



SAFETY DATA SHEET STOPGAP 400

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product name	STOPGAP 400
Internal identification	SG400/8
UFI	UFI: V300-D0AP-P00P-203M

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses	Cementitious flooring product.
Uses advised against	None

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier	F.Ball and Co. Ltd. Churnetside Business Park, Station Road, Cheddleton, Leek, Staffordshire. ST13 7RS Tel: 01538 361633 Mon-Fri 8.30am-5.00pm (Exc Bank Holidays) E.mail: msds@f-ball.co.uk
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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone	01538 361633 Mon-Fri 8.30am - 5.00pm (excluding Bank Holidays)
National emergency telephone number	UK - National Poisons Information Service Call 111 Ireland - National Poisons Information Centre Call +353 1 809 2166

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (EC 1272/2008)

Physical hazards	Not Classified
Health hazards	Eye Irrit. 2 - H319 Skin Sens. 1 - H317
Environmental hazards	Not Classified

Human health The product contains less than 0.0002% (2ppm) soluble Chromium VI as a percentage of the total dry weight of cement providing the product is stored correctly as indicated in section 7, and used within the recommended shelf life for the product. Persons with a known sensitivity to Chromium VI would be advised not to use this product. When mixed with water or gauging liquid splashes may cause serious eye damage.

Environmental The product may affect the acidity (pH-factor) in water with risk of harmful effects to aquatic organisms.

Physicochemical When handled correctly, undamaged units represent no danger.

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2.2. Label elements

Hazard pictograms



Signal word

Warning

Hazard statements

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Precautionary statements

P264 Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P313 Get medical advice/ attention.
P501 Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with national regulations.

Contains

CEMENT

2.3. Other hazards

This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

CEMENT

1-5%

CAS number: 65997-15-1

EC number: 266-043-4

Classification

Skin Irrit. 2 - H315
Eye Dam. 1 - H318
Skin Sens. 1 - H317
STOT SE 3 - H335

The full text for all hazard statements is displayed in Section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General information

Remove affected person from source of contamination.

Inhalation

Move affected person to fresh air at once. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

Ingestion

Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Give plenty of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

Skin contact

Remove contaminated clothing. Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

Eye contact

Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

General information

The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependent on the concentration and the length of exposure.

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Inhalation	Dust in high concentrations may irritate the respiratory system.
Ingestion	May cause discomfort if swallowed.
Skin contact	Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Eye contact	May cause severe eye irritation.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes for the doctor	Treat symptomatically.
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SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	The product is non-combustible.
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5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards	Dust may form explosive mixture with air. No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.
Hazardous combustion products	Does not decompose when used and stored as recommended.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during firefighting	No specific firefighting precautions known.
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Special protective equipment for firefighters	Wear chemical protective suit.
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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions	Avoid inhalation of dust. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
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6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions	Do not discharge into drains or watercourses or onto the ground.
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6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up	Avoid generation and spreading of dust. Preferably remove spillage with a vacuum cleaner. Collect spillage in containers, seal securely and dispose of as low hazard waste.
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6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections	For personal protection, see Section 8. See Section 11 for additional information on health hazards. For waste disposal, see section 13.
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SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions	Avoid handling which leads to dust formation. Good personal hygiene procedures should be implemented. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using the product.
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7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions	Store in tightly-closed, original container. Keep separate from food, feedstuffs, fertilisers and other sensitive material. Store in a dry place.
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7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s)	The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.
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SECTION 8: Exposure controls/Personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

CEMENT

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): WEL 10 total dust ; 4 respirable dust mg/m³

Short-term exposure limit (15-minute): WEL

Occupational Exposure Limit Value (8-hour reference period) 1 (R) mg/m³

WEL = Workplace Exposure Limit.

Ingredient comments

The product may contain a low level of respirable crystalline silica (WEL 0.1 mg/m³; 8 hours TWA).

8.2. Exposure controls

Protective equipment



Appropriate engineering controls

Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid inhalation of dust. Observe any occupational exposure limits for the product or ingredients.

Personal protection

Always check applicability with your supplier of protective equipment.

Eye/face protection

If there is a risk of splashing, wear chemical resistant goggles or visor approved to BS EN166.

Hand protection

Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn if a risk assessment indicates skin contact is possible. Break through times can vary depending on thickness, use and source. Change gloves regularly.

Other skin and body protection

Wear appropriate clothing to prevent repeated or prolonged skin contact. Wear apron or protective clothing in case of contact.

Hygiene measures

Provide eyewash station. Promptly remove any clothing that becomes wet or contaminated. Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated.

Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection must be used if the airborne contamination exceeds the recommended occupational exposure limit. A half mask dust respirator approved to EN 149 : 2001 FFP2 is recommended. Ensure that the mask fits tightly to ensure an efficient seal.

Environmental exposure controls

Residues and empty containers should be taken care of as hazardous waste according to local and national provisions.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Dusty powder.
Colour	Grey.
Odour	Slight.
Odour threshold	Not determined.
pH	pH (concentrated solution): High alkaline pH when mixed with water.
Melting point	Not determined.
Initial boiling point and range	Not applicable.
Flash point	Not applicable.

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Evaporation rate	Not applicable.
Evaporation factor	Not applicable.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not determined.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Not determined.
Other flammability	Not determined.
Vapour pressure	Not applicable.
Vapour density	Not applicable.
Relative density	Variable, depends on packing effects and temperature
Bulk density	Not determined.
Solubility(ies)	Slightly soluble in water.
Partition coefficient	Not applicable.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not determined.
Decomposition Temperature	Not determined.
Viscosity	Not determined.
Explosive properties	Not determined.
Explosive under the influence of a flame	Not considered to be explosive.
Oxidising properties	Not applicable.
Comments	Information given is applicable to the product in its ready-to-use form.

9.2. Other information

Other information	None.
Refractive index	Not determined.
Particle size	Not determined.
Molecular weight	Not determined.
Volatility	Not applicable.
Saturation concentration	Not determined.
Critical temperature	Not determined.
Volatile organic compound	Not applicable.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity There are no known reactivity hazards associated with this product.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stability Stable at normal ambient temperatures and when used as recommended.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur.

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10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid There are no known conditions that are likely to result in a hazardous situation.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid No specific material or group of materials is likely to react with the product to produce a hazardous situation.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products Does not decompose when used and stored as recommended.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Toxicological effects No information available.

Acute toxicity - oral

Notes (oral LD₅₀) No specific test data are available.

Acute toxicity - dermal

Notes (dermal LD₅₀) No specific test data are available.

Acute toxicity - inhalation

Notes (inhalation LC₅₀) No specific test data are available.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin corrosion/irritation Irritating to skin.

Animal data

No specific test data are available.

Human skin model test

No specific test data are available.

Extreme pH

No specific test data are available.

Serious eye damage/irritation

Serious eye damage/irritation Irritation of eyes is assumed.

Respiratory sensitisation

Respiratory sensitisation No specific test data are available.

Skin sensitisation

Skin sensitisation No specific test data are available.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity - in vitro Does not contain any substances known to be mutagenic.

Genotoxicity - in vivo Does not contain any substances known to be mutagenic.

Carcinogenicity

Carcinogenicity Does not contain any substances known to be carcinogenic.

IARC carcinogenicity

Not listed.

Reproductive toxicity

Reproductive toxicity - fertility Does not contain any substances known to be toxic to reproduction.

Reproductive toxicity - development Does not contain any substances known to be toxic to reproduction.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

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STOT - single exposure Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after a single exposure.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

STOT - repeated exposure Not classified as a specific target organ toxicant after repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard

Aspiration hazard Not relevant.

General information

No specific health hazards known.

Inhalation

Dust in high concentrations may irritate the respiratory system. The product may contain a small percentage of respirable crystalline silica. Prolonged exposure to dust may result in long term irreversible effects

Ingestion

Ingestion of small amounts is unlikely to cause a significant reaction. Larger doses may result in irritation to the gastro intestinal tract.

Skin contact

Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Eye contact

Irritating to eyes.

Acute and chronic health hazards

No specific health hazards known.

Route of exposure

Skin and/or eye contact

Target organs

Eyes Skin

Medical symptoms

Irritation of eyes and mucous membranes. Allergic rash.

Medical considerations

Pre-existing eye problems. Skin disorders and allergies.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

The product may affect the acidity (pH) of water which may have hazardous effects on aquatic organisms.

12.1. Toxicity

Toxicity

Not available

Acute aquatic toxicity

Acute toxicity - fish

Not determined

Acute toxicity - aquatic invertebrates

Not determined.

Acute toxicity - aquatic plants

Not determined.

Acute toxicity - microorganisms

Not determined.

Acute toxicity - terrestrial

Not determined.

Chronic aquatic toxicity

Chronic toxicity - fish early life stage

Not determined.

Short term toxicity - embryo and sac fry stages

Not determined.

Chronic toxicity - aquatic invertebrates

Not determined.

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12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability There are no data on the degradability of this product.

Phototransformation Not determined.

Stability (hydrolysis) Not determined.

Biodegradation Not determined.

Biological oxygen demand No specific test data are available.

Chemical oxygen demand No specific test data are available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential No data available on bioaccumulation.

Partition coefficient Not applicable.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility The product is non-volatile.

Adsorption/desorption coefficient Not determined.

Henry's law constant Not determined.

Surface tension Not determined.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB according to current EU criteria.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects Not known.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal methods Small quantities may be mixed with water, allowed to cure fully and disposed of as low hazard waste. Larger quantities should be disposed of as hazardous waste via a licensed waste operator.

SECTION 14: Transport information

General The product is not covered by international regulations on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).

14.1. UN number

Not applicable.

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Not applicable.

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

No transport warning sign required.

14.4. Packing group

Not applicable.

14.5. Environmental hazards

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Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant

No.

14.6. Special precautions for user

Not applicable.

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

Transport in bulk according to Not applicable.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78
and the IBC Code

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

National regulations	Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (as amended).
Guidance	Workplace Exposure Limits EH40. Safety Data Sheets for Substances and Preparations.
Health and environmental listings	None of the ingredients are listed.
Authorisations (Annex XIV Regulation 1907/2006)	No specific authorisations are known for this product.
Restrictions (Annex XVII Regulation 1907/2006)	No specific restrictions on use are known for this product.

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

General information	F.Ball and Company Ltd Technical Datasheet.
Key literature references and sources for data	Health and Safety Executive Guidance Note EH40 (amended annually). Workplace Exposure Limits.
Revision comments	Section 2: update.
Revision date	07/01/2021
Revision	8
Supersedes date	05/11/2019
SDS status	Approved.
Hazard statements in full	H315 Causes skin irritation. H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H318 Causes serious eye damage. H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

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