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Dear Educator,

This file contains the Safety Data Sheets (SDS) for FOSS SOILS, ROCKS AND LANDFORMS, 3rd Edition as of July 24, 2017.

Because kit contents can sometimes be replaced, we recommend searching our online portal of SDS for current sheets as you need them. To make that searching easier, we have provided a listing below of the items with SDS in this kit.

Portal: <http://www.schoolspecialty.com/sds>

Part Number to Search	Item Description
030-3401	Chalk, white
032-3168	Clay, bag, powdered, gray, 0.45 kg-bag (1 lb.)
030-4920	Clay, bag, powdered, white, 0.45 kg (1 lb.)/bag
190-0337-0	Sand, fine brown

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Safety Data Sheet

Prang Hygieia Chalk

"Since 1795"

A COMPANY

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Company Identification: Dixon Ticonderoga Company
615 Crescent Executive Court ste.500
Lake Mary Fl, 2746
Telephone:(800) 824-9430

Date prepared: 5/7/2003
Last revised: 10/26/2015

Product Name: Prang Hygieia Chalk

Product Code(s):
31144, 3144, 61400

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview Not an acute hazard- conforms to ASTM D-4236
CAUTION!
Packaging may be subject to ignition by fire and may release toxic or other irritating gases

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS-#	%Weight
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Products bearing the CL Certified Products or AP Approved Products seals of the Art and Creative Materials Institute's, Inc. are certified in a program of toxicological evaluation by a medical expert, subject to review by the Institute's Toxicological Advisory Board, to contain no materials in sufficient quantities to be toxic or injurious to humans or cause acute or chronic health problems.

Conforms to ASTM D-4236

This product is not considered to be a hazardous substance as defined under OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Contact Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for a least 15 minutes. Get medical attention immediately if irritation develops and persists.

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. Use a mild soap if available. Rinse immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing. If irritation develops, get medical attention.

Inhalation If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately.

Ingestion If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately, Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Extinguishing Media: Carbon dioxide, dry chemical or foam recommended. Apply water to cool exposed closed containers

Special Fire Fighting Procedures: Self contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and full protective equipment recommended

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Packaging may be subject to ignition by fire and may release toxic gases

Flammability Data: No data

Flash Point: No data

Flammability limits: No data

Auto-ignition temperature: No data

Dust cloud ignition temperature: No data

Dust layer ignition temperature: No data

HMIS Ratings	
Health	1
Flammability	0
Reactivity	0
Protective Equi	A

6. Accidental Release Measures

Small Spill: Sweep or wipe up material. Place spilled material into appropriate waste containers for disposal

Large Spill: Sweep or wipe up material. Place spilled material into appropriate waste containers for disposal

7. Handling and Storage

Handling: Contents will stain. The use of smocks and gloves to protect personal clothing is suggested. Wash hands and surface after use.

Storing: Do not store near heat or open flame

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8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Engineering Controls: The use of local ventilation is recommended

Personal protection: No special skin protection required. Wash skin if irritation is experienced. Eye protection is recommended

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Solid
Appearance: Chalk Stick
Color: Various Colors
Odor: No Odor
pH: No Data
Specific gravity: No Data
Boiling point: No Data
Freezing/melting point: No Data
Evaporation rate: No Data
Solubility: No Data
Volatility: No Data

10. Stability and Reactivity

General: This product is stable and hazardous polymerization will not occur

Incompatibility: None known

Hazardous decomposition: As with all burning organic matter, carbon monoxide and other toxic fumes may be released

11. Toxicological Information

Acute/Chronic Toxicity, Carcinogenicity, Mutagenicity Products bearing the CP Certified Products or AP Approved products seals of the Art and Creative Material's Institute are certified in a program of toxicological evaluation by a medical expert, subject to review by the Institute's Toxicological Advisory Board to contain no materials in sufficient quantities to be toxic or injurious to humans or cause acute or chronic health problems. Conforms to ASTM D-4236

12. Ecological Information

This product has not been evaluated for overall environmental effects

13. Disposal Considerations

Contain and place in approved container. Dispose of per Local, State, and Federal regulations

14. Transportation Information

DOT Classification: Not Regulated (US)

UN/NA Number: Not Regulated

TDG Classification: Not Regulated (Canada)

IMO/IMDG Classification: Not Regulated

ADR/RID Classification: Not Regulated (Europe)

ICAO/IATA Classification: Not Regulated

15. Regulatory Information

OSHA Hazard Communication Status This product is not considered to be a hazardous substance under OSHA's Federal Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Status All ingredients of this material has been reported to the US EPA and are included in the TSCA inventory

16. Other Information

For further product safety information call: 800-824-9430

**Validated and Verified by Dixon Ticonderoga Co.
October 26,2015**

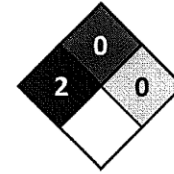
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HMIS Ratings	
Health Hazard	2
Fire Hazard	0
Reactivity Hazard	0
Max. Personal Protection	E



SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product trade name(s): Tennessee #5
Common Name(s): Ball Clay, Kaolinic Clay
Chemical Formula: Al₂Si₂O₅(OH)₄
CAS Number: 999999-99-4
Physical Form: Light gray to brown solid

Recommended Uses: Non-exhaustive list: Ceramics, ceramic glazes, porcelain insulators, gypsum wallboard, ceiling tile, coal tar sealing emulsions

Restrictions on Use: Food ingredient, cosmetic ingredient, agricultural feed, pesticide

Manufacturer's Name & Address: Kentucky-Tennessee Clay Company
 100 Mansell Court East
 Suite 300
 Roswell, GA 30076

Telephone: 770-594-0660
Fax: 770-645-3460
Customer Service: 800-814-4538

Emergency Telephone: For Chemical Emergency Call CHEMTREC (24 hours): 1-800-424-9300
 (US, Canada, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands)
 1-703-527-3887 (Outside Above Area) collect calls accepted

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Contains Crystalline Silica $\geq 1\%$ $\leq 10\%$ Respirable

Classification: Eye Damage/Irritation Category 2
 Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2
 Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure Category 3 - Respiratory
 Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure Category 1 - Respiratory
 Carcinogenicity Category 1a

Label Elements:



Signal Word:
WARNING

Hazard Statements: H373: May cause damage to lung through prolonged or repeated inhalation.

Precautionary Statements: P260: Do not breathe dust.
 P285: In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.
 P501: Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulation.

SAFETY DATA SHEETProduct Name: **Tennessee #5**
SDS ID: TN #5_GHS_001**SECTION 3: COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Ingredient	Weight % (Approx.)	CAS N°	EINECS N°
Kaolin	60% - 90%	1332-58-7	310-194-1
Quartz - Crystalline Silica	10% - 30%	14808-60-7	238-878-4
Titanium Dioxide	1% - 5%	13463-67-7	136-675-5
Water	1% - 20%	7732-18-5	215-185-5

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**Inhalation**

If adverse effects occur, get immediate medical attention. If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Give artificial

Skin

Wash immediately with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

Eyes

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

Ingestion

DO NOT induce vomiting. If swallowed, drink plenty of water, do NOT induce vomiting. Never make an unconscious person vomit or drink fluids. Get medical attention.

Symptoms: Immediate

eye irritation, skin irritation, respiratory tract irritation

Symptoms: Delayed

gastrointestinal effects

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**Flammable Properties**

Product is non-flammable.
Use extinguishing agents appropriate for surrounding fire.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

None known.

Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters

No hazard is expected from the normal use of this product.

Fire Fighting Measures

No hazard expected

NFPA 704M Hazard Classification: Health: 2 Flammable: 0 Reactivity: 0

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**Personal Precautions**

Keep unnecessary people away, isolate hazard area and deny entry. Wet material is slippery under foot.
Wear personal protective clothing and equipment, see Section 8.

Environmental Precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

Cleanup Methods

Collect spilled material in appropriate container for reuse or disposal.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**Precautions for Safe Handling**

Avoid dust generation and accumulation. Do not use in poorly ventilated or confined spaces. Do not taste or swallow.
Avoid inhalation or contact. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for Safe Storage

Store in a cool, dry place. Store in a well-ventilated area.

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SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines:

Follow standard occupational hygiene control methods and procedures. Use an approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation develops or persists.

Component Exposure Limits:

Hazardous Ingredient	Weight % (Approx.)	CAS N°	OSHA PEL*	ACGIH TLV*
Kaolin	60% - 90%	1332-58-7	15 mg/m ³ (Total Dust) 5 mg/m ³ (Respirable Fraction)	2 mg/m ³ (Respirable Fraction)
Quartz - Crystalline Silica (Respirable Fraction 1-10%)	10% - 30%	14808-60-7	0.1mg/m ³ (Respirable Fraction)	0.025 mg/m ³ (Respirable Fraction)
Titanium Dioxide (Naturally Occurring)	1% - 5%	13463-67-7	15 mg/m ³ (Total Dust)	10 mg/m ³ (Total Dust)

* Unless otherwise noted, all PEL and TLV are reported as 8 hour time weighted average (TWA).

Component Analysis

There are no biological limit values for any of this product's components.

Engineering Controls

Ventilation: Use exhaust ventilation, if required, to maintain dust concentration below recommended exposure limits.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Respiratory Protection: Where there is potential for airborne exposure, use of a MSHA/NIOSH or OSHA/NIOSH approved respirator is recommended.

Eyes/Face: Wear side shield safety glasses or chemical resistant safety goggles.

Glove Recommendation: Rubber gloves are recommended for prolonged exposure.

Protective Clothing: Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing. Contaminated clothing should be removed and laundered before reuse.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State: Solid

Color: light gray to brown

Odor: earthy odor

pH: 4-6 (aqueous solution)

Boiling Point: Not applicable

Decomposition: loses crystalline water at > 500°C (930°F)

LEL: Not applicable

Vapor Pressure: Not applicable

Density: Not applicable

Water Solubility: None

Auto Ignition: Will not ignite

Flow Point: Not applicable

VOC: None

Appearance: light gray to brown solid

Physical Form: powder to lump

Odor Threshold: Not applicable

Melting Point: > 1500°C

Flash Point: Will not ignite

Evaporation Rate: Not applicable

UEL: Not applicable

Vapor Density (air = 1): Not applicable

Specific Gravity (water = 1): ~2.6 gm/cc

Coeff> Water/Oil Dist: Not applicable

Viscosity: Not applicable

Sublimation Point: Not applicable

SAFETY DATA SHEETProduct Name: **Tennessee #5**
SDS ID: TN #5_GHS_001**SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY****Reactivity:**

No reactive hazard is expected.

Chemical Stability:

Stable at normal temperatures and pressure

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:

Will not oxidize or polymerize.

Conditions to avoid:

None known.

Materials to Avoid (Incompatibilities):

None known.

Decomposition Products:

When exposed to high temperatures, free quartz can change crystal structure to form tridymite (above 870°C) or cristobalite (above 1470°C) which have greater health hazards than quartz. (Tridymite and cristobalite (TWA-TLV) =0.025 mg/m³.)

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Primary Route of Exposure:** Skin, Eye Contact, Inhalation and Ingestion**Acute Health Hazards:**

Eye contact may cause mechanical irritation.

Skin contact may aggravate existing dermatitis.

Inhalation from prolonged and continuous exposure to excessive quantities of dust may aggravate existing asthmatic or respiratory conditions.

Acute and Chronic Toxicity

May cause eye irritation, skin irritation, respiratory tract irritation, and gastrointestinal tract irritation. May cause damage to respiratory tract through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Occupationally inhaled ball clay produced pulmonary fibrosis with sites of action being the lung, the lymph nodes and the hilus. Ball clay when taken orally over a long period of time can cause granulomas of the stomach.

Exposure to quartz (the most stable and common form of crystalline silica) is responsible for the majority of clinically diagnosed silicosis. Silicosis is a fibronodular lung disease that occurs after occupational exposure to crystalline silica for 5 years or longer. Inhalation of quartz dusts may cause shortness of breath, limitation of chest expansion, dry cough, and a lessened capacity for work. Individuals with a pre-existing disease in, or a history of ailments involving the skin or respiratory tract, are at greater risk for developing adverse health effects when exposed to this material.

In humans, chronic intermittent exposure to quartz caused pulmonary fibrosis, cough, and difficulty breathing. Overexposure to crystalline silica may cause silicosis, a form of disabling, progressive, and sometimes fatal pulmonary fibrosis characterized by the presence of typical nodulation in the lungs. Tuberculosis frequently complicates silicosis and the risk for tuberculosis is also increased in workers exposed to silica who have no radiographic evidence of silicosis. Crystalline silica can cause silicotic lesions in such organs as the liver, spleen and bone marrow. In humans, a causal relationship exists between exposure to crystalline silica and the development of autoimmune diseases. In multi-dose studies with animals, long term inhalation of quartz affected the lungs, endocrine system, immune system and blood.

This product contains quartz (respirable) as an impurity. Prolonged and/or massive exposure to respirable crystalline silica-containing dust may cause silicosis, a nodular pulmonary fibrosis caused by deposition in the lungs of fine respirable particles of crystalline silica.

In 1997, IARC (the International Agency for Research on Cancer) concluded that crystalline silica inhaled from occupational sources can cause lung cancer in humans. However it pointed out that not all industrial circumstances, nor all crystalline silica types, were to be incriminated. (IARC Monographs on the evaluation of the carcinogenic risks of chemicals to humans, Silica, silicates dust and organic fibers, 1997, Vol. 68, IARC, Lyon, France.)

The material may contain trace amounts (parts per trillion) of naturally occurring dioxin congeners (PCDD, PCDF) including TCDD. 2, 3, 7,8. TCDD has been classified as a known human carcinogen by the IARC in Monograph 69 (1997).

These trace amounts are not believed to be a health risk, but Special Protections and Special Precautions (Section 8) are advised.

IARC Monograph Vol. 69 (1997) concludes that 2,3,7,8-TCDD (dioxin) is carcinogenic to humans.

Methods of transmission may include inhalation, ingestion or dermal absorption.

SAFETY DATA SHEETProduct Name: **Tennessee #5**
SDS ID: **TN #5_GHS_001****Component Analysis - LD50/LC50**

The components of this material have been reviewed in various sources and the following selected endpoints are published:

Quartz - Crystalline Silica (14808-60-7)

Oral LD50 Rat 500 mg/kg

Titanium dioxide (13463-67-7)

Oral LD50 >10000 mg/kg

Water (7732-18-5)

Oral LD50 Rat >90 mL/kg

Irritation/Corrosivity Data

May cause eye irritation, skin irritation, respiratory tract irritation, and gastrointestinal tract irritation.

Respiratory Sensitizer

No test data available

Dermal Sensitizer

No test data available

Carcinogenicity**Component Carcinogenicity****Kaolin - CAS N° 1332-58-7****ACGIH:** A4 - Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen**Quartz - Crystalline Silica - CAS N° 14808-60-7****ACGIH:** A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen**IARC:** Group 1 - Carcinogenic to humans**Titanium dioxide - CAS N° 13463-67-7****ACGIH:** A4 - Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen**IARC:** Group 2B - Possibly carcinogenic to humans**Mutagenic Data**

No information available

Reproductive Effects Data

No information available

Specific Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure

Target organs include ears, skin, respiratory system, and gastrointestinal tract.

Specific Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure

Causes damage to eyes, skin, respiratory system, and gastrointestinal tract through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Aspiration Hazard

No data available

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure

Individuals with pre-existing eye disorders, skin disorders, respiratory disorders and/or gastrointestinal disorders may have increased susceptibility to the effects of exposure.

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SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

No information available for the product

Component Analysis - Aquatic Toxicity

No LOLI ecotoxicity data are available for this product's components

No information available for the product

Bioaccumulation

No information available for the product

Bioconcentration

This material is not believed to bioconcentrate

Biodegradation

This product is made from a naturally occurring, abundant, innocuous mineral

Persistence

This product is made from a naturally occurring, abundant, innocuous mineral

Mobility in Soil:

This product is insoluble in water

Results of PBT and vPvB Assessment

Not relevant

Other Toxicity

May affect turbidity if discharged in large quantities to lakes, streams or sewers.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Non-hazardous waste - RCRA (40 CFR 261)

Dispose of waste materials in accordance with all local, state, and Federal requirements.

This product may not be disposed of in waterways or sewers.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

EPA Waste Number: Not regulated.

DOT Classification: Not regulated.

IMO Classification: Not regulated.

Internal UN: Not regulated.

IMDG Code: This product is not considered to be a marine pollutant.

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Product Name: **Tennessee #5**
SDS ID: **TN #5_GHS_001**

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA Title III Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances: This product does not contain extremely hazardous subject to the reporting requirements of Section 302 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 355.

SARA Title III Section 311 and 312 Health and Physical Hazard Categories per 40 CFR 370.2:

Immediate	Delayed	Fire	Pressure	Reactivity
Yes	Yes	No	No	No

SARA Section 313 Notification: This product does not contain toxic chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372.

TSCA: Product is listed in Initial Inventory, Vol. 1, Appendix A, CAS No. 1332-58-7

CERCLA: Ball Clay is not a CERCLA listed hazardous substance.

California Proposition 65: WARNING: This product may also contain extremely small amounts of one or more naturally-occurring materials known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm.

NJ Special Health Hazardous Substances List [4]: RTK Hazardous Substance List; Substance number 4016.

PA Special Hazardous Substances List: Regulated under PA Code Chapter 323.

Stockholm Convention: This product is not subject to the Stockholm Convention.

Montreal Protocol: This product is not subject to the Montreal Protocol.

Rotterdam Convention: This product is not subject to the Rotterdam Convention.

National Inventories:

DSL (Canada): Listed
NDSL (Canada): Not Listed
PICCS (Philippines): Listed
KECI (Korea): Listed
ENCS (MITI) (Japan): Listed
AICS (Australia): Listed
IECSC (China): Listed
EINECS (Europe): Listed

REACH Status: Exempt (Annex v.7). Product is a naturally occurring mineral.

SAFETY DATA SHEETProduct Name: **Tennessee #5**
SDS ID: TN #5_GHS_001**SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION****Training**

Workers must be informed of the presence of crystalline silica and trained in the proper use and handling of this product as required under applicable regulations.

Summary of Changes

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Key / Legend

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
AICS	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances
CAS	Chemical Abstract Service
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CHEMTREC	Chemical Transportation Emergency Center
DOT	Department of Transportation
DSL	Canadian Domestic Substances List
EINECS	European Inventory of New and Existing Chemical Substances
ENCS	Existing and New Substances Inventory
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
HMIS	Hazardous Materials Identification System
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
IECSC	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
IMO	International Maritime Organization
KECI	Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory
LEL	Lower Explosive Limit
LOLI	List Of Lists
MITI	Japanese Ministry of International Trade and Industry
MSHA	Mine Safety and Health Administration
NDSL	Canadian Non-Domestic Substance List
NIOSH	National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health
NFPA	National Fire Protection Agency
OSHA	Occupational Health and Safety Administration
PBT	Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic Chemical
PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
PICCS	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
REACH	Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals
RTK	Right to Know
SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
SDS	Safety Data Sheet
STOT	Specific Target Organ Toxicity
TLV	Threshold Limit Value
TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
TWA	Time Weighted Average
UEL	Upper Explosive Limit
UN	United Nations
VOC	Volatile Organic Content
vPvB	Very Powerful Very Bioaccumulative

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Product Name: **Tennessee #5**
SDS ID: **TN #5_GHS_001**

Disclaimer

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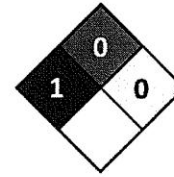
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HMIS Ratings	
Health Hazard	1
Fire Hazard	0
Reactivity Hazard	0
Max. Personal Protection	E



SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product trade name(s): **No. 6 Tile**
Common Name(s): **Kaolin, China Clay, Hydrous Aluminum Silicate**
Chemical Formula: $Al_2Si_2O_5(OH)_4$
CAS Number: 1332-58-7
Physical Form: Light gray to white solid

Recommended Uses: Non-exhaustive list: Ceramics, ceramic glazes, refractories, fiberglass compositions, industrial filler, extender, for paper, rubber, plastics, caulks/adhesives, pesticides, sorbents, catalyst supports

Restrictions on Use: Food ingredient, cosmetic ingredient

Manufacturer's Name & Address: Kentucky-Tennessee Clay Company
 100 Mansell Court East
 Suite 300
 Roswell, GA 30076

Telephone: 770-594-0660
Fax: 770-645-3460
Customer Service: 800-814-4538

Emergency Telephone: **For Chemical Emergency Call CHEMTREC (24 hours): 1-800-424-9300**
 (US, Canada, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands)
 1-703-527-3887 (Outside Above Area) collect calls accepted

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Contains Crystalline Silica - <1% Respirable

Classification:	Eye Damage/Irritation	Category 2
	Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Category 2
	Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure	Category 3 - Respiratory
	Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure	Category 1 - Respiratory
	Carcinogenicity	Category 1a

Label Elements:



Signal Word:
WARNING

Hazard Statements: **H373:** May cause damage to lung through prolonged or repeated inhalation.

Precautionary Statements: **P260:** Do not breathe dust.
P285: In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.
P501: Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulation.

SAFETY DATA SHEETProduct Name: **No. 6 Tile**
SDS ID: No. 6 Tile_GHS_001**SECTION 3: COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Ingredient	Weight % (Approx.)	CAS N°	EINECS N°
Kaolin	60% - 100%	1332-58-7	310-194-1
Quartz - Crystalline Silica	0.1% - 2%	14808-60-7	238-878-4
Titanium Dioxide	1% - 5%	13463-67-7	136-675-5
Water	1% - 20%	7732-18-5	215-185-5

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**Inhalation**

If adverse effects occur, get immediate medical attention. If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Give artificial

Skin

Wash immediately with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

Eyes

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

Ingestion

DO NOT induce vomiting. If swallowed, drink plenty of water, do NOT induce vomiting. Never make an unconscious person vomit or drink fluids. Get medical attention.

Symptoms: Immediate

eye irritation, skin irritation, respiratory tract irritation

Symptoms: Delayed

gastrointestinal effects

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**Flammable Properties**

Product is non-flammable.
Use extinguishing agents appropriate for surrounding fire.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

None known.

Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters

No hazard is expected from the normal use of this product.

Fire Fighting Measures

No hazard expected

NFPA 704M Hazard Classification: Health: 1 Flammable: 0 Reactivity: 0

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**Personal Precautions**

Keep unnecessary people away, isolate hazard area and deny entry. Wet material is slippery under foot.
Wear personal protective clothing and equipment, see Section 8.

Environmental Precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

Cleanup Methods

Collect spilled material in appropriate container for reuse or disposal.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**Precautions for Safe Handling**

Avoid dust generation and accumulation. Do not use in poorly ventilated or confined spaces. Do not taste or swallow.
Avoid inhalation or contact. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for Safe Storage

Store in a cool, dry place. Store in a well-ventilated area.

SAFETY DATA SHEETProduct Name: **No. 6 Tile**
SDS ID: No. 6 Tile_GHS_001**SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION****Exposure Guidelines:**

Follow standard occupational hygiene control methods and procedures. Use an approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation develops or persists.

Component Exposure Limits:

Hazardous Ingredient	Weight % (Approx.)	CAS N°	OSHA PEL*	ACGIH TLV*
Kaolin	60% - 100%	1332-58-7	15 mg/m ³ (Total Dust) 5 mg/m ³ (Respirable Fraction)	2 mg/m ³ (Respirable Fraction)
Quartz - Crystalline Silica (Respirable Fraction < 1%)	0.1% - 2%	14808-60-7	0.1mg/m ³ (Respirable Fraction)	0.025 mg/m ³ (Respirable Fraction)
Titanium Dioxide (Naturally Occurring)	1% - 5%	13463-67-7	15 mg/m ³ (Total Dust)	10 mg/m ³ (Total Dust)

* Unless otherwise noted, all PEL and TLV are reported as 8 hour time weighted average (TWA).

Component Analysis

There are no biological limit values for any of this product's components.

Engineering Controls

Ventilation: Use exhaust ventilation, if required, to maintain dust concentration below recommended exposure limits.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Respiratory Protection: Where there is potential for airborne exposure, use of a MSHA/NIOSH or OSHA/NIOSH approved respirator is recommended.

Eyes/Face: Wear side shield safety glasses or chemical resistant safety goggles.

Glove Recommendation: Rubber gloves are recommended for prolonged exposure.

Protective Clothing: Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing. Contaminated clothing should be removed and laundered before reuse.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State: Solid	Appearance: white to gray solid
Color: white to gray	Physical Form: powder to lump
Odor: earthy odor	Odor Threshold: Not applicable
pH: 4-6 (aqueous solution)	Melting Point: > 1500°C
Boiling Point: Not applicable	Flash Point: Will not ignite
Decomposition: loses crystalline water at > 500°C (930°F)	Evaporation Rate: Not applicable
LEL: Not applicable	UEL: Not applicable
Vapor Pressure: Not applicable	Vapor Density (air = 1): Not applicable
Density: Not applicable	Specific Gravity (water = 1): ~2.6 gm/cc
Water Solubility: None	Coeff> Water/Oil Dist: Not applicable
Auto Ignition: Will not ignite	Viscosity: Not applicable
Flow Point: Not applicable	Sublimation Point: Not applicable
VOC: None	

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No reactive hazard is expected.

Chemical Stability:

Stable at normal temperatures and pressure

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:

Will not oxidize or polymerize.

Conditions to avoid:

None known.

Materials to Avoid (Incompatibilities):

None known.

Decomposition Products:

When exposed to high temperatures, free quartz can change crystal structure to form tridymite (above 870°C) or cristobalite (above 1470°C) which have greater health hazards than quartz. (Tridymite and cristobalite (TWA-TLV) =0.025 mg/m³.)

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Primary Route of Exposure:** Skin, Eye Contact, Inhalation and Ingestion**Acute Health Hazards:**

Eye contact may cause mechanical irritation.

Skin contact may aggravate existing dermatitis.

Inhalation from prolonged and continuous exposure to excessive quantities of dust may aggravate existing asthmatic or respiratory conditions.

Acute and Chronic Toxicity

May cause eye irritation, skin irritation, respiratory tract irritation, and gastrointestinal tract irritation. May cause damage to respiratory tract through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Occupationally inhaled kaolin produced pulmonary fibrosis with sites of action being the lung, the lymph nodes and the hilus. Kaolin when taken orally over a long period of time can cause granulomas of the stomach.

Exposure to quartz (the most stable and common form of crystalline silica) is responsible for the majority of clinically diagnosed silicosis. Silicosis is a fibronodular lung disease that occurs after occupational exposure to crystalline silica for 5 years or longer. Inhalation of quartz dusts may cause shortness of breath, limitation of chest expansion, dry cough, and a lessened capacity for work. Individuals with a pre-existing disease in, or a history of ailments involving the skin or respiratory tract, are at greater risk for developing adverse health effects when exposed to this material.

In humans, chronic intermittent exposure to quartz caused pulmonary fibrosis, cough, and difficulty breathing. Overexposure to crystalline silica may cause silicosis, a form of disabling, progressive, and sometimes fatal pulmonary fibrosis characterized by the presence of typical nodulation in the lungs. Tuberculosis frequently complicates silicosis and the risk for tuberculosis is also increased in workers exposed to silica who have no radiographic evidence of silicosis. Crystalline silica can cause silicotic lesions in such organs as the liver, spleen and bone marrow. In humans, a causal relationship exists between exposure to crystalline silica and the development of autoimmune diseases. In multi-dose studies with animals, long term inhalation of quartz affected the lungs, endocrine system, immune system and blood.

This product contains quartz (respirable) as an impurity. Prolonged and/or massive exposure to respirable crystalline silica-containing dust may cause silicosis, a nodular pulmonary fibrosis caused by deposition in the lungs of fine respirable particles of crystalline silica. In 1997, IARC (the International Agency for Research on Cancer) concluded that crystalline silica inhaled from occupational sources can cause lung cancer in humans. However it pointed out that not all industrial circumstances, nor all crystalline silica types, were to be incriminated. (IARC Monographs on the evaluation of the carcinogenic risks of chemicals to humans, Silica, silicates dust and organic fibers, 1997, Vol. 68, IARC, Lyon, France.)

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The components of this material have been reviewed in various sources and the following selected endpoints are published:

Quartz - Crystalline Silica (14808-60-7)

Oral LD50 Rat 500 mg/kg

Titanium dioxide (13463-67-7)

Oral LD50 >10000 mg/kg

Water (7732-18-5)

Oral LD50 Rat >90 mL/kg

Irritation/Corrosivity Data

May cause eye irritation, skin irritation, respiratory tract irritation, and gastrointestinal tract irritation.

Respiratory Sensitizer

No test data available

Dermal Sensitizer

No test data available

Carcinogenicity**Component Carcinogenicity****Kaolin - CAS N° 1332-58-7**

ACGIH: A4 - Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen

Quartz - Crystalline Silica - CAS N° 14808-60-7

ACGIH: A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen

IARC: Group 1 - Carcinogenic to humans

Titanium dioxide - CAS N° 13463-67-7

ACGIH: A4 - Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen

IARC: Group 2B - Possibly carcinogenic to humans

Mutagenic Data

No information available

Reproductive Effects Data

No information available

Specific Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure

Target organs include ears, skin, respiratory system, and gastrointestinal tract.

Specific Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure

Causes damage to eyes, skin, respiratory system, and gastrointestinal tract through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Aspiration Hazard

No data available

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure

Individuals with pre-existing eye disorders, skin disorders, respiratory disorders and/or gastrointestinal disorders may have increased

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SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

No information available for the product

Component Analysis - Aquatic Toxicity

No LOLI ecotoxicity data are available for this product's components

No information available for the product

Bioaccumulation

No information available for the product

Bioconcentration

This material is not believed to bioconcentrate

Biodegradation

This product is made from a naturally occurring, abundant, innocuous mineral

Persistence

This product is made from a naturally occurring, abundant, innocuous mineral

Mobility in Soil:

This product is insoluble in water

Results of PBT and vPvB Assessment

Not relevant

Other Toxicity

May affect turbidity if discharged in large quantities to lakes, streams or sewers.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Non-hazardous waste - RCRA (40 CFR 261)

Dispose of waste materials in accordance with all local, state, and Federal requirements.

This product may not be disposed of in waterways or sewers.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

EPA Waste Number: Not regulated.

DOT Classification: Not regulated.

IMO Classification: Not regulated.

Internal UN: Not regulated.

IMDG Code: This product is not considered to be a marine pollutant.

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SARA Title III Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances: This product does not contain extremely hazardous subject to the reporting requirements of Section 302 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 355.

SARA Title III Section 311 and 312 Health and Physical Hazard Categories per 40 CFR 370.2:

Immediate	Delayed	Fire	Pressure	Reactivity
Yes	Yes	No	No	No

SARA Section 313 Notification: This product does not contain toxic chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372.

TSCA: Product is listed in Initial Inventory, Vol. 1, Appendix A, CAS No. 1332-58-7

FDA: Kaolin is generally recognized as safe (GRAS) under the FDA in accordance with 21 CFR 186.1256. Additionally, kaolin is established as a component of the uncoated or coated food contact surface of paper and paperboard in accordance with 21 CFR 176.170 (aqueous and fatty foods) and CFR 176.180 (dry foods).

CERCLA: Kaolin is not a CERCLA listed hazardous substance.

California Proposition 65: WARNING: This product may also contain extremely small amounts of one or more naturally-occurring materials known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm.

NJ Special Health Hazardous Substances List [4]: RTK Hazardous Substance List; Substance number 4016.

PA Special Hazardous Substances List: Regulated under PA Code Chapter 323.

Stockholm Convention: This product is not subject to the Stockholm Convention.

Montreal Protocol: This product is not subject to the Montreal Protocol.

Rotterdam Convention: This product is not subject to the Rotterdam Convention.

National Inventories:

DSL (Canada): Listed
NDSL (Canada): Not Listed
PICCS (Philippines): Listed
KECL (Korea): Listed
ENCS (MITI) (Japan): Listed
AICS (Australia): Listed
IECSC (China): Listed
EINECS (Europe): Listed

REACH Status: Exempt (Annex v.7). Product is a naturally occurring mineral.

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Workers must be informed of the presence of crystalline silica and trained in the proper use and handling of this product as required under applicable regulations.

Summary of Changes

New SDS 04-Nov-2013

Key / Legend

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
AICS	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances
CAS	Chemical Abstract Service
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CHEMTREC	Chemical Transportation Emergency Center
DOT	Department of Transportation
DSL	Canadian Domestic Substances List
EINECS	European Inventory of New and Existing Chemical Substances
ENCS	Existing and New Substances Inventory
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
HMIS	Hazardous Materials Identification System
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
IECSC	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
IMO	International Maritime Organization
KECI	Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory
LEL	Lower Explosive Limit
LOLI	List Of Lists
MITI	Japanese Ministry of International Trade and Industry
MSHA	Mine Safety and Health Administration
NDSL	Canadian Non-Domestic Substance List
NIOSH	National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health
NFPA	National Fire Protection Agency
OSHA	Occupational Health and Safety Administration
PBT	Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic Chemical
PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
PICCS	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
REACH	Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals
RTK	Right to Know
SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
SDS	Safety Data Sheet
STOT	Specific Target Organ Toxicity
TLV	Threshold Limit Value
TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
TWA	Time Weighted Average
UEL	Upper Explosive Limit
UN	United Nations
VOC	Volatile Organic Content
vPvB	Very Powerful Very Bioaccumulative

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Section 1 – Identification

Product Identifier:	Silica Sand
Trade Names:	Holliston Sand Products, Slater Farms Products
Product Uses:	Filtration Media, Foundry Sand, Industrial Fillers, Bio-retention and Agricultural Sand, Sports Turf, Recreational Products, Commercial Products, Traction Sand Not recommended for sand-blasting.
Manufacturer's Name:	Holliston Sand Company, Inc.
Manufacturer's Address	PO Box 1168, Slatersville, RI 02876
Manufacturer's Telephone	401.766.5010, Monday – Friday, 7:00am to 5:00pm
Manufacturer's Facsimile:	401.762.4976
Emergency Telephone	401.766.5010, Monday – Friday, 7:00am to 5:00pm

Section 2 – Hazards Identification

GHS – US Classification and Label Elements:

Health:

Category 1A – Carcinogen		
Category 1 - Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) following repeated exposures		
Category 2B - Eye Irritation		
Signal Word (GHS-US) - DANGER		
GHS-US Labeling / Hazard Pictograms	 GHS08	 GHS07

Hazard Statements (GHS-US)

H335	May cause eye and respiratory irritation
H350	May cause cancer by inhalation
H372	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure by inhalation.

Precautionary Statements (GHS-US)

P202 – SDS - Read all safety precautions prior to handling.	P264 – Wash thoroughly after handling.
P308 / P313/P314/P304 – Call for medical attention if not well or uncomfortable. If inhaled, provide fresh air.	
P260 / P280 – Never breathe dust. Wear PPE prior to use.	P271 – Use in a well ventilated area.
P403 – Store properly. Closed container.	P501 – Dispose of according to local / regional regulations.

Section 3 – Composition

Name	Product Identifier	Percentage (%)	GHS-US Classification
Quartz	CAS #: 14808-60-7	85 – 99.9	Carc. 1A, H350, STOT SE 3, H335, STOT RE 1, H372

Section 4 – First Aid Measures

ANY SERIOUS INJURY OR UNCONSCIOUSNESS OBSERVATION SHOULD BE AN AUTOMATIC EMERGENCY CALL TO 911.

Inhalation – Move person to a clear area, provide fresh air. Provide medical or emergency attention.

Eye – Flush eye / eyes with water as needed. Provide medical attention as necessary.

Skin – Simple abrasions should be cleansed with mild soap and water. Provide medical attention as necessary.

Ingestion – Discomfort should be followed up with medical attention.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure - Symptoms of silicosis may first appear 15 to 20 years after someone's exposure to crystalline silica. As the disease progresses, symptoms may include:

<i>Shortness of breath</i>	<i>Severe Cough</i>	<i>Weakness</i>
If you have silica in your lungs, your body may not be able to fight infections well. This can lead to other illnesses that can cause.		
<i>Chest Pains</i>	<i>Weight Loss</i>	<i>Night Sweats</i>
<i>Respiratory Failure</i>	<i>Fever</i>	

As the disease progresses over time, these symptoms can become worse. The symptoms of acute silicosis which can occur with exposures to very high concentrations of respirable crystalline silica over a very short time period, sometimes as short as six months, are the same as those associated with chronic silicosis. The symptoms of scleroderma, an autoimmune disease, include thickening and stiffness of the skin, particularly in the fingers, shortness of breath, difficulty swallowing and joint problems.

Section 5 – Fire Fighting Measures

Extinguishing Media:	Compatible with all media. Use appropriate media for surrounding fire.
Unusual Fire and Explosion Habits:	None known.
Special Fire Fighting Procedure:	None known. Not flammable. Use normal fire fighting equipment.
Hazardous Combustion Products:	None known.



Section 6 – Accidental Release Measures

- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
 - General measures.
 - Do not breathe dust. Avoid generation of dust during clean-up of spills. Recover the product by vacuuming, shoveling or sweeping. Vacuum must be fitted with HEPA filter to prevent release of particulates during clean-up. Use water to wet down clean up area to minimize particulate.
 - For non-emergency / emergency personnel.
 - Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves, eye and face protection. Use recommended respiratory protection. Collect as any solid.
- Environmental Precautions – no additional information available
- Methods and Material for Containment and Clean-up
 - Avoid generation of dust during clean-up of spills. Recover the product by vacuuming, shoveling or sweeping. Vacuum must be fitted with HEPA filter to prevent release of particulates during clean-up. Use water to wet down clean up area to minimize particulate.

Section 7 – Handling and Storage

- This product is not to be used for abrasive blasting without proper equipment and training. Do not breathe dust, which may be created during handling of this product.
- Engineering measures and good housekeeping are essential to preventing accumulation of silica dust in the workplace. Use adequate ventilation and dust collection systems.
- Testing can ensure engineering measures are sufficient. PPE is a solution until verification is established. Refer to Section 8 – Exposure Controls / Personal Protection for further information.
- Silica dust is not always visible in a form of a cloud. Use PPE.
- In accordance with OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard (29CFR 1910.12, 1915.99, 1917.28, 1918.90, 1926.59, 1928.21), state, and / or local right to know laws and regulations, familiarize your employees with this SDS and the information contained herein.
- Warn your employees, your customers and other third parties (in case of resale or distribution to others) of the potential health risks associated with the use of this product and train them in the appropriate use of PPE and engineering controls, which will reduce their risks of exposure.
- See ASTM International standard practice E1132-06, "Standard Practice for Health Requirements Relating to Occupational Exposure to Respirable Crystalline Silica."
- Store in a dry, cool place. Keep container tightly closed.

Section 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Control Parameters

Quartz (14808-60-7) – Occupational exposure limits (respirable fraction) in air for dust containing crystalline silica.		
USA ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (mg/m ³) (8 hour weighted average)	0.025 mg/m ³
USA IDLH	US IDLH (mg/m ³)	50 mg/m ³
USA NIOSH	NIOSH REL (TWA) (mg/m ³) (10 hour weighted average)	0.05 mg/m ³
USA MSHA/OSHA	MSHA/OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m ³) (8 hour weighted average) (Mineral Dust)	(30)/(%SiO ₂ + 2) mg/m ³ – total dust (10)/(% SiO ₂ + 2) mg/m ³ – respirable fraction

Occupational exposure limits in air for inert / nuisance dust.			
USA ACGIH	ACGIH TLV	3 mg/m ³	10mg/m ³
USA MSHA/OSHA	MSHA/OSHA PEL (As Inert or Nuisance Dust)	5 mg/m ³	15 mg/m ³

Exposure Controls

Engineering controls	Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Avoid dust production.
Personal protection equipment (PPE)	Use dust suits, protective goggles and respiratory protection in dusty areas. Self contained breathing apparatus is also a good option during dust production. Get training on the use of all PPE equipment. Respirator fit testing is mandatory. Contact NIOSH at 800.35.NIOSH, WWW.CDC.GOV/NIOSH
	Use impermeable gloves for hand protection.
	Use protective goggles for eye protection
	Use NIOSH approved respirators in areas containing airborne dust.
Hygiene	Always wash your hands after handling
Do not breathe dust. Use PPE. Research and engineer a solution for each application.	

California Inhalation Reference Exposure Limit (REL) as of 12/08: Crystalline silica (quartz, cristobalite, tridymite) is 3 ug/m ³ .
Canadian OEL:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Canada Labour Code: 0.025 mg/m³ (respirable) • Alberta, British Columbia: 0.025 mg/m³ (respirable quartz and cristobalite) • Saskatchewan: 2 mg/m³ (respirable, amorphous: silica fume); 0.1 mg/m³ (respirable, amorphous: silica fused); 0.05 mg/m³ (respirable, cristobalite); 0.05 mg/m³ (respirable tridymite); 0.1 mg/m³ (respirable, quartz); 0.1 mg/m³ (respirable, tripoli) • Manitoba, Newfoundland, Prince Edward Island: 0.025 mg/m³ (respirable) • Ontario: 0.05 mg/m³ (respirable cristobalite, tridymite); 0.1 mg/m³ (quartz, tripoli); 0.1 mg/m³ (silica fused); 2 mg/m³ (silica fume) • Quebec: 0.05 mg/m³ (respirable, cristobalite, tridymite); 0.1 mg/m³ (quartz, tripoli) • New Brunswick: 0.1 mg/m³ (quartz); 0.05 mg/m³ (cristobalite) • Nova Scotia: 0.025 mg/m³ (quartz, cristobalite) • Yukon: 2 mg/m³ (respirable, amorphous); 300 particles/ml measured with a konimeter (quartz, and tripoli); 150 particles/ML measured with a konimeter (cristobalite and tridymite) • Northwest Territories, Nunavut: 2 mg/m³ (respirable, amorphous); 0.05 mg/m³ (respirable, cristobalite, tridymite, silica flour); 0.1 mg/m³ (respirable, fused silica, quartz, tripoli)
Austria OEL - Maximum concentration 0.15 mg/m ³
Japan OEL - Japan Society of Occupational Health Respirable crystalline silica 0.03 mg/m ³
Poland OEL TWA -2 mg/m ³ (total inhalable dust, containing >50% free crystalline silica);
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 0.3 mg/ mg/m³ m³ (respirable dust, containing >50% free crystalline silica); • 4.0 mg/m³ (total inhalable dust, containing 2% to 50% free crystalline silica); • 1.0 mg/m³ (respirable dust, containing 2% to 50% free crystalline silica)
United Kingdom OEL – 0.1 mg/m ³
Mexico – 0.1 mg/m ³ (quartz, inhalable)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 0.05 mg/m³ (cristobalite, inhalable) • 0.05 mg/m³ (tridymite, inhalable) • 0.1 mg/m³ (tripoli containing respirable quartz powder, inhalable) • (Also refer to ACGIH)
Argentina – 0.05 mg/m ³ (quartz, respirable)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 0.05 mg/m³ (cristobalite, respirable) • 0.05 mg/m³ (tridymite, respirable) • 0.1 mg/m³ (tripoli, respirable)

Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

Physical State / Appearance	Solid / Crystalline
Odor	None
Odor Threshold	No data available
Color	Natural
pH	No data available
Evaporation rate	No data available
Melting point	1710°C (3110°F)
Freezing point	No data available
Boiling point	2230°C (4046°F)
Flash point	No data available
Self ignition temperature	No data available

Decomposition temperature	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Non-combustible solid
Vapour pressure	No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	No data available
Relative density	No data available
Density	2.65 (approx.)
Solubility	Practically insoluble.
Log Pow	No data available
Log Kow	No data available
Viscosity	No data available
Explosive Limits	None known.
Oxidizing properties	None known.
Explosive limits	No data available

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity	None under normal conditions. Reactive with strong oxidizing agents.
Chemical / Thermal Stability	Chemically stable under normal temperature and pressure. Thermal instability occurs under high temperatures above 870°C (1598°F). It can change to crystalline silica such as tridymite and cristobalite.
Incompatible Materials	Avoid strong oxidizers such as fluorine, chlorine tri-fluoride, hydrogen fluoride, oxygen di-fluoride, hydrogen peroxide, acetylene, ammonia.
Hazardous Decomposition	Quartz (silica) will dissolve in hydrofluoric acid producing a corrosive gas, silicon tetra-fluoride.
Hazardous Polymerization	Not know to polymerize.

Section 11: Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity	Not classified	
Aspiration hazard	Not classified	
Skin Irritation	Not classified	
Eye Irritation	Not classified	
Respiratory or skin sensitization	Not classified	
Reproductive toxicity	Not classified	
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Not classified	
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	Causes damage to organs (lung/respiratory system) through prolonged or repeated exposure (inhalation)	
Germ cell mutagenicity	Not classified	
Carcinogenicity	May cause cancer - inhalation	
Quartz (14808-60-7)	IARC Group – Group 1	National Toxicity Program (NTP) Status: Known Human Carcinogen
Silica – All grades (14808-60-7)	Repeated or prolonged exposure to respirable crystalline silica dust will cause lung damage in the form of silicosis. Symptoms will include progressively more difficult breathing, cough, fever, and weight loss. Acute silicosis can be fatal.	



Section 12: Ecological Information

Crystalline silica is not known to be eco-toxic, not readily biodegradable and not expected to bio-accumulate.

Section 13: Disposal Considerations

AS SOLD, our crystalline silica (quartz) products are not considered hazardous waste under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, or its regulations, 40 CFR 261 et seq. Dispose according to applicable local, state and federal regulations.

Section 14: Transport Information

Crystalline silica (quartz) is not a hazardous material for purposes of transportation under the U. S. Department of Transportation Table of Hazardous Materials, 49 CFR §172.101, and Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations in the European Union, Canada, Argentina, Republic of Uzbekistan and Japan. Consult applicable international, national, state, provincial or local laws. In accordance with DOT / TDG / ADR / RID / ADN / IMDG / ACAA / IATA, crystalline silica is not a dangerous product in the sense of transport regulations.

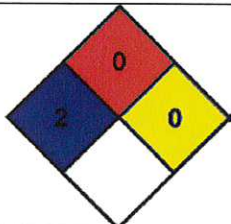
Section 15: Regulatory Information

US Federal Regulations	Silica / Quartz 14808-60-7	Immediate health hazard - acute Delayed health hazard – chronic.	On US TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory listing.
Canada Regulations		WHMIS Classification. Class D Division 2 Subdivision A – Very toxic material causing other toxic effects.	
International Info		IARC (international Agency for Research on Cancer) listing.	NTP (National Toxicology Program) specifies as a carcinogen.
U State Regulations		See below.	
<p>U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List . This product contains Quartz, a substance known to the state of California to cause cancer. U.S. - Hawaii - Occupational Exposure Limits - TWAs U.S. - Idaho - Non-Carcinogenic Toxic Air Pollutants - Acceptable Ambient Concentrations U.S. - Idaho - Non-Carcinogenic Toxic Air Pollutants - Emission Levels (ELs) U.S. - Idaho - Occupational Exposure Limits - Mineral Dusts U.S. - Illinois - Toxic Air Contaminant Carcinogens U.S. - Maine - Chemicals of High Concern U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List U.S. - Michigan - Occupational Exposure Limits - TWAs U.S. - Minnesota - Chemicals of High Concern U.S. - Minnesota - Hazardous Substance List U.S. - Minnesota - Permissible Exposure Limits - TWAs U.S. - New Hampshire - Regulated Toxic Air Pollutants - Ambient Air Levels (AALs) - 24-Hour U.S. - New Hampshire - Regulated Toxic Air Pollutants - Ambient Air Levels (AALs) - Annual U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List U.S. - New Jersey - Special Health Hazards Substances List U.S. - Oregon - Permissible Exposure Limits - Mineral Dusts U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List U.S. - Tennessee - Occupational Exposure Limits - TWAs U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term U.S. - Vermont - Permissible Exposure Limits - TWAs U.S. - Washington - Permissible Exposure Limits - STELs U.S. - Washington - Permissible Exposure Limits - TWAs</p>			



Section 16 – Other Information

NFPA

Health Hazard	2 – intense or continued exposure could cause temporary or incapacitation or possible residual injury unless prompt medical attention is given	
Fire Hazard	0 – materials that will not burn	
Reactivity	0 – normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions, are not reactive with water	

HMIS III Rating

Health	2 - moderate hazard, temporary injury may occur
Flammability	0 – minimal hazard
Physical	0 – minimal hazard
Personal Protection	All equipment required plus engineering measures.

Definitions

Carc. 1A	Carcinogenicity Category 1A
STOT RE 1	Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) Category 1
STOT SE 3	Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Category 3

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