



## SAFETY DATA SHEET SETCRETE LATEX

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

#### 1.1. Product identifier

**Product name** SETCRETE LATEX

**Internal identification** SETLATEX/4

#### 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)  
Fax: 01538 361622  
E.mail: msds@f-ball.co.uk

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

**Emergency telephone** 01538 361633 Mon-Fri 8.30am - 5.00pm (excluding Bank Holidays)

### 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 2ppm soluble Chromium VI as a percentage of the cement content. 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.

#### 2.2. Label elements

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## Pictogram



## 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.  
P261 Avoid breathing dust.  
P262 Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.  
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.

## Contains

CEMENT

## Supplementary precautionary statements

P501 Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with national regulations.

## 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.

## Composition comments

The product is a blend of cements and inorganic aggregates or fillers and may contain calcium carbonate, pulverised fuel ash, ground granulated blast furnace slag and small percentages of additives. The product may contain a low level of respirable crystalline silica.

## 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.

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**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.

**Inhalation** Irritation of nose, throat and airway.

**Ingestion** May cause discomfort if swallowed.

**Skin contact** Prolonged skin contact may cause redness and 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.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

**Suitable extinguishing media** The product is non-combustible.

### 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.

**Special protective equipment for firefighters** Wear chemical protective suit.

## 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.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** Do not discharge into drains or watercourses or onto the ground.

### 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.

### 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.

## 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.

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

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**Storage precautions** Store in tightly-closed, original container. Keep separate from food, feedstuffs, fertilisers and other sensitive material. Store in a dry place.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

**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

#### Occupational exposure limits

##### SILICA SAND

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): WEL 0,1 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

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

##### CALCIUM CARBONATE

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): WEL 10 total dust; 4 respirable dust mg/m<sup>3</sup>

##### CEMENT

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): WEL 10 total dust ; 4 respirable dust mg/m<sup>3</sup>

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

WEL = Workplace Exposure Limit

**Ingredient comments** The product may contain a low level of respirable crystalline silica (WEL 0.1 mg/m<sup>3</sup>; 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.

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<b>Colour</b>	Grey.
<b>Odour</b>	Slight.
<b>Odour threshold</b>	Not determined.
<b>pH</b>	pH (concentrated solution): High alkaline pH when mixed with water.
<b>Melting point</b>	Not determined.
<b>Initial boiling point and range</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Flash point</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Evaporation factor</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not determined.
<b>Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits</b>	Not determined.
<b>Other flammability</b>	Not determined.
<b>Vapour pressure</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Vapour density</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Relative density</b>	Variable, depends on packing effects and temperature
<b>Bulk density</b>	Not determined.
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	Slightly soluble in water.
<b>Partition coefficient</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Auto-ignition temperature</b>	Not determined.
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	Not determined.
<b>Viscosity</b>	Not determined.
<b>Explosive properties</b>	Not determined.
<b>Explosive under the influence of a flame</b>	Not considered to be explosive.
<b>Oxidising properties</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Comments</b>	Information given is applicable to the product in its ready-to-use form.
<b><u>9.2. Other information</u></b>	
<b>Other information</b>	None.
<b>Refractive index</b>	Not determined.
<b>Particle size</b>	Not determined.
<b>Molecular weight</b>	Not determined.
<b>Volatility</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Saturation concentration</b>	Not determined.
<b>Critical temperature</b>	Not determined.
<b>Volatile organic compound</b>	Not applicable.

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### 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.

#### 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 LD<sub>50</sub>)** No specific test data are available.

#### Acute toxicity - dermal

**Notes (dermal LD<sub>50</sub>)** No specific test data are available.

#### Acute toxicity - inhalation

**Notes (inhalation LC<sub>50</sub>)** 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.

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### 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

**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** Prolonged or repeated contact with the powder or mixtures with water may cause burns and/or irritant contact dermatitis

**Eye contact** May cause irritation, soreness and reddening of the eyes

**Acute and chronic health hazards** No specific health hazards known.

**Route of entry** 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 toxicity - fish** Not determined

**Acute toxicity - aquatic invertebrates** Not determined.

**Acute toxicity - aquatic plants** Not determined.

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**Acute toxicity - microorganisms** Not determined.

**Acute toxicity - terrestrial** Not determined.

**Chronic toxicity - fish early life stage** Not determined.

**Short term toxicity - embryo and sac fry stages** Not determined.

**Chronic toxicity - aquatic invertebrates** Not determined.

### 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).



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### 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

**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

<b>National regulations</b>	Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (as amended).
<b>Guidance</b>	Workplace Exposure Limits EH40. Safety Data Sheets for Substances and Preparations.
<b>Health and environmental listings</b>	None of the ingredients are listed.
<b>Authorisations (Title VII Regulation 1907/2006)</b>	No specific authorisations are known for this product.
<b>Restrictions (Title VIII Regulation 1907/2006)</b>	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

<b>General information</b>	Technical Data Sheet
<b>Key literature references and sources for data</b>	Health and Safety Executive Guidance Note EH40 (amended annually). Workplace Exposure Limits.
<b>Revision comments</b>	Section 2: update.
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**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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