

EXPLOSIVE PROPERTIES: None

DENSITY (Molten glass): 2.6 g/cu. Cm.

SOLUBILITY: Very low solubility in water. Sizes and binders can be partially (and even totally) dissolved in most organic solvents.

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MATERIAL  
INGREDIENTS  
CONCENTRATION

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Polyethylene  
99-99.9%

Terephthalate



Titanium Dioxide

<1%

2. Fiber Glass %weight 90% Min (Non-Respirable) Size & Binder <10% Min 3.

Pigments & Colors & Stone

Minimal

Very Small

S. No.  
MATERIAL COMPOSITION OF UV TRANSLUCENT

QUANTITY Kg./Sq.

STONE VENEER

Mtr.

1.  
Processing Material

1.300

2.  
Backing material

0.150

3.  
Natural Stone

0.100

TOTAL WEIGHT PER SQ. MTR.

1.500-1.750

THICKNESS OF LAYERS OF UV TRANSLUCENT

STONE VENEER

PARTICULARS

IN MM

4.  
Thickness of Natural Stone Layer

0.40mm

5.  
Thickness of other Chemicals with backing

0.80mm

6  
Total thickness of slate UV TRANSLUCENT STONE

1.20mm-1.50mm

VENEER sheet

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES OF UV  
TEST VALUE

TRANSLUCENT STONE VENEER

## PROTOCOL

Slate  
Mica

7.  
Water absorption, % by wt. (Test  
2.50  
1.9

ASTM C-121

carried out on thin slate specimen)

guidelines

8.  
Water Absorption, % wt. (Test carried  
0.17  
0.12  
ASTM C-97

out on thin slate specimen pasted on

guidelines

marble piece)

9.  
Abrasion Test  
0.7  
0.9

---Average wear, mm

IS: 9162-1979

--Max. wear on individual specimen,  
0.8  
1.0  
guidelines

mm

10.  
2  
1.45  
1.66  
IS: 12866-1989  
Density (Mass per unit area, Kg / M

guidelines

## SECTION I – HAZARDOUS CONSTITUENTS OF UV TRANSLUCENT STONE VENEER

COMPONENT  
CAS NUMBER  
PERCENT  
PERMISSIBLE  
SHORT TERM

EXPOSURE LIMIT  
EXPOSURE LIMIT

(TWA)  
(STEL

Vinyl acetate  
9003-20-7  
51±2%  
NH/NA  
NH/NA  
homopolymer

Residual  
108-05-4  
<0.3 % max  
10 ppm  
20ppm\  
monomer

## SECTION II – IDENTIFICATION OF HAZARDS OF UV TRANSLUCENT STONE VENEER

Toxic Effects of exposure / contact:

SKIN CONTACT:May irritate skin on prolonged or repeated contact.

EYE CONTACT:May cause slight irritation to eyes.

INHALATION:Not Possible being dry product.

INGESTION:Not permissible

DELAYED EFFECTS:Not reported.

## SECTION III – FIRST AID MEASURES OF UV TRANSLUCENT STONE VENEER USE

SKIN CONTACT:Wash skin with water after handling sheets.

EYE CONTACT:Material being dry does not affect eyes.

INHALATION:Inert smell.

INGESTION:

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:There is no specific antidote. Treatment should be given symptomatically on the clinical condition.

## SECTION IV FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD OF UV TRANSLUCENT STONE VENEER

**FIRE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:**Material will burn. Use water, foam dry chemical powder, CO<sub>2</sub> to extinguish the fire.  
**Thermal decomposition product:**May yield acrid smoke and irritating gases with oxides of carbon and inorganic fragments. Toxic fumes & dark smoke yields when burnt.  
**SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURE:**Wear self contained breathing apparatus or equivalent (MSHA/ NIOSH- approved).  
**UNUSUAL FIRE EXPLOSION HAZARDS:**Sheet burns fast with flames. There is no explosion while burning.

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**Personal Precautions:** Use personal protective equipment & handling when material needs to be burnt.

**ENVIRONMENT PRECAUTIONS:**Review fire and safety precautions before proceeding with clean up. Use appropriate personal protective equipment during clean up. Keep spectators away. Dike and contain spill with an insert (e.g. sand, earth, etc) absorbent collect the absorbed material in plastic bag for final disposal.

**CLEANING METHODS:**Wash floor with water, contaminated dike material may be incinerated or landfilled according to current local or central regulation.

## SECTION VI – HANDLING AND STORAGE OF UV TRANSLUCENT STONE VENEER

**HANDLING PROCEDURE:**Use appropriate personal protective Hand Gloves during handling.  
Protect against physical damage. Observe good hygiene practices.

**STORAGE REQUIREMENT:**Store at ambient temperature. Keep away from freezing. Keep sheets in stored at room temperature away from flames & fire.

## SECTION VII – EXPOSURE CONTROL / PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENTS DURING UV TRANSLUCENT STONE VENEER HANDLING & USE

**PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:**Do not eat drink and smoke when working with UV TRANSLUCENT STONE VENEER sheets. Wash hands before breaks and after work. **EYE PROTECT:**Impervious (rubber, neoprene, pvc, etc.) hand gloves, aprons.

**RESPIRATION PROTECTION:** None required if good ventilation in the area is maintained. Otherwise suggest to wear MSHA/NIOH approved respirator where vapour concentrations is more.

**OTHERS:**Eyewash facility and emergence shower.

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS:**not specific

## SECTION VIII – PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES OF UV TRANSLUCENT STONE VENEER

Burning Temperature (°C):About 250-300°C

FLAMMABILITY: Combustible.

EXPLOSIVE LIMITS (% by vol.) LEL: NA UEL: NA FLASH POINT:NA

#### SECTION IX – STABILITY AND REACTIVITY DATA OF UV TRANSLUCENT STONE VENEER

CHEMICAL STABILITY:Stable under normal ambient conditions.

INCOMPATIBILITY:Mineral acids and strong salt solution.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERISATION:Will occur.

CONDITION TO AVOID:Not specific.

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THE MANUFACTURER'S MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET OF

THINSLATE

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET OF FABRIC BACKING STONE  
VENEER ALONG WITH MAJOR CONSTITUENTS

MAJOR CONSTITUENTS OF FABRIC BACKING STONE VENEER

1. SLATE

Properties of Slate:

It is a metamorphosed rock of shale's showing luster. Compactness and tension. It can be scratched by a copper coin or a key. The streak is generally whitish grey. The main properties of a slate are as follows:

Strength

Transverse Strength- This property indicates the capacity of resistance to damage in handling to bear upon slates in their actual use. Rather than those of tension and compression. This is expressed as

$$R = 1.5 WL/bd^2$$

Where

R = modulus of rupture in kg/cm<sup>2</sup>.

W = breaking load in kg.

L = length of span between supporting steel bearing in cm.

b = width of specimen in cm. and

d = thickness of specimen in cm.

TABLE 2

Physico - Mechanical Properties of Different Varieties of Slate Quarried in India, Bhutan, the United Kingdom and the United States of America

Properties Unit Indian India Bhutan U.K.U.S.A. Std. IS: Dharmasalkhund Kurnoo Bonseg South Easter Pennsy 6250-1971 comawalesn Newlvanta

1YorkSpecific-2.7062.7822.7842.7652.7662.7832.764GravityTransversekg/cm2600489.8  
5547861.7884.30861.87-844.65StrengthShearkg/cm2-172.44231.63239.58216.10210.61-2  
23.97StrengthWater%0.20.100.090.080.100.070.098-AbsorptionCorrodibility%-0.600.4  
20.400.520.60-0.49  
2. COTTON FABRIC:

## PROPERTIES OF COTTON FIBER (COTTON FABRIC IS MADE FROM COTTON FIBER)

Property  
Evaluation

Shape  
Fairly uniform in width, 12–20 micrometers; length  
varies from 1 cm to 6 cm ( $\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches); typical  
length is 2.2 cm to 3.3 cm ( $\frac{7}{8}$  to  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inches).

Luster  
high

Tenacity (strength)

Dry  
3.0–5.0 g/d  
Wet  
3.3–6.0 g/d

Resiliency  
low

Density  
1.54–1.56 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Moisture absorption

raw: conditioned  
8.5%  
saturation  
15–25%  
mercerized: conditioned  
8.5–10.3%  
saturation  
15–27%+

Dimensional stability  
good

Resistance to

acids  
damage, weaken fibers  
alkali  
resistant; no harmful effects  
organic solvents  
high resistance to most  
sunlight  
Prolonged exposure weakens fibers.  
microorganisms  
Mildew and rot-producing bacteria damage fibers.  
insects  
Silverfish damage fibers.

Thermal reactions

to heat  
Decomposes after prolonged exposure to temperatures  
of 150°C or over.  
to flame  
Burns readily.

Cotton fibers viewed under a scanning electron microscope The chemical composition of cotton is as follows:

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Water 7.85%

Protoplasm, pectins 0.55%

Waxes, fatty substances 0.40%

Mineral salts 0.20%

PVA GLUE:

Technical Specification

It is PVA based revolutionary water resistant wood adhesive with excellent bonding strength made as per European EN 204/205 D3 standards.

S. No.  
Test  
Unit  
Test Method  
Results

1  
COLOUR  
-  
VISUAL  
MILKY WHITE

2  
APPEARANCE  
-  
VISUAL  
VISCIOUS PASTE

3  
BROOKFIELD  
cps  
BROOKFIELD,

VISCOSITY @ 30C

RVDVI+  
9000 ± 3000

(SPINDLE NO.6/20RPM)

4  
SOLID CONTENT @ 105  
%  
Oven  
52 ± 1

C till constant Weight

5  
pH VALUE

BY DIGITAL PH  
4 + 0.3

METER

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S. No.  
MATERIAL COMPOSITION OF STONE VENEER

QUANTITY Kg./Sq.

Mtr.

1.  
Processing Material

0.550

2.  
Backing material

0.150

3.  
Natural Stone

0.100

TOTAL WEIGHT PER SQ. MTR.

0.800 - 1.000

## THICKNESS OF LAYERS OF STONE VENEER

### PARTICULARS

IN MM

4.  
Thickness of Natural Stone Layer

0.20mm

5.  
Thickness of other Chemicals with backing

0.30mm

6  
Total thickness of slate stone veneer sheet

0.50mm-0.70mm

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES OF  
TEST VALUE

## STONE VENEER

### PROTOCOL

Slate

Mica

7.  
Water absorption, % by wt. (Test  
2.50

1.9  
ASTM C-121

carried out on thin slate specimen)

guidelines

8.  
Water Absorption, % wt. (Test carried  
0.17

0.12  
ASTM C-97

out on thin slate specimen pasted on

guidelines

marble piece)

9.  
Abrasion Test  
0.7  
0.9

---Average wear, mm

IS: 9162-1979

--Max. wear on individual specimen,  
0.8  
1.0  
guidelines

mm

10.  
2  
1.45  
1.66  
IS: 12866-1989  
Density (Mass per unit area, Kg / M )

guidelines

Not a hazardous substance or preparation within the meaning of the current Hazardous Materials Regulations (GefStoffV).

## SECTION II – IDENTIFICATION OF HAZARDS OF FABRIC BACKING STONE VENEER

Toxic Effects of exposure / contact:

SKIN CONTACT: Does not irritate skin on prolonged or repeated contact.

EYE CONTACT: Does not cause slight irritation to eyes.

INHALATION: Not Possible being dry product.

INGESTION: Not permissible

DELAYED EFFECTS: Not reported.

## SECTION III – FIRST AID MEASURES OF FABRIC BACKING STONE VENEER USE

SKIN CONTACT: Wash skin with water after handling sheets.

EYE CONTACT: Material being dry does not affect eyes.

INHALATION: Inert smell.

INGESTION:

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: There is no specific antidote. Treatment should be given symptomatically on the clinical condition.

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THE MANUFACTURER'S MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET OF

SANDSTONE

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET OF FABRIC BACKING STONE VENEER ALONG WITH MAJOR CONSTITUENTS

## MAJOR CONSTITUENTS OF FLEXIBLE SANDSTONE VENEER

### 1. SAND

#### A) QUARTZ SAND

Quartz sand is a term normally applied to high purity silica sand products with closely controlled sizing. It is a more precise product than common concrete and asphalt gravels. Silica is the name given to a group of minerals composed solely of silicon and oxygen, the two most abundant elements in the earth's crust and this material is used to make the thin sandstone. In spite of its simple chemical formula, SiO<sub>2</sub>, silica exists in many different shapes and crystalline structures. Found most commonly in the crystalline state, it also occurs in an amorphous form resulting from weathering or plankton fossilization. For industrial and manufacturing applications, deposits of silica yielding products of at least 95% SiO<sub>2</sub> are preferred. Silica is hard, chemically inert and has a high melting point, attributable to the strength of the bonds between the atoms.

#### SPECIFICATION OF QUARTZ SAND

SiO<sub>2</sub>  
98% min

Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>  
1.5% max

Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>  
0.5% max

P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>  
0.1% max

#### B) NATURAL RIVER SAND

Natural River Sand is a naturally occurring granular material composed of finely divided rock and mineral particles. The composition of sand is highly variable, depending on the local rock

sources and conditions, but the most common constituent of sand in inland continental settings and non-tropical coastal settings is silica (SiO<sub>2</sub>), usually in the form of quartz. River sand is therefore most likely to be of the same composition as the surrounding rocks - or in some cases the composition of the rocks upstream if they are much different from the rocks downstream. If a river has a substantial population of marine snails, oysters, clams, or other shelled water animals, fragmented shells which are primarily composed of calcium carbonate (CaCO<sub>3</sub>) may form a significant portion of the sand.

## PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

### Appearance

Granular Sand ranging in colour from tan to orange brown.

Boiling Point (°C)

Not Applicable

Melting Point (°C)

Not Applicable

Vapour Pressure

Not Applicable

Specific Gravity

2.0 - 3.0

(H<sub>2</sub>O=1)

Flashpoint

Not Applicable

Flammability Limits

Not Applicable

Solubility in Water

Insoluble

Auto-ignition

Does not auto-ignite

Temperature (°C)

Odour Threshold

Normally no odour

pH, at Standard

Between 4.5 - 7.0

Concentration

Molecular Weight

Not Determined

## INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name  
CAS Number  
Proportion  
Exposure Limits  
Sand – Crystalline  
14808-60-7  
>95%  
0.2 mg/m<sup>3</sup> TWA  
Silica (quartz)

Mineral and Organic  
Various  
<5%

Impurities

## 2. COTTON FABRIC :

PROPERTIES OF COTTON FIBER (COTTON FABRIC IS MADE FROM COTTON FIBER)

Property  
Evaluation

Shape  
Fairly uniform in width, 12–20 micrometers; length  
varies from 1 cm to 6 cm ( $\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches); typical  
length is 2.2 cm to 3.3 cm ( $\frac{7}{8}$  to  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inches).

Luster  
high

Tenacity (strength)

Dry  
3.0–5.0 g/d  
Wet  
3.3–6.0 g/d

Resiliency  
low

Density  
1.54–1.56 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Moisture absorption

raw: conditioned  
8.5%  
saturation  
15-25%  
mercerized: conditioned  
8.5-10.3%  
saturation  
15-27%+

Dimensional stability  
good

Resistance to

acids  
damage, weaken fibers  
alkali  
resistant; no harmful effects  
organic solvents  
high resistance to most

sunlight  
Prolonged exposure weakens fibers.  
microorganisms  
Mildew and rot-producing bacteria damage fibers.  
insects  
Silverfish damage fibers.

#### Thermal reactions

to heat  
Decomposes after prolonged exposure to temperatures  
of 150°C or over.  
to flame  
Burns readily.

Cotton fibers viewed under a scanning electron microscope The chemical composition of cotton is as follows:

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CELANESE EMULSION:

Characteristics Stabilization

Celanese Emulsion is a non-plasticized aqueous copolymer dispersion based on vinyl acetate and ethylene.

Celanese Emulsion meets recommendation BFR XIV.

Surfactants and polyvinyl alcohol

Recommended Application Areas

Paper & Cloth and packaging adhesives

Adhesives for plastic foil laminations

## Specification

These technical data are determined for each lot before its release by quality control laboratory.

Unit  
Lower Limit  
Upper Limit

## Solids content

(DIN EN ISO 3251; 2  
%  
54  
56  
h; 105 °C)

## Brookfield Viscosity

(DIN EN ISO 2555;  
mPa·s  
2000  
3000  
RVT; spindle no. 4;

20 rpm, 23 °C)

pH value

(DIN ISO 976; 1:1

3.5

5.1

diluted by water)

## Additional Data

These data are solely to describe the product. These are not subject to constant monitoring or part of the specification.

Unit

Typ. value

## Dispersion

Particle size

µm

approx. 0.3 - 1.2

Minimum film forming temperature (MFFT)

(DIN ISO 2115)

°C

0

Film\*

Appearance

slightly opaque, tack-free

Glass transition temperature Tg

(DIN 53 765; DSC; heating rate 20 K/min)

°C  
approx. 5

dried under standard atmospheric conditions at 23 °C and 50 % relative humidity  
(DIN EN 23 270)

Applications

Celanese Emulsion is a low-viscous and shear-stable VAE copolymer dispersion which is especially suitable for the manufacture of adhesives on fast running application systems. Adhesives based on Celanese Emulsion can be used for gluing paper, cloth, cartons and plastic foils. The adhesion can be improved by adding softer vinyl acetate/ethylene dispersions or plasticizers. Compatibility tests are necessary. Films of Celanese Emulsion display a relatively high cohesion. Therefore adhesives based on Celanese Emulsion are suitable for bonds which are exposed to higher temperatures such as thin sandstone.

FLEXIBLE SANDSTONE VENEER MAJOR INGREDIENTS

S. No.  
MATERIAL  
INGREDIENTS  
Concentration

SAND

1.  
1. QUARTZ SAND  
SiO<sub>2</sub>-95%  
99.9%

2. NATURAL RIVER SAND  
SiO<sub>2</sub>-98%  
99.9%

2.  
COTTON FABRIC

3.  
PVA GLUE (CELANESE)

S. No.  
MATERIAL COMPOSITION OF FLEXIBLE  
QUANTITY Kg./Sq.

SANDSTONE VENEER

Mtr.

1.  
SAND

1. QUARTZ SAND

3.000

2. NATURAL RIVER SAND

2.  
BACKING MATERIAL (COTTON FABRIC)  
0.150

3.  
PVA GLUE (CELANESE)

0.500

TOTAL WEIGHT PER SQ. MTR.

3.000-3.500

THICKNESS OF LAYERS OF FLEXIBLE SANDSTONE

VENEER

PARTICULARS

IN MM

4.  
Thickness of Natural Sand Layer

1.40mm

5.  
Thickness of other Chemicals with backing  
0.60-0.80mm

6  
Total thickness of Flexible Sandstone veneer sheet  
2.00mm-2.50mm

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES OF  
TEST VALUE  
PROTOCOL

SANDSTONE VENEER

7.  
Average Water absorption, % by wt  
9.6 %  
IS 1124:1974

8.  
Density  
1.74 g/cc  
IS 1706:1972

9.  
Abrasion Test Maximum wear on  
The complete

individual specimen  
sample weared  
IS 1706:1972

out during test

#### SECTION I – HAZARDOUS CONSTITUENTS OF FLEXIBLE SANDSTONE VENEER

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VENEER

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