

Wood Dust Hazard Label

Caution!

Wood Dust

(For all Untreated Wood and Untreated Wood Products)

Sawing, sanding or machining wood products can produce wood dust that can cause a flammable or explosive hazard.

Wood dust may cause lung, upper respiratory tract, eye, and skin irritation. Some wood species may cause dermatitis and/or respiratory allergic effects. The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) has classified wood dust as a known human carcinogen. This determination is based on evidence that prolonged exposure to and inhalation of wood dust increases the risk of nasal cancer.

Measures to minimize potential risk include:

- Avoid dust contact with ignition source.
 - Sweep or vacuum dust for recovery or disposal.
 - Use appropriate personal protective equipment.
 - Avoid repeated or prolonged breathing of wood dust.
 - Avoid dust contact with eyes and skin.
- **First Aid:** Eye and skin contact - flush with water. If irritation persists, call a physician. Inhalation - remove to fresh air. Get medical attention if persistent irritation, severe coughing or breathing difficulty occurs.

For additional information, see the Wood Dust Material Safety Data Sheet.