



## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET \_\_\_\_\_

**Reference: 1907/2006/EC, Article 31**

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### **Product Information**

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**Tradename/Type:** Schenk  
**Description:** Soho, Como, Como Select, Mesa, Mesa Select, Soma, & Plateau High Pressure Laminates.

### **Hazards Identification**

Harmful by inhalation (dust/formaldehyde). Effects of skin contact are not fully known and may vary.

### **Information on Ingredients**

Particleboard

Wood: 82-84%; Solid Resin: 8-10%; Water: 7%; Solid Paraffin Wax: 0.5%; Total Extractable Formaldehyde (CASNo. 50-00-0): 0.008% max (Emission class 1); Silica: <0.05%; Green Dye (solids) 0-0.01% (moisture resistant grades).

Medium-Density Fibreboard (MDF)

Wood: 82%; Solid Resin: 11%; Water: 5-7%; Solid Paraffin Wax: <1%; Total Extractable Formaldehyde: 0.004% max (Emission class1); Silica: <0.02%

### **First Aid Measures**

After inhalation: Remove from exposure. If discomfort persists, seek medical attention.

After skin contact: Wash off with soap and water.

After eye contact: Irrigate with water. If discomfort persists, seek medical attention.

After swallowing: Wash out mouth with water.

### **Fire Fighting Measures**

Use: Water, CO<sub>2</sub>. Dust from cutting and milling operations is an explosive hazard (see additional information). Thermal decomposition produces irritating and toxic gases including CO, aldehydes and organic acids.

### **Accidental Release Measures**

Sweep or vacuum wood dust for recovery or disposal and to mitigate dust accumulation. Provide good ventilation.

### **Handling and Storage**

Care should be taken during handling to protect hands from small splinters of wood. Follow good housekeeping practices; clean up areas where wood dust settles. Avoid excessive accumulation as this may result in explosive levels of wood dust in the air. Wood dust is a combustible material.

Note: In poorly ventilated areas, particularly under moist and warm conditions, small traces of formaldehyde may be emitted.