



# Material SAFETY DATA SHEET

## Flo-Add 1

### 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: **Flo-Add 1**  
Description: Expansive and plasticising grout admixture  
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### 2: COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Composition: Silica sands, plasticizers, aluminum powder (stabilized).  
Hazardous Ingredient(s)      Symbol                      Risk Phrases                      CAS No.                      %  
Aluminum powder                                           R10, 15                      7429-90-5                      < 1.0

Refer to Section 8 for Occupational Exposure Limits.

### 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Long term inhalation may cause health problems.

### 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Eyes: Irrigate immediately with copious quantities of water for several minutes. Obtain medical attention if necessary.  
Skin: Remove contaminated clothing immediately. Wash immediately with copious quantities of water. Obtain medical advice if skin disorders develop.  
Inhalation: Remove from dust contaminated zone, obtain medical attention if necessary.  
Ingestion: Wash out mouth with water. Obtain medical attention. Do not induce vomiting.



## 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point: None.  
Extinguishing Media: Carbon dioxide, powder or foam.  
Personal Protective Equipment: Self-contained breathing apparatus.

## 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions: Wear rubber boots in addition to the recommended protective clothing.  
Environmental Precautions: Prevent entry into drains, sewers and water courses.  
Decontamination Procedures: Avoid the creation of dust in atmosphere. Gather into containers.

## 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Avoid creating dust. Avoid breathing dust. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Avoid skin and eye contact.  
Storage: Store in cool and dry area in a tightly closed container.

## 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

Ingestion: Prevent eating, drinking or smoking in the area of product use.  
Eye Contact: Safety glasses/goggles which can be tightly sealed.  
Skin Contact: Protective gloves. Dustproof working clothes.  
Respiratory Protection: Approved dust mask.  
Engineering Controls: Use only in well ventilated areas. Local exhaust ventilation is recommended. Atmospheric levels of dust must be maintained within the Occupational Exposure Standard.  
Hygiene Measures: Avoid skin and eye contact.  
Exposure Limits:

Name	WEL (8 Hours TWA)	
	Total inhalable dust (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	Respirable dust (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )
Silica, amorphous	6	2.4



## 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form:	Fine powder
Colour:	Brown
Odour:	Slight/faint
pH (concentrate):	Not applicable
Boiling Point (°C):	Not applicable
Flash Point (closed cup) (°C):	None
Autoflammability (°C):	Not determined
Explosive Properties:	Can form explosive dust cloud
Water Solubility:	Can be mixed with water

## 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability:	Stable.
Conditions to Avoid:	Any source of ignition.
Chemical Incompatibility:	Strong acids. Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Thermal decomposition yields Sulphur compounds.

## 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Health Effects

On Eyes:	Abrasive material- may cause damage to eyes.
On Skin:	Unlikely to irritate on brief or occasional exposure.
By Inhalation:	May cause irritation.
By Ingestion:	Low order of acute toxicity. May cause nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.
Chronic:	Respirable dust, if inhaled over a prolonged period, constitutes a health hazard. Inhalation of particles of free silica, in the respirable range, can give rise to fibrosis of the lungs.

## 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Environmental Assessment:	Little detailed information is available on the ecological effects of this product, but its overall environmental impact is not regarded as significant.
Mobility:	Insoluble in water.
Degradability:	Not readily biodegradable.
Bioaccumulation:	Not expected to be bioaccumulate.
Acute Fish Toxicity:	Not expected to be ecotoxic to fish/daphnia/algae.



### 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION

Disposal must be in accordance with local and national legislation.

Unused Product: Dispose off through an authorized waste contractor to a licensed site.

Used/ Contaminated Product: As for unused product.

Packaging: The method of disposal must be acceptable to the local authority.

### 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

This product is **not** classified as dangerous for transport.

### 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

This product is **not** classified as dangerous for supply.

Risk Phrases:

R10	Flammable.
R15	Contact with water liberates extremely flammable gases.

Safety Phrases:

S22	Do not breathe dust.
S24/25	Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
S26	In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

### 16: OTHER INFORMATION

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