



Material Safety Data Sheet

Material Name: Cultured Brick ®

MSDS No.: 15-MSD- 24898-01-A

*** Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification ***

Product Name(s): Cultured Brick ®

Owens Corning
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Emergency Contacts:

Emergencies ONLY (after 5pm ET and weekends): 1-419-248-5330,
CHEMTREC (24 hours everyday): 1-800-424-9300,
CANUTEC (Canada - 24 hours everyday): 1-613-996-6666.

Health and Technical Contacts:

Health Issues Information (8am-5pm ET): 1-419-248-8234,
Technical Product Information (8am-5pm ET): 1-800-GET-PINK.

*** Section 2 - Composition / Information on Ingredients ***

CAS #	Component	Percent by Wt.
14808-60-7	Quartz	38-39
Not Available	Non-hazardous ingredients	30-45
1332-09-8	Pumice	10-11
1309-37-1	Iron oxide	0-8

Component Related Regulatory Information

This product may be regulated, have exposure limits or other information identified as the following: Silica, crystalline (general form).

Component Information/Information on Non-Hazardous Components

As provided, this product is expected to produce minimal if any hazards. However, if dusts are generated, this product would be considered hazardous under 29 CFR 1910.1200 (Hazard Communication).

As provided, this material is in a cured form and the above listed components are not readily available, however if dusts are generated, these components may be present.

*** Section 3 - Hazards Identification ***

Appearance and Odor: Cured concrete product of various shapes, sizes and colors.

Emergency Overview

No unusual conditions are expected from this product. Inhalation of dusts produced during cutting, grinding or sanding of this product may cause irritation of the respiratory tract.



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Potential Health Effects

Inhalation:

Dusts of this product may cause irritation of the nose, throat, and respiratory tract. This product contains crystalline silica. Prolonged and repeated inhalation of respirable crystalline silica can cause silicosis, a chronic lung disease characterized by fibrosis and scarring of the lung tissue resulting in a decrease in lung function, breathlessness, wheezing, coughing and sputum production. Short term overexposures to extremely high concentrations of respirable crystalline silica can produce acute silicosis. Acute silicosis is a disease that can rapidly progress within months of initial overexposure and reportedly has caused death within 1 to 2 years.

Skin Contact:

Dust from this product may cause itching and short term irritation.

Eye Contact:

Dust from this product may cause slight irritation to the eyes including redness, tearing and blurred vision.

Ingestion:

Ingestion of this product is unlikely. However, ingestion of product may produce gastrointestinal irritation and disturbances.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure:

Chronic respiratory or skin conditions may temporarily worsen from exposure to dust from this product.

* * * Section 4 - First Aid Measures * * *

Inhalation:

If inhaled, immediately remove the affected person to fresh air. If irritation persists get medical attention.

Skin Contact:

For skin contact, wash immediately with soap and water. If irritation persists get medical attention.

Eye Contact:

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists get medical attention.

Ingestion:

Ingestion of this material is unlikely. If it does occur, watch the person for several days to make sure that partial or complete intestinal obstruction does not occur. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel.

* * * Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures * * *

Flash Point: None
Upper Flammability Limit: Not applicable
Flammability Classification: Non-flammable

Flash Point Method: Not applicable
Lower Flammability Limit: Not applicable
Auto Ignition Temp.: Not applicable

Extinguishing Media:

Use any extinguishing media appropriate for the surrounding fires.

Unusual Fire & Explosion Hazards:

None identified.



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Fire-Fighting Instructions:

Use self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and full bunker turnout gear in a sustained fire. Wear protective clothing ensemble as defined in NFPA 1500 (1997, or as updated).

Hazardous Combustion Products:

None.

*** Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures ***

Containment Procedures:

Scoop up material and put into a suitable container for disposal as a non-hazardous waste. Dust from cutting or drilling this material will settle out of the air. If concentrated on land, it can then be scooped up for disposal as a non-hazardous waste.

Clean-Up Procedures:

Sweep up or gather material and place in appropriate container for disposal. Wash spill area thoroughly. Wear appropriate protective equipment during cleanup. Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up.

Response Procedures:

Isolate area. Keep unnecessary personnel away.

Special Procedures:

None.

*** Section 7 - Handling and Storage ***

Handling Procedures:

No special procedures are required for this material. Avoid breathing dusts from this material. Avoid dust contact with eyes and skin. Minimize generation of dusts.

Storage Procedures:

No special procedures are required for this material.

*** Section 8 - Exposure Controls / Personal Protection ***

Exposure Guidelines:

A: General Product Information

Follow all applicable exposure limits if dusts are generated.

B: Component Exposure Limits

ACGIH and OSHA exposure limit lists have been checked for those components with CAS registry numbers.

Quartz (14808-60-7)

ACGIH: 0.05 mg/m³ TWA (this TLV is for the respirable fraction of dust)

OSHA: respirable dust: 0.1 mg/m³ TWA

Iron oxide (1309-37-1)

ACGIH: 5 mg/m³ TWA (welding fumes, dust, total particulate as Fe)

OSHA: fume: 10 mg/m³ TWA



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Ventilation:

General dilution ventilation and/or local exhaust ventilation should be provided as necessary to maintain exposures below occupational exposure limits. Dust collection systems may be necessary in some operations.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Respiratory Protection:

A properly fitted NIOSH approved disposable N 95 series dust respirator such as the 3M model 8210 (formerly 8710) or model 8271 (formerly 9900) in high humidity environments or equivalent should be used under the following conditions: 1) any dust environment; 2) when mechanically altering product (mechanical transfer, crushing, grinding, milling or other similar dust generating process). Use respiratory protection in accordance with your company's respiratory protection program, local regulations and OSHA regulations under 29 CFR 1910.134.

Skin Protection:

Wear leather or other appropriate work gloves, if necessary for type of operation.

Eyes/Face Protective Equipment:

Wear safety glasses with side shields.

* * * Section 9 - Physical & Chemical Properties * * *

<p>Appearance: Cured concrete product of various shapes, sizes and colors</p> <p>Physical State: Solid</p> <p>Vapor Pressure (mm Hg @ 20 C): Not applicable</p> <p>Boiling Point: Not applicable</p> <p>Specific Gravity (Water=1): Not applicable</p> <p>Evaporation Rate (n-Butyl Acetate=1): Not applicable</p>	<p>Odor: Not applicable</p> <p>pH: Not applicable</p> <p>Vapor Density (Air=1): Not applicable</p> <p>Solubility (H2O): Not applicable</p> <p>Freezing Point: Not applicable</p> <p>Viscosity: Not applicable</p>
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Physical Properties: Additional Information

No additional information available.

* * * Section 10 - Chemical Stability & Reactivity Information * * *

Stability:

This is a stable material.

Conditions to Avoid:

Avoid dispersion of dust in air.

Incompatible Materials:

None expected.

Hazardous Decomposition Products:

None identified.

Hazardous Polymerization:

Will not occur.



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*** Section 11 - Toxicological Information ***

Acute and Chronic Toxicity:

A: General Product Information

Dusts from cutting and drilling may cause mechanical irritation to eyes and skin. Ingestion may cause transient irritation of throat, stomach and gastrointestinal tract. Inhalation may cause coughing, nose and throat irritation, and sneezing. Higher exposures may cause difficulty breathing, congestion, and chest tightness.

B: Component Analysis - LD50/LC50

No LD50/LC50's are available for this product's components.

Carcinogenicity:

A: General Product Information

CRYSTALLINE SILICA: The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) recently reviewed existing epidemiological data and concluded that crystalline silica inhaled in the form of quartz from occupational sources is known human carcinogen (Group 1). In making the assessment, the IARC noted that carcinogenicity was not detected in all industrial circumstances studied. However, IARC reported that a majority of studies indicated an elevated mortality for lung cancer among silica-exposed workers. IARC noted that increased rates of lung cancer were reported among some workers in ore-mines, quarries, foundries, ceramics, granite and stone cutting industries. The workers in some of these occupational studies were exposed to other potential respiratory carcinogens such as arsenic, radon, diesel exhaust, polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons or cadmium. The IARC reviewed animal studies and concluded that there is sufficient evidence in experimental animals for the carcinogenicity of quartz.

Silica-crystalline quartz has resulted in liver, blood, and lung tumors in rats by inhalation, intraperitoneal and intravenous injection, intratracheal and intrapleural administration.

B: Component Carcinogenicity

ACGIH, IARC, OSHA, and NTP carcinogen lists have been checked for those components with CAS registry numbers.

Quartz (14808-60-7)

ACGIH: A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen

NTP: Known Carcinogen (Select Carcinogen)

IARC: Monograph 68, 1997; (inhaled in the form of quartz or cristobalite from occupational sources) (Group 1 (carcinogenic to humans))

Iron oxide (1309-37-1)

ACGIH: A4 - Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen (dust and fume, as Fe)

IARC: Supplement 7, 1987; Monograph 1, 1972 (Group 3 (not classifiable))

*** Section 12 - Ecological Information ***

Ecotoxicity:

No data available for this product.

Environmental Fate:

No data available for this product.



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*** Section 13 - Disposal Considerations ***

US EPA Waste Number & Descriptions:

A: General Product Information

No components are identified as hazardous wastes.

B: Component Waste Numbers

No EPA Waste Numbers are applicable for this product's components.

Disposal Instructions:

Consult appropriate authorities before disposing of this material.

*** Section 14 - Transportation Information ***

US DOT Information

Shipping Name: Not regulated for transport.

Hazard Class: None

UN/NA #: None

Packing Group: None

Required Label(s): None

Additional Info.: None

TDG Information

Shipping Name: Not regulated for transport.

Hazard Class: None

UN/NA #: None

Packing Group: None

Required Label(s): None

Additional Info.: None

Additional Transportation Regulations:

No additional information available.

*** Section 15 - Regulatory Information ***

US Federal Regulations:

A: General Product Information

No information available for the product.

B: Component Analysis

None of this products components are listed under SARA Section 302 (40 CFR 355 Appendix A), SARA Section 313 (40 CFR 372.65), or CERCLA (40 CFR 302.4).

SARA 311/312

Acute Health Hazard: Yes (If dusts generated)

Chronic Health Hazard: Yes (If dusts generated)

Fire Hazard: No

Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard: No

Reactive Hazard: No

C: Clean Air Act

None of this product's components are listed on the Clean Air Act-1990 Hazardous Air Pollutants List.



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State Regulations:

A: General Product Information

No additional information available.

B: Component Analysis - State

The following components appear on one or more of the following state hazardous substances lists:

Component	CAS #	CA	FL	MA	MN	NJ	PA
Quartz	14808-60-7	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Iron oxide	1309-37-1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

The following statement(s) are provided under the California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65):

WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer.

Other Regulations:

A: General Product Information

No additional information available.

B: Component Analysis - Inventory

Component	CAS #	TSCA	DSL	EINECS
Quartz	14808-60-7	Yes	Yes	Yes
Pumice	1332-09-8	Yes	Yes	No
Iron oxide	1309-37-1	Yes	Yes	Yes

C: Component Analysis - WHMIS IDL

The following components are identified under the Canadian Hazardous Products Act Ingredient Disclosure List:

Component	CAS #	
Quartz	14808-60-7	1% item 1406 (1491)
Iron oxide	1309-37-1	1% item 762 (1327)

WHMIS Status: Controlled

WHMIS Classification: D2A- Carcinogenicity (If dusts generated)

D2B- Irritation (If dusts generated)

* * * Section 16 - Other Information * * *

HMIS and NFPA Hazard Ratings:	Category	HMIS	NFPA
	Health	1*	1
	Flammability	0	0
	Reactivity	0	0

NFPA Unusual Hazards None

HMIS Personal Protection To be supplied by user depending upon use.



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Key/Legend:

EPA = Environmental Protection Agency; TSCA = Toxic Substance Control Act; ACGIH = American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists; IARC = International Agency for Research on Cancer; NIOSH = National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; NTP = National Toxicology Program; OSHA = Occupational Safety and Health Administration, NFPA = National Fire Protection Association; HMIS = Hazardous Material Identification System; CERCLA = Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act; SARA = Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; DSL = Canadian Domestic Substance List; EINECS = European Inventory of New and Existing Chemical Substances; WHMIS = Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System; CAA = Clean Air Act

Revision Summary:

This is a revised MSDS which replaces the MSDS issued by Stucco Stone Products on 4/6/1989. Read this information carefully.

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