



**SAFETY DATA SHEET**  
**BAL WATERPROOF PLUS POWDER**

**SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING**

**1.1. Product identifier**

Product name BAL WATERPROOF PLUS POWDER  
Synonyms, Trade Names As above

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

Identified uses Waterproof coating  
Uses advised against No specific uses advised against are identified.

**1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Supplier Building Adhesives Ltd  
Longton Road,  
Trentham,  
Stoke on Trent  
ST4 8JB  
01782 591100  
Contact Person sdsreply@building-adhesives.com

**1.4. Emergency telephone number**

01782 591100 (7am-8pm)

**SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture**

Classification (EC 1272/2008)

Physical and Chemical Hazards	Not classified.
Human health	Eye Irrit. 2 - H319; Skin Sens. 1 - H317
Environment	Not classified.

Classification (1999/45/EEC)

Xi; R36. R43.

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

Human health

When the cement based powder is mixed with water or admixture, a strongly alkaline paste is produced. Cement based products may, until set, cause both irritant and allergic contact dermatitis. Irritant contact dermatitis is due to a combination of the wetness, alkalinity and abrasiveness of the constituent materials. Allergic contact dermatitis is caused mainly by the sensitivity of the individual's skin to hexavalent chromium salts.

Environment

The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment.

**2.2. Label elements**

Contains ORDINARY PORTLAND CEMENT  
Label In Accordance With (EC) No. 1272/2008



Signal Word Warning

Hazard Statements

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

Precautionary Statements

P102	Keep out of reach of children.
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P262	Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P305+351+338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.
Supplementary Precautionary Statements	
P264	Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling.

## 2.3. Other hazards

No information.

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.2. Mixtures

CALCIUM SULFATE HEMIHYDRATE	10-30%
CAS-No.: 7778-18-9	EC No.:
Classification (EC 1272/2008) Not classified.	Classification (67/548/EEC) Not classified.
ORDINARY PORTLAND CEMENT	5-10%
CAS-No.: 65997-15-1	EC No.: 266-043-4
Classification (EC 1272/2008) Skin Irrit. 2 - H315 Eye Dam. 1 - H318 Skin Sens. 1 - H317 STOT SE 3 - H335	Classification (67/548/EEC) Xi;R37/38,R41. R43.

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#### Composition Comments

The data shown are in accordance with the latest EC Directives.

## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### General information

Consult a physician for specific advice.

#### Inhalation

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

#### Ingestion

DO NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately. Immediately rinse mouth and drink plenty of water (200-300 ml).

#### Skin contact

Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. Wash the skin immediately with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists after washing.

#### Eye contact

Immediately flush with plenty of water for up to 15 minutes. Remove any contact lenses and open eyes wide apart. Get medical attention immediately. Continue to rinse.

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

#### Inhalation

Frequent inhalation of dust over a long period of time increases the risk of developing lung diseases.

#### Ingestion

May cause chemical burns in mouth and throat.

#### Skin contact

May cause serious chemical burns to the skin.

#### Eye contact

May cause severe irritation to eyes. May cause blurred vision and serious eye damage.

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

No recommendation given, but first aid may still be required in case of accidental exposure, inhalation or ingestion of this chemical. If in doubt, GET MEDICAL ATTENTION PROMPTLY!

## SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Extinguishing media

The product is not flammable. Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous combustion products

During fire, toxic gases (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>) are formed.

Unusual Fire & Explosion Hazards

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

Specific hazards

In case of fire, toxic gases may be formed.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special Fire Fighting Procedures

No specific fire fighting procedure given.

Protective equipment for fire-fighters

Wear full protective clothing.

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Avoid contact with skin or inhalation of spillage, dust or vapour. Dampen spillage with water. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Shovel into dry containers. Cover and move the containers. Flush the area with water.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Provide good ventilation.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in tightly closed original container in a dry and cool place.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1. Control parameters

Name	STD	TWA - 8 Hrs		STEL - 15 Min		Notes
CALCIUM SULFATE HEMIHYDRATE			4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> resp.dust			
ORDINARY PORTLAND CEMENT	WEL		4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>			

WEL = Workplace Exposure Limit.

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Ingredient Comments

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## **8.2. Exposure controls**

Protective equipment



Process conditions

Provide eyewash station.

Engineering measures

Provide adequate ventilation, including appropriate local extraction, to ensure that the defined occupational exposure limit is not exceeded.

Respiratory equipment

If ventilation is insufficient, suitable respiratory protection must be provided.

Hand protection

Use protective gloves.

Eye protection

Wear splash-proof eye goggles to prevent any possibility of eye contact.

Other Protection

Wear appropriate clothing to prevent any possibility of skin contact.

Hygiene measures

DO NOT SMOKE IN WORK AREA! Wash hands at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Promptly remove any clothing that becomes contaminated.

## **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

### **9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Appearance	Powder, dust
Solubility	Slightly soluble in water.
pH-Value, Conc. Solution	12-13

### **9.2. Other information**

No information required.

## **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

### **10.1. Reactivity**

No specific reactivity hazards associated with this product.

### **10.2. Chemical stability**

Stable under normal temperature conditions.

### **10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Not applicable.

### **10.4. Conditions to avoid**

Avoid contact with acids.

### **10.5. Incompatible materials**

Materials To Avoid

Strong acids. Aluminium powder

### **10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**

Fire creates: Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

## **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### **11.1. Information on toxicological effects**

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## Inhalation

May cause irritation to the respiratory system. May cause damage to mucous membranes in nose, throat, lungs and bronchial system.  
Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation.

## Ingestion

Ingestion may cause severe irritation of the mouth, the oesophagus and the gastrointestinal tract.

## Skin contact

The product contains a small amount of sensitising substance which may provoke an allergic reaction among sensitive individuals after repeated contact.

## Eye contact

Risk of serious damage to eyes. May cause chemical eye burns.

## Health Warnings

Repeated exposure in excess of the WEL has been linked with rhinitis and coughing. Skin exposure has been linked to allergic chromium dermatitis.

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

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

### **12.1. Toxicity**

The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment (LC50 aquatic toxicity rating not determined). The addition of cement based product to water will, however, cause the pH to rise and may, therefore, be toxic to aquatic life in some circumstances.

### **12.2. Persistence and degradability**

Not relevant. After hardening, cement presents no toxicity risks.

#### Degradability

There are no data on the degradability of this product.

### **12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

#### Bioaccumulative potential

No data available on bioaccumulation.

### **12.4. Mobility in soil**

#### Mobility:

The product is non-volatile. The product is insoluble in water and will sediment in water systems.

### **12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

No information available.

### **12.6. Other adverse effects**

None known.

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### General information

Dispose of waste and residue in accordance with local authority requirements.

### **13.1. Waste treatment methods**

Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements. Product that contains >2ppm CrVI should be disposed of according to local legislation or should be treated with a reducing agent before use. Product that is within shelf life may be hydrated with water and disposed of according to local legislation. The hydrated product is not hazardous.

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

General	The product is not covered by international regulation on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).
Road Transport Notes	Not Classified
Rail Transport Notes	Not classified.
Sea Transport Notes	Not classified.
Air Transport Notes	Not classified.

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## **14.1. UN number**

Not applicable.

## **14.2. UN proper shipping name**

Not applicable.

## **14.3. Transport hazard class(es)**

Not applicable.

Transport Labels

No transport warning sign required.

## **14.4. Packing group**

Not applicable.

## **14.5. Environmental hazards**

Environmentally Hazardous Substance/Marine Pollutant

No.

## **14.6. Special precautions for user**

Not applicable.

## **14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code**

Not applicable.

## **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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

Statutory Instruments

The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2009 (S.I 2009 No. 716).

Approved Code Of Practice

Safety Data Sheets for Substances and Preparations. Classification and Labelling of Substances and Preparations Dangerous for Supply.

Guidance Notes

Workplace Exposure Limits EH40. CHIP for everyone HSG(108).

### **15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment**

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

## **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

Revision Comments

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Risk Phrases In Full

R36	Irritating to eyes.
R37/38	Irritating to respiratory system and skin.
R43	May cause sensitisation by skin contact.
NC	Not classified.
R41	Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Hazard Statements In Full

H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.

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