



Soil

Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION

1.1. Product Identifier

Product Form: Mixture

Product Name: Soil

Note: This SDS covers many types of soil. Individual composition of hazardous constituents will vary between soil types.

1.2. Intended Use of the Product

Soil is used for landscaping, domestic gardening, reclamation and other construction applications. Soil is distributed in bags, totes, and bulk shipment.

1.3. Name, Address, and Telephone of the Responsible Party

Company

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Calgary, AB T2C 5G9

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Website: www.lafarge.ca

1.4. Emergency Telephone Number

Emergency Number : Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300 (24 hours)

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1. Classification of the Substance or Mixture

GHS-US/CA Classification

Not classified

2.2. Label Elements

GHS-US/CA Labeling

No labeling applicable

2.3. Other Hazards

This product contains crystalline silica, which naturally varies depending on the composition of the soil. Clay, decomposed matter, and moisture likely prevent crystalline silica from becoming respirable. If crystalline silica dust is released into the air, repeated exposure to dust may cause lung damage in the form of silicosis, lung cancer, or respiratory irritation. Symptoms will include progressively more difficult breathing, cough, fever, and weight loss.

2.4. Unknown Acute Toxicity (GHS-US/CA)

No data available

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.2. Mixture

| Name | Product Identifier | % * | GHS Ingredient Classification |
|--------|----------------------|-----|--|
| Quartz | (CAS-No.) 14808-60-7 | < 1 | Carc. 1A, H350 STOT SE 3, H335 STOT RE 1, H372 |

Full text of H-phrases: see Section 16.

*Percentages are listed in weight by weight percentage (w/w%) for liquid and solid ingredients. Gas ingredients are listed in volume by volume percentage (v/v%).

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SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1. Description of First-aid Measures

General: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label if possible).

Inhalation: Move person to fresh air. Seek medical attention for discomfort or if coughing or other symptoms do not subside.

Skin Contact: Do not rub. Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 5 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Eye Contact: Rinse cautiously with water for at least 5 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Obtain medical attention.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth. Call a poison center/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

4.2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects Both Acute and Delayed

General: None expected under normal conditions of use.

Inhalation: This product contains trace amounts of crystalline silica. Prolonged or repeated inhalation of respirable crystalline silica from this product can cause silicosis, a seriously disabling and fatal lung disease.

Skin Contact: Skin contact with large amounts of dust may cause mechanical irritation.

Eye Contact: Prolonged contact with large amounts of dust may cause mechanical irritation.

Ingestion: Ingestion is likely to be harmful or have adverse effects.

Chronic Symptoms: If dust is generated, repeated exposure through inhalation may cause cancer or lung disease.

4.3. Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

If exposed or concerned, get medical advice and attention. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1. Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

5.2. Special Hazards Arising From the Substance or Mixture

Fire Hazard: Not flammable.

Explosion Hazard: Product is not explosive.

Reactivity: Hazardous reactions are not expected to occur under normal conditions.

5.3. Advice for Firefighters

Precautionary Measures Fire: Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.

Protection During Firefighting: Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

Hazardous Combustion Products: None known.

Reference to Other Sections

Refer to Section 9 for flammability properties.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1. Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

General Measures: Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

6.1.1. For Non-Emergency Personnel

Protective Equipment: Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE). Not required for normal conditions of use.

Emergency Procedures: Evacuate unnecessary personnel. Collect as any solid. Do not breathe dust.

6.1.2. For Emergency Personnel

Protective Equipment: Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

Emergency Procedures: Ventilate area.

6.2. Environmental Precautions

None.

6.3. Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

For Containment: Place spilled material into a container. Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin.

6.4. Reference to Other Sections

See Section 8, Exposure Controls and Personal Protection. For further information refer to Section 13.

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SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1. Precautions for Safe Handling

Additional Hazards When Processed: This product contains crystalline silica, which naturally varies depending on the composition of the soil. Clay, decomposed matter, and moisture likely prevent crystalline silica from becoming respirable. If crystalline silica dust is released into the air, repeated exposure to dust may cause lung damage in the form of silicosis, lung cancer, or respiratory irritation. Symptoms will include progressively more difficult breathing, cough, fever, and weight loss.

Hygiene Measures: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, or smoking and again when leaving work.

7.2. Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities

Technical Measures: Ensure adequate ventilation.

Storage Conditions: Store in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container closed when not in use. Keep/Store away from incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials: Dissolves in hydrofluoric acid, producing corrosive silicon tetrafluoride gas. Silicates react with powerful oxidizers such as fluorine, boron trifluoride, chlorine trifluoride, manganese trifluoride, and oxygen difluoride.

7.3. Specific End Use(s)

Soil is used for landscaping, domestic gardening, reclamation and other construction applications. Soil is distributed in bags, totes, and bulk shipment.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1. Control Parameters

For substances listed in Section 3 that are not listed here, there are no established Exposure limits from the manufacturer, supplier, importer, or the appropriate advisory agency including: ACGIH (TLV), AIHA (WEEL), NIOSH (REL), OSHA (PEL), Canadian provincial governments, or the Mexican government.

| Quartz (14808-60-7) | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|
| Mexico | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 0.1 mg/m ³ (respirable fraction) |
| USA ACGIH | ACGIH TWA (mg/m ³) | 0.025 mg/m ³ (respirable particulate matter) |
| USA ACGIH | ACGIH chemical category | A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen |
| USA OSHA | OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m ³) | 50 µg/m ³ |
| USA NIOSH | NIOSH REL (TWA) (mg/m ³) | 0.05 mg/m ³ (respirable dust) |
| USA IDLH | US IDLH (mg/m ³) | 50 mg/m ³ (respirable dust) |
| Alberta | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 0.025 mg/m ³ (respirable particulate) |
| British Columbia | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 0.025 mg/m ³ (respirable) |
| Manitoba | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 0.025 mg/m ³ (respirable particulate matter) |
| New Brunswick | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 0.1 mg/m ³ (respirable fraction) |
| Newfoundland & Labrador | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 0.025 mg/m ³ (respirable particulate matter) |
| Nova Scotia | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 0.025 mg/m ³ (respirable particulate matter) |
| Nunavut | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 0.05 mg/m ³ (respirable fraction) |
| Northwest Territories | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 0.05 mg/m ³ (respirable fraction) |
| Ontario | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 0.1 mg/m ³ (designated substances regulation-respirable) |
| Prince Edward Island | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 0.025 mg/m ³ (respirable particulate matter) |
| Québec | VEMP (mg/m ³) | 0.1 mg/m ³ (respirable dust) |
| Saskatchewan | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 0.05 mg/m ³ (respirable fraction) |
| Yukon | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 300 particle/mL |
| Particulates not otherwise classified (PNOC) (Not applicable) | | |
| USA ACGIH | ACGIH TWA (mg/m ³) | 3 mg/m ³ Respirable fraction 10 mg/m ³ Total Dust |
| USA OSHA | OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m ³) | 5 mg/m ³ Respirable fraction 15 mg/m ³ Total Dust |
| Alberta | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 10 mg/m ³ (total) 3 mg/m ³ (respirable) |
| British Columbia | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 10 mg/m ³ (nuisance dust-total dust) 3 mg/m ³ (nuisance dust-respirable fraction) |

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| Manitoba | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 10 mg/m ³ (inhalable particles, recommended) 3 mg/m ³ (respirable particles, recommended) |
| New Brunswick | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 3 mg/m ³ (particulate matter containing no Asbestos and <1% Crystalline silica, respirable fraction) 10 mg/m ³ (particulate matter containing no Asbestos and <1% Crystalline silica, inhalable fraction) |
| Newfoundland & Labrador | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 10 mg/m ³ (inhalable particles, recommended) 3 mg/m ³ (respirable particles, recommended) |
| Nova Scotia | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 10 mg/m ³ (inhalable particles, recommended) 3 mg/m ³ (respirable particles, recommended) |
| Nunavut | OEL STEL (mg/m ³) | 20 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-inhalable fraction) 6 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-respirable fraction) |
| Nunavut | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 10 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-inhalable fraction) 3 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-respirable fraction) |
| Northwest Territories | OEL STEL (mg/m ³) | 20 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-inhalable fraction) 6 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-respirable fraction) |
| Northwest Territories | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 10 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-inhalable fraction) 3 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-respirable fraction) |
| Ontario | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 10 mg/m ³ (inhalable) 3 mg/m ³ (respirable) |
| Prince Edward Island | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 10 mg/m ³ (inhalable particles, recommended) 3 mg/m ³ (respirable particles, recommended) |
| Québec | VEMP (mg/m ³) | 10 mg/m ³ (including dust, inert or nuisance particulates-total dust) |
| Saskatchewan | OEL STEL (mg/m ³) | 20 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-inhalable fraction) 6 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-respirable fraction) |
| Saskatchewan | OEL TWA (mg/m ³) | 10 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-inhalable fraction) 3 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-respirable fraction) |

8.2. Exposure Controls

Appropriate Engineering Controls: Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Use local exhaust or general dilution ventilation or other suppression methods to maintain dust levels below exposure limits. Power equipment should be equipped with proper dust collection devices. Not generally required. Site-specific risk assessments should be conducted to determine the appropriate exposure control measures. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits.

Personal Protective Equipment: Not generally required. The use of personal protective equipment may be necessary as conditions warrant. Safety glasses. Gloves. Dust formation: dust mask.



Materials for Protective Clothing: Wear suitable protective clothing.

Hand Protection: Protective Gloves.

Eye and Face Protection: Safety glasses.

Skin and Body Protection: Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory Protection: If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, approved respiratory protection should be worn.

Consumer Exposure Controls: Do not eat, drink or smoke during use

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1. Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

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| Physical State | : Solid |
| Appearance | : Not available |
| Odor | : Not available |
| Odor Threshold | : Not available |

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| pH | : Not available |
| Evaporation Rate | : Not available |
| Melting Point | : Not available |
| Freezing Point | : Not available |
| Boiling Point | : Not available |
| Flash Point | : Not available |
| Auto-ignition Temperature | : Not available |
| Decomposition Temperature | : Not available |
| Flammability (solid, gas) | : Not available |
| Lower Flammable Limit | : Not available |
| Upper Flammable Limit | : Not available |
| Vapor Pressure | : Not available |
| Relative Vapor Density at 20°C | : Not available |
| Relative Density | : Not available |
| Specific Gravity | : Not available |
| Solubility | : Not available |
| Partition Coefficient: N-Octanol/Water | : Not available |
| Viscosity | : Not available |

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

- 10.1. Reactivity:** Hazardous reactions are not expected to occur under normal conditions.
- 10.2. Chemical Stability:** The product is stable at normal handling and storage conditions.
- 10.3. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:** Hazardous polymerization will not occur.
- 10.4. Conditions to Avoid:** Excessive moisture.
- 10.5. Incompatible Materials:** Dissolves in hydrofluoric acid, producing corrosive silicon tetrafluoride gas. Silicates react with powerful oxidizers such as fluorine, boron trifluoride, chlorine trifluoride, manganese trifluoride, and oxygen difluoride.
- 10.6. Hazardous Decomposition Products:** None expected under normal conditions of use.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1. Information on Toxicological Effects - Product

Acute Toxicity (Oral): Not classified

Acute Toxicity (Dermal): Not classified

Acute Toxicity (Inhalation): Not classified

LD50 and LC50 Data: Not available

Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Not classified

Eye Damage/Irritation: Not classified

Respiratory or Skin Sensitization: Not classified

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Not classified

Carcinogenicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure): Not classified

Reproductive Toxicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure): Not classified

Aspiration Hazard: Not classified

Symptoms/Injuries After Inhalation: This product contains trace amounts of crystalline silica. Prolonged or repeated inhalation of respirable crystalline silica from this product can cause silicosis, a seriously disabling and fatal lung disease.

Symptoms/Injuries After Skin Contact: Skin contact with large amounts of dust may cause mechanical irritation.

Symptoms/Injuries After Eye Contact: Prolonged contact with large amounts of dust may cause mechanical irritation.

Symptoms/Injuries After Ingestion: Ingestion is likely to be harmful or have adverse effects.

Chronic Symptoms: Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. If dust is generated, repeated exposure through inhalation may cause cancer or lung disease.

11.2. Information on Toxicological Effects - Ingredient(s)

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LD50 and LC50 Data:

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| Quartz (14808-60-7) | |
| LD50 Oral Rat | > 5000 mg/kg |
| LD50 Dermal Rat | > 5000 mg/kg |
| Quartz (14808-60-7) | |
| IARC Group | 1 |
| National Toxicology Program (NTP) Status | Known Human Carcinogens. |
| OSHA Hazard Communication Carcinogen List | In OSHA Hazard Communication Carcinogen list. |

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1. Toxicity

No additional information available

12.2. Persistence and Degradability

Not available

12.3. Bioaccumulative Potential

Not available

12.4. Mobility in Soil

Not available

12.5. Other Adverse Effects

Not available

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste Disposal Recommendations: Dispose of waste material in accordance with all local, regional, national, provincial, territorial and international regulations.

Additional Information: If discarded in its purchased form, this product would not be a hazardous waste either by listing or characteristic. However, under RCRA, it is the responsibility of the product user to determine at the time of disposal, whether a material containing the product or derived from the product should be classified as a hazardous waste.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The shipping description(s) stated herein were prepared in accordance with certain assumptions at the time the SDS was authored, and can vary based on a number of variables that may or may not have been known at the time the SDS was issued.

14.1. In Accordance with DOT Not regulated for transport

14.2. In Accordance with IMDG Not regulated for transport

14.3. In Accordance with IATA Not regulated for transport

14.4. In Accordance with TDG Not regulated for transport

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1. US Federal Regulations

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| Quartz (14808-60-7) |
| Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory |

15.2. US State Regulations

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| Quartz (14808-60-7) | |
| U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List | WARNING: This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer. |

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| Quartz (14808-60-7) |
| U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List |
| U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List |
| U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List |

15.3. Canadian Regulations

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| Quartz (14808-60-7) |
| Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) |

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SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OR LAST REVISION

Date of Preparation or Latest : 08/02/2018

Revision

Other Information : This document has been prepared in accordance with the SDS requirements of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200 and Canada's Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) SOR/2015-17.

GHS Full Text Phrases:

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| 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 |
| H335 | May cause respiratory irritation |
| H350 | May cause cancer |
| H372 | Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure |

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