

Material Safety Data Sheet

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Product Name : **BACKING PAPER**

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

Product Name BACKING PAPER
Product Code 8A
Company Name MEP FILMS (ABN 39070718119)
Address 275 Canterbury Road Canterbury
Victoria 3126 Australia
Emergency Tel. (03) 8809 2700
Telephone/Fax Number Tel: (03) 8809-2700
Recommended Use Release liner for synthetic self adhesive materials.
Other Names Name Product Code
KS160 PE

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard Classification NON-HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE.
NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.
Hazard classification according to the criteria of NOHSC.
Dangerous goods classification according to the Australia Dangerous Goods Code.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Composition, information on ingredients One side of kraft paper is coated with polyethylene, the other side is coated with silicone.

Ingredients	<u>Name</u>	<u>CAS</u>	<u>Proportion</u>
	Cellulose fibre		57 %
	Polyethylene		36 %
	CLAY		7 %

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation The product is unlikely to be inhaled due to its form. If fumes from combustion are inhaled, remove the affected person to fresh air. Ensure airways are clear. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing. Seek medical attention.
Ingestion Not likely due to form of product. If swallowed seek medical attention.
Skin If skin irritation arises, wash affected area thoroughly with soap and plenty of water. If symptoms persist or develop seek medical attention.
Eye If product comes in contact with eyes wash affected area with cold water. Seek medical attention.
First Aid Facilities Eye wash and normal washroom facilities.
Advice to Doctor Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media Use appropriate fire extinguisher for surrounding environment.
Hazards from Combustion Under fire conditions this product may emit toxic and/or irritating smoke fumes including carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide.
Products Specific Hazards Combustible solid.
Precautions in connection with Fire Fire-fighters should wear full protective clothing and self contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) operated in positive pressure mode. Water spray may be used to keep fire exposed containers cool.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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Emergency Procedures	Exclude sources of ignition. Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. If required use clean, non-sparking tools to collect the material. Determine if it can still be used for the intended applications. If not the product is normally recyclable. Contact the manufacturer for recycling options. Dispose of waste according to the applicable local and national regulations.
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7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling	Keep material away from sparks, flames and other ignition sources. Wear appropriate protective workwear. Practice good personal hygiene, that is, always wash hands after handling, and before eating, drinking, smoking or using the toilet facilities.
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Conditions for Safe Storage	Store in a cool, dry area. Maintain adequate fire protection when large volumes of product are stored.
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8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

National Exposure Standards	No value assigned for this specific material by the National Occupational Health and Safety Commission (NOHSC) Australia.
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Biological Limit Values	No biological limit allocated.
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Engineering Controls	Use with good general ventilation.
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Respiratory Protection	None required under normal conditions of handling and use.
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Eye Protection	The use of safety glasses with side shields is a good practice during construction activities, and is recommended. Eye protection should conform with Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 - Eye Protectors for Industrial Applications.
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Hand Protection	None required under normal conditions of handling and use.
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Body Protection	Suitable protective workwear, e.g. cotton overalls buttoned at neck and wrist. Industrial clothing should conform to the specifications detailed in AS/NZS 2919: Industrial clothing.
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9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	White paper
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Odour	Not available
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Melting Point	Not available
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Boiling Point	Not available
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Solubility in Water	Insoluble
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Specific Gravity	Not available
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pH Value	Not applicable
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Vapour Pressure	Not applicable
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Vapour Density (Air=1)	Not applicable
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Flash Point	Not applicable
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Flammability	Non-flammable
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Auto-Ignition Temperature	Not available
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Flammable Limits - Lower	Not applicable
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Flammable Limits - Upper	Not applicable
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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability	Stable under normal conditions of storage and handling.
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Hazardous Decomposition Products Thermal decomposition may result in the release of toxic and/or irritating fumes including carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide.

Hazardous Polymerization Will not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicology Information No toxicity data is available for this product.

Inhalation Not a likely source of exposure under normal conditions of use.

Ingestion Unlikely source of exposure due to form of the product.

Skin Unlikely to cause irritation other than from mechanical abrasion.

Eye Eye contact may cause mechanical irritation.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity Not available

Persistence / Degradability Not available

Mobility Not available

Bioaccumulative Potential Not available

Environ. Protection Prevent this material entering waterways, drains and sewers.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Considerations The disposal of the spilled or waste material must be done in accordance with applicable local and national regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Transport Information Not classified as a Dangerous Good, according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Regulatory Information Not classified as Hazardous according to criteria of National Occupational Health & Safety Commission (NOHSC), Australia.
Not classified as a Scheduled Poison according to the Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSDP).

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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