

the art and science of smart patch testing™

PG326: Melamine formaldehyde resin

CAS#: 9003-08-1

Patient Information

Your patch test result indicates that you have a contact allergy to melamine formaldehyde resin. This contact allergy may cause your skin to react when it is exposed to this substance although it may take several days for the symptoms to appear. Typical symptoms include redness, swelling, itching, and fluid-filled blisters.

Where is melamine formaldehyde resin found?

This substance can be found in kitchen utensils and plates. It is the main constituent in laminates and laminate flooring. It is also found in ready-to-assemble furniture and inexpensive cabinets.

How can you avoid contact with melamine formaldehyde resin?

Avoid products that list any of the following names in the ingredients:

- Budamin MF 55I
- Budamin MF 60I
- CA 105
- CR 2024
- Cassurit HML
- Cassurit MLP
- Cassurit MLS

- Cassurit MT
- Cibamin M 100
- Cohedur A
- Cymel
- Melamine polymer with formaldehyde
- Melamine, polymer with formaldehyde

What are some products that may contain melamine formaldehyde resin?

Cabinetry Flooring Furniture

Household Products

*For additional information about products that might contain **melamine formaldehyde resin**, go to the Household Product Database online (http://householdproducts.nlm.nih.gov) at the United States National Library of Medicine. These lists are brief and provide just a few examples. They are not comprehensive. Product formulations also change frequently. Read product labels carefully and talk to your doctor if you have any questions. These are general guidelines. Talk to your doctor for more specific instructions.

