

**Section 1 Chemical Product and Company Information****HOME SCIENCE TOOLS**

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<b>Product</b>	ALUMINUM POTASSIUM SULFATE
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<b>Synonyms</b>	Potassium Alum / Alum
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**Section 2 Hazards Identification**

This substance or mixture has not been classified as hazardous according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS) of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals.

**Signal word:** WARNING

**Pictograms:** GHS07

**Target organs:** Liver, Kidneys

**GHS Classification:**

Acute toxicity, oral (Category 4)

Skin irritation (Category 2)

Eye irritation (Category 2B)

**GHS Label information: Hazard statement:**

H302: Harmful if swallowed.

H315+H320: Causes skin and eye irritation.

**Precautionary statement:**

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P301+P330+P312: IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

P302+P352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap.

P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P332+P313: If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention.

P337+P313: If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.

P362+P364: Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

P501: Dispose of contents/container to a licensed chemical disposal agency in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

Ca Prop 65 - This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

**Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients**

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Aluminum potassium sulfate	7784-24-9	100%	233-141-3

**Section 4 First Aid Measures**

**INGESTION:** HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**INHALATION:** MAY BE HARMFUL IF INHALED. CAUSES RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

**EYE CONTACT:** CAUSES EYE IRRITATION. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

**SKIN ABSORPTION:** CAUSES SKIN IRRITATION. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

**Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures**

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol foam.

**Protective Actions for Fire-fighters:** In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

**Specific Hazards:** Fire or excessive heat above 760°C (1400°F), may produce hazardous decomposition products of toxic and corrosive gases, Sulfur trioxide and Aluminum oxide. Sulfur trioxide is an oxidizing agent which supports combustion and will react with water to form Sulfuric acid.

**Section 6 Accidental Release Measures**

**Personal Precautions:** Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

**Containment and Cleanup:** Sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

**Section 7 Handling & Storage**

**Precautions for Safe Handling:** Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale dusts. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

**Conditions for Safe Storage:** Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

**Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Aluminum, metal and insoluble compounds	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable fraction

**Engineering controls:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

**Respiratory protection:** None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If dusty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

**Section 9 Physical & Chemical Properties**

<b>Appearance:</b> Solid. White crystals or powder. <b>Odor:</b> No odor. <b>Odor threshold:</b> Data not available. <b>pH:</b> 3.5 (1% solution) <b>Melting / Freezing point:</b> Loses H <sub>2</sub> O at 93°C (199°F) <b>Boiling point:</b> Data not available <b>Flash point:</b> Data not available	<b>Evaporation rate ( = 1):</b> Data not available <b>Flammability (solid/gas):</b> Data not available. <b>Explosion limits: Lower / Upper:</b> Data not available <b>Vapor pressure (mm Hg):</b> Data not available <b>Vapor density (Air = 1):</b> Data not available <b>Relative density (Specific gravity):</b> 1.97 <b>Solubility(ies):</b> Moderately soluble in water.	<b>Partition coefficient:</b> Data not available <b>Auto-ignition temperature:</b> Data not available <b>Decomposition temperature:</b> Data not available <b>Viscosity:</b> Data not available. <b>Molecular formula:</b> AlK(SO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> •12H <sub>2</sub> O <b>Molecular weight:</b> 474.39
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**Section 10 Stability & Reactivity**

**Chemical stability:** Stable **Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.

**Conditions to avoid:** Excessive temperature and heat.

**Incompatible materials:** Aluminum, copper, steel, zinc, strong oxidizing agents.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Oxides of sulfur, aluminum oxide, oxides of potassium.

**Section 11 Toxicological Information**

**Acute toxicity:** Data not available

**Skin corrosion/irritation:** Data not available

**Serious eye damage/irritation:** Data not available

**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** Data not available

**Germ cell mutagenicity:** Data not available

**Carcinogenicity:** Data not available

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**Reproductive toxicity:** Data not available

**STOT-single exposure:** Data not available

**STOT-repeated exposure:** Data not available

**Aspiration hazard:** Data not available

**Potential health effects:**

Inhalation: Causes respiratory tract irritation. May be harmful if inhaled.

Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed. Ingestion of large amounts may cause gastrointestinal irritation.

Skin: Causes skin irritation. May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

Eyes: Causes eye irritation. May cause chemical conjunctivitis.

**Signs and symptoms of exposure:** To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

**Additional information:** RTECS #: WS5690000

**Section 12 Ecological Information**

**Toxicity to fish:** No data available

**Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates:** No data available

**Toxicity to algae:** No data available

**Persistence and degradability:** No data available

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No data available

**Mobility in soil:** No data available

**PBT and vPvB assessment:** No data available

**Other adverse effects:** An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

**Section 13 Disposal Considerations**

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

**Section 14 Transport Information**

**UN/NA number:** Not applicable

**Shipping name:** Not Regulated

**Hazard class:** Not applicable

**Packing group:** Not applicable

**Reportable Quantity:** No


**Marine pollutant:** No

**Exceptions:** Not applicable

**2012 ERG Guide #:** Not applicable

**Section 15 Regulatory Information**

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

Component	TSCA	CERCLA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	WHMIS Classification
Aluminum potassium sulfate (CAS # 10043-67-1)	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed	 D2B

**Section 16 Additional Information**

The information contained herein is furnished without warranty of any kind. Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them and must make independent determinations of suitability and completeness of information from all sources to assure proper use of these materials and the safety and health of employees. NTP: National Toxicology Program, IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer, OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration, STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity, SE: Single Exposure, RE: Repeated Exposure, ERG: Emergency Response Guidebook.

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<b>Product</b>	<b>MAGNESIUM SULFATE, HEPTAHYDRATE</b>
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<b>Synonyms</b>	Epsom Salts
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**Section 2 Hazards Identification**

**This substance or mixture has not been classified as hazardous according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS) of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals.**

**Signal word:** None

**Pictograms:** No symbol required

**Target organs:** None known

**GHS Classification:** Not classified

**GHS Label information: Hazard statement:** Not classified

**Precautionary statement:** Not classified

**Supplementary information:**

Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Get medical attention if you feel unwell.

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**Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients**

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Magnesium sulfate	10034-99-8	100%	231-298-2 (anhydrous)

**Section 4 First Aid Measures**

**INGESTION:** MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**INHALATION:** MAY BE HARMFUL IF INHALED. MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

**EYE CONTACT:** MAY CAUSE EYE IRRITATION. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

**SKIN ABSORPTION:** MAY BE HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. MAY CAUSE SKIN IRRITATION. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

**Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures**

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Use any media suitable for extinguishing supporting fire.

**Protective Actions for Fire-fighters:** In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

**Specific Hazards:** During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

**Section 6 Accidental Release Measures**

**Personal Precautions:** Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

**Containment and Cleanup:** Recover for reuse if not contaminated. Sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

**Precautions for Safe Handling:** Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale dusts. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

**Conditions for Safe Storage:** Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

## Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Magnesium sulfate	None established	None established	None established

**Engineering controls:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

**Respiratory protection:** None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If dusty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

## Section 9 Physical &amp; Chemical Properties

<b>Appearance:</b> Solid, White crystalline powder <b>Odor:</b> No odor. <b>Odor threshold:</b> Data not available. <b>pH:</b> Data not available. <b>Melting / Freezing point:</b> Data not available <b>Boiling point:</b> Data not available <b>Flash point:</b> Data not available	<b>Evaporation rate ( = 1):</b> Data not available <b>Flammability (solid/gas):</b> Data not available. <b>Explosion limits: Lower / Upper:</b> Data not available <b>Vapor pressure (mm Hg):</b> Data not available <b>Vapor density (Air = 1):</b> Data not available <b>Relative density (Specific gravity):</b> 2.7 <b>Solubility(ies):</b> Appreciable in water.	<b>Partition coefficient:</b> Data not available <b>Auto-ignition temperature:</b> Data not available <b>Decomposition temperature:</b> Data not available <b>Viscosity:</b> Data not available. <b>Molecular formula:</b> MgSO <sub>4</sub> ·7H <sub>2</sub> O <b>Molecular weight:</b> 246.48
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## Section 10 Stability &amp; Reactivity

**Chemical stability:** Stable **Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.

**Conditions to avoid:** Excessive temperatures and heat. Protect from moisture.

**Incompatible materials:** None known.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Sulfur oxides.

## Section 11 Toxicological Information

**Acute toxicity:** Data not available

**Skin corrosion/irritation:** Data not available

**Serious eye damage/irritation:** Data not available

**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** Data not available

**Germ cell mutagenicity:** Data not available

**Carcinogenicity:** Data not available

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**Reproductive toxicity:** Data not available

**STOT-single exposure:** Data not available

**STOT-repeated exposure:** Data not available

**Aspiration hazard:** Data not available

**Potential health effects:**

Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation.

Ingestion: Ingestion may cause nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

Skin: Contact with skin may cause irritation.

Eyes: Contact with eyes may cause irritation.

**Signs and symptoms of exposure:** To the best of our knowledge the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Specific data is not available. Exercise appropriate procedures to minimize potential hazards.

**Additional information:** RTECS #: Data not available

## Section 12 Ecological Information

**Toxicity to fish:** Gambusia affinis (fish, fresh water), LC50: 15,500 mg/L/24 hours

**Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates:** Daphnia magna (Crustacea), EC50: 1,700 mg/L/24 hours

**Toxicity to algae:** Scenedesmus subspicatus (Algae), EC50: 2,700 mg/L/ 72 hours

**Persistence and degradability:** No data available

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No data available

**Mobility in soil:** No data available

**PBT and vPvB assessment:** No data available

**Other adverse effects:** An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

## Section 13 Disposal Considerations

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

## Section 14 Transport Information (US DOT / CANADA TDG)

**UN/NA number:** Not applicable

**Shipping name:** Not Regulated

**Hazard class:** Not applicable

**Packing group:** Not applicable

**Reportable Quantity:** No

**Marine pollutant:** No

**Exceptions:** Not applicable

**2012 ERG Guide #:** Not applicable

## Section 15 Regulatory Information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

Component	TSCA	CERLCA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	WHMIS Classification
Magnesium sulfate	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed	Uncontrolled product

## Section 16 Additional Information

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<b>Product</b>	GLYCERIN
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<b>Synonyms</b>	Glycerol
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**Section 2 Hazards Identification**

This substance or mixture has not been classified at this time according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS) of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals.

**Signal word:** Not classified  
**Pictograms:** Not classified  
**Target organs:** None known

**GHS Classification:**  
Not classified

**GHS Label information: Hazard statement(s):**  
Not classified

**Precautionary statement(s):**

Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Get medical attention if you feel unwell.

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**Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients**

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Glycerin	56-81-5	100%	200-289-5

**Section 4 First Aid Measures**

**INGESTION:** Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

**EYE CONTACT:** Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

**SKIN ABSORPTION:** Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

**Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures**

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** DO NOT USE WATER. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol foam.

**Protective Actions for Fire-fighters:** In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

**Specific Hazards:** During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

**Section 6 Accidental Release Measures**

**Personal Precautions:** Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

**Containment and Cleanup:** Remove all sources of ignition. Absorb with inert dry material, sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

**Section 7 Handling & Storage**

**Precautions for Safe Handling:** Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale vapors, spray or mist. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

**Conditions for Safe Storage:** Store in a cool, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Keep away from ignition sources.

**Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Glycerin	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (mist)	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirable fraction)	None established

**Engineering controls:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

**Respiratory protection:** None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If misty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

**Section 9 Physical & Chemical Properties**

**Appearance:** Clear, colorless liquid.

**Odor:** No odor.

**Odor threshold:** Data not available.

**pH:** Approximately 7.0

**Melting / Freezing point:** 18°C (64°F)

**Boiling point:** 290°C (554°F)

**Flash point:** 177°C (351°F) COC

**Evaporation rate ( Ether = 1):** >1

**Flammability (solid/gas):** Data not available.

**Explosion limits: Lower / Upper:** Data not available

**Vapor pressure (mm Hg):** 0.01 mbar @ 20°C

**Vapor density (Air = 1):** Data not available

**Relative density (Specific gravity):** 1.2607 (25/25°C)

**Solubility(ies):** Complete

**Partition coefficient:** 2.6 calculated

**Auto-ignition temperature:** 400°C (752°F)

**Decomposition temperature:** Data not available.

**Viscosity:** Data not available.

**Molecular formula:** HOCH<sub>2</sub>CHOHCH<sub>2</sub>OH

**Molecular weight:** 92.10

**Section 10 Stability & Reactivity**

**Chemical stability:** Stable

**Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.

**Conditions to avoid:** Excessive temperatures and heat. Absorbs moisture from the air.

**Incompatible materials:** Strong oxidizers.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Poisonous Acrolein fumes.

**Section 11 Toxicological Information**

**Acute toxicity:** Oral-rat LD50: 25,000 mg/kg

**Skin corrosion/irritation:** Dermal-rabbit - 18,700 mg/kg

**Serious eye damage/irritation:** Rabbit - practically non-irritating

**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** Data not available

**Germ cell mutagenicity:** Data not available

**Carcinogenicity:** Data not available

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OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**Reproductive toxicity:** Data not available

**STOT-single exposure:** Data not available

**STOT-repeated exposure:** Data not available

**Aspiration hazard:** Data not available

**Potential health effects:**

Inhalation: Inhalation of mist are irritating to the respiratory tract.

Ingestion: Ingestion is considered to be a very low hazard.

Skin: Skin contact shows no significant irritation. Not absorbed through the skin.

Eyes: May cause slight eye irritation.

**Signs and symptoms of exposure:** See Potential health effects above.

**Additional information:** RTECS #: MA8050000

**Section 12 Ecological Information**

**Toxicity to fish:** Low toxicity to aquatic organisms. LC50 (96 hour) fish >5,000 mg/l

**Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates:** EC50 (24 hour) Daphnia magna >10,000 mg/l

**Toxicity to algae:** No data available

**Persistence and degradability:** No data available

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No data available

**Mobility in soil:** No data available

**PBT and vPvB assessment:** No data available

**Other adverse effects:** An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

**Section 13 Disposal Considerations**

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**Section 14 Transport Information**

**UN/NA number:** Not applicable

**Shipping name:** Not Regulated

**Hazard class:** Not applicable

**Packing group:** Not applicable

**Reportable Quantity:** No

**Marine pollutant:** No

**Exceptions:** Not applicable

**2012 ERG Guide #** Not applicable

**Section 15 Regulatory Information**

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

Component	TSCA	CERCLA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	WHMIS Classification
Glycerin	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed	Uncontrolled product

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<b>Product</b>	<b>GS-PLASTER</b>
<b>Synonyms</b>	Plaster of Paris / Calcium Sulfate Hemihydrate

**Section 2 Hazards Identification**

**Signal word:** Not classified.  
**Pictograms:** GHS07/ GHS08  
**Target organs:** None known.



Ca Prop 65 - WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm.

**Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients**

Chemical Name	CAS Number	%
Calcium sulfate, hemihydrate	26499-65-0	>90%

**Section 4 First Aid Measures**

**SKIN:** Wash exposed area with mild soap and water. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.  
**EYES:** Flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower lids occasionally. Seek Medical Aid. **INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.  
**INGESTION:** Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

**Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures**

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Nonflammable, non-combustible solid. Use any media suitable for extinguishing supporting fire.  
**Special Fire Fighting Procedures:** Wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear.  
**Fire and Explosion Hazards:** When heated to decomposition (above 1400°F), emits toxic fumes of oxides of sulfur and calcium oxide as dust.

**Section 6 Accidental Release Measures**

**Personal Precautions:** Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.  
**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.  
**Containment and Cleanup:** Recover for use if not contaminated. Avoid creating excessive dust. Sweep up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

**Section 7 Handling and Storage**

**Precautions for Safe Handling:** Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale vapors, or dusts. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.  
**Conditions for Safe Storage:** Store in a cool dry place. Wash thoroughly after handling.

**Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**

**Threshold Limit Value:** NIOSH REL: TWA 10mg/m3 (total);  
 NIOSH REL TWA 5mg/m3 (respiratory)  
**Respiratory Protection:** None should be needed in normal conditions. If dusty conditions prevail, use a NIOSH/MSHA-approved dust mask.  
**Ventilation:** Local exhaust or Mechanical  
**Protective Gloves:** None required but recommended for repeated exposure.  
**Eye Protection:** Chemical safety goggles.  
**Other Protective Equipment:** Goggles, smock, apron, proper gloves, eyewash station, ventilation hood.

**Section 9 Physical & Chemical Properties**

<b>Physical State:</b> Solid	<b>Boiling Point:</b> N/A
<b>Appearance:</b> White powder	<b>Vapor pressure (mm Hg):</b> 0 mmHg
<b>Odor:</b> No odor	<b>Solubility in Water:</b> 0.3% at 77°
<b>Melting Point:</b> N/A	<b>Specific gravity:</b> 2.5

**Section 10 Stability & Reactivity**

**Chemical stability:** Stable

**Conditions to avoid:** Protect from moisture – sets to a hardened mass.

**Incompatible materials:** Acids. Strong oxidizers, bases.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** When heated to decomposition (above 1400°F), emits toxic fumes of oxides of sulfur and calcium oxide as dust.

**Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.

**Section 11 Toxicological Information**

**Effects of Overexposure:** May be harmful if swallowed. May cause irritation. Avoid breathing vapors, or dusts. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothes. Wash thoroughly after handling. Keep container closed.

**Section 12 Ecological Information**

No data available.

**Section 13 Disposal Considerations**

Follow local, state, and federal regulations.

**Section 14 Transport Information**

**D.O.T. Classification:** Not regulated.

**UN Number:** N/A

**Shipping Name:** Not regulated.

**Hazard Class:** N/A

**Packing Group:** N/A

**Marine Pollutant:** No

**Exceptions:** N/A

**Section 15 Regulatory Information**

No specific safety, health or environmental regulations.

**Section 16 Additional Information**

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## B2: Packaged Aggregates

**SAFETY DATA SHEET**  
(Complies with OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200)

### SECTION I: PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

The QUIKRETE® Companies  
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3490 Piedmont Road, Suite 1300  
Atlanta, GA 30305

Emergency Telephone Number  
(770) 216-9580  
Information Telephone Number  
(770) 216-9580

SDS B2  
Revision: May-15

**QUIKRETE® Product Name**  
Commercial Grade Sand

**Code #**  
Fine 1961  
Medium 1962  
Coarse 1963

**Product Use:** Silica aggregates for use in construction

### SECTION II - HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

**Hazard-determining components of labeling:** Silica

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Carcinogen – Category 1A  
Specific Target Organ Toxicity Single Exposure – Category 3  
Specific Target Organ Toxicity Repeat Exposure – Category 1  
Eye Irritant – Category 2B

#### 2.2a Signal word DANGER!

#### 2.2b Hazard Statements

May cause cancer through chronic inhalation  
May cause respiratory irritation  
Causes damage to lungs through prolonged or repeated inhalation  
Causes eye irritation if particles or dust get in eye

Industrial hygiene experts have studied long-term daily use of silica sands in sand-blasting and other occupations generating extreme volumes of dust. They have determined that long term, daily exposure to high concentrations of blasting sand dust causes damage to the lungs, may cause

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silicosis, and may cause cancer. **Do not use for sand blasting.** There are extensive OSHA precautions required for sand blasting.

### 2.2c Pictograms



### 2.2d Precautionary statements

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
Wear protective gloves, eye protection, and protective clothing.  
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
Wash thoroughly after handling.  
Use only in a well-ventilated area.  
Do not breathe dust.

If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

**Immediately seek medical advice or attention if symptoms are significant or persist.**

Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with all regulations.

### 2.3 Additional Information

**2.3a HNOG – Hazards not otherwise classified:** Not applicable

**2.3b Unknown Acute Toxicity:** None

#### 2.3c WHMIS Classification

Class D2A – Chronic Toxic Effects – Carcinogen

Class D2B – Eye Irritant

### 2.3d Label Elements According To WHMIS

#### Hazard Symbols



**Signal Word**

DANGER!

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**SECTION III - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS/IDENTITY INFORMATION**

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<u>Hazardous Components</u>	<u>CAS No.</u>	<u>% by Weight</u>
Sand, Silica, Quartz	14808-60-7	100

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**SECTION IV – FIRST AID MEASURES**

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**4.1 Description of the first-aid measures****General information:****After inhalation:** Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.**After skin contact:** Rinse skin with water.**After eye contact:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.**After swallowing:** If conscious, have the victim drink plenty of water and call a physician immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.**4.2 Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed****Inhalation:** May cause respiratory tract irritation. Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated inhalation. This product contains crystalline silica. Prolonged or repeated inhalation of respirable silica from this product can cause silicosis.**Skin contact:** Causes mechanical skin irritation.**Eye Contact:** Causes eye irritation if particles or dust get in eye.**Ingestion:** Ingestion of large quantities may cause discomfort and/or distress, nausea or vomiting.**4.3 Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:**

Immediately seek medical advice or attention if symptoms are significant or persist.

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**SECTION V - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

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**5.1 Flammability of the Product:** Non-flammable and non-combustible**5.2 Suitable extinguishing agents:** Treat for surrounding material**5.3 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:** None**5.3a Products of Combustion:** None**5.3b Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:** Non-explosive in presence of shocks

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**SECTION VI – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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**6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:** Wear personal protective equipment (See section VIII). Keep unprotected persons away.

**6.2 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**

Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water. Dispose of unwanted materials and containers properly in accordance with all regulations.

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**SECTION VII - PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING AND STORAGE**

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**7.1 Handling**

**Precautions for safe handling: Do not use for sand blasting.** There are extensive OSHA precautions required for sand blasting. Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace. DO NOT BREATHE DUST. In dusty environments, the use of an OSHA, MSHA or NIOSH approved respirator and tight fitting goggles is recommended. Wear appropriate PPE (See section 8). Do not mix with other chemical products, except as indicated by the manufacturer. Do not get in eyes, on skin or clothing. Good housekeeping is important to prevent accumulation of dust.

**7.2 Storage**

**Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.

**Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.

**Further information about storage conditions:** Keep out of the reach of children.

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**SECTION VIII – EXPOSURE CONTROL MEASURES / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

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**8.1 Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

Hazardous Components	CAS No.	PEL (OSHA) mg/M <sup>3</sup>	TLV (ACGIH) mg/M <sup>3</sup>
Silica Sand, crystalline	14808-60-7	0.1	0.025 (resp)

**8.2 Exposure Controls**

Use ventilation adequate to keep exposures below recommended exposure limits.

**8.3 General protective and hygienic measures**

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed. Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work. Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

**8.3a Personal protective equipment**

**Protection of hands:**

Wear gloves of adequate length to offer appropriate skin protection from incidental contact. General duty work gloves have been found to offer adequate protection for most intended uses.

**Eye protection:**

Wear approved eye protection properly fitted dust- proof chemical safety glasses.

**Respiratory protection:**

A NIOSH-approved dust mask or filtering face piece is recommended in poorly ventilated areas or when permissible exposure limits may be exceeded. Respirators should be selected by and used under the direction of a trained health and safety professional, following requirements found in OSHA's respirator standard (29 CFR 1910.134) and ANSI's standard for respiratory protection (Z88.2).

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**SECTION IX - PHYSICAL/CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

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**General Information**

<b>Appearance</b>	Form: Granular Solid Color: Varies Odor: None
<b>pH-value at 20°C (68 °F):</b>	Not applicable
<b>Boiling point/Boiling range:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Flash point:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Auto igniting:</b>	Product is not self-igniting
<b>Vapor pressure at 21°C (70°F)</b>	Not applicable
<b>Density at 25°C (77 °F):</b>	2.5-2.8

**Solubility in / Miscibility with**

<b>Water:</b>	Insoluble
<b>VOC content:</b>	0 g/L VOC

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**SECTION X – STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

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**10.1 Reactivity**

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

**10.2 Chemical stability**

Stable under normal storage conditions. Keep in dry storage.

**10.3 Possibility of hazardous reaction**

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

**10.4 Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided**

No decomposition if used according to specifications.

**10.5 Incompatible materials**

Contact of silica with powerful oxidizing agents such as fluorine, chlorine trifluoride, manganese trioxide, or oxygen difluoride may cause fires

**10.6 Hazardous Decomposition or By-products**

Silica will dissolve in Hydrofluoric Acid and produce a corrosive gas – silicon tetrafluoride.

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**SECTION XI – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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**11.1 Exposure Routes:** Inhalation, skin contact, eye contact, or ingestion.

**11.2 Symptoms related to physical/chemical/toxicological characteristics:**

**Inhalation:** May cause respiratory tract irritation. Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. This product contains crystalline silica. Prolonged or repeated inhalation of respirable silica from this product can cause silicosis.

**Skin contact:** May cause mechanical skin irritation.

**Eye Contact:** Causes eye irritation if particles or dust gets in eye.

**Ingestion:** Ingestion of large quantities may cause discomfort and/or distress.

**11.3 Delayed, immediate and chronic effects of short-term and long-term exposure**

**Short Term**

Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Not applicable

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation: Causes eye irritation if particles or dust gets in eye

Respiratory Sensitization: Not applicable

Skin Sensitization: Not applicable

Specific Target Organ Toxicity-Single Exposure: (Category 3) May cause respiratory irritation

Aspiration Hazard: Not applicable

**Long Term**

Carcinogenicity: May cause cancer through chronic inhalation.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Not applicable

Reproductive Toxicity: Not applicable

Specific Target Organ Toxicity- Repeated Exposure: (Category 1) Causes damage to lungs through prolonged/repeated exposure

Synergistic/Antagonistic Effects: Not applicable

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**SECTION XII – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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**12.1 Ecotoxicity**

No further relevant information available.

**12.2 Persistence and degradability**

No further relevant information available.

**12.3 Bioaccumulative potential:**

No further relevant information available.

**12.4 Mobility in soil**

No further relevant information available.

**12.5 Other Adverse Effects**

No further relevant information available.

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**SECTION XIII – DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

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### 13.1 Waste Disposal Method

The packaging and material may be land filled; however, material should be covered to minimize generation of airborne dust. This product is not classified as a hazardous waste under the authority of the RCRA (40CFR 261) or CERCLA (40CFR 117&302). Disposal must be made in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

### 13.2 Other disposal considerations

#### Uncleaned packaging

**Recommendation:** Disposal must be made in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

**Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

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## SECTION XIV – TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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	<b>DOT (U.S.)</b>	<b>TDG (Canada)</b>
<b>UN-Number</b>	Not Regulated	Not Regulated
<b>UN proper shipping name</b>	Not Regulated	Not Regulated
<b>Transport Hazard Class(es)</b>	Not Regulated	Not Regulated
<b>Packing Group (if applicable)</b>	Not Regulated	Not Regulated

### 14.1 Environmental hazards:

Not applicable

### 14.2 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

### 14.3 Special precautions for user

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

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## SECTION XV – OTHER REGULATORY INFORMATION

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### 15.1 Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations/Legislations specific for the chemical

#### Canada

**WHMIS Classification:** Considered to be a D2A and D2B hazardous material under the Hazardous Products Act as defined by the Controlled Products Regulations and subject to the requirements of Health Canada's Workplace Hazardous Material Information (WHMIS). This document complies with the WHMIS requirements of the Hazardous Products Act (HPA) and the CPR.

### 15.2 US Federal Information

#### SARA 302/311/312/313 Components

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No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302, 311, 312 or 313.

**RCRA:** Crystalline silica (quartz) is not classified as a hazardous waste under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, or its regulations, 40 CFR §261 et seq.

**CERCLA:** Crystalline silica (quartz) is not classified as a hazardous substance under regulations of the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA), 40 CFR §302.

**Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act (SARA Title III):** Crystalline silica (quartz) is not an extremely hazardous substance under Section 302 and is not a toxic chemical subject to the requirements of Section 313.

**FDA:** Silica is included in the list of substances that may be included in coatings used in food contact surfaces, 21 CFR §175.300(b)(3)(xxvi).

**NTP:** Respirable crystalline silica, primarily quartz dusts occurring in industrial and occupational settings, is classified as Known to be a Human Carcinogen.

**OSHA Carcinogen:** Crystalline silica (quartz) is not listed.

### 15.3 State Right to Know Laws

#### California Prop. 65 Components

**WARNING:** This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

**California Inhalation Reference Exposure Level (REL):** California established a chronic REL of 3 µg for silica (crystalline, respirable). A chronic REL is an airborne level of a substance at or below which no adverse health effects are anticipated in individuals indefinitely exposed to the substance at that level.

**Massachusetts Toxic Use Reduction Act:** Silica, crystalline (respirable size, <10 microns) is "toxic" for purposes of the Massachusetts Toxic Use Reduction Act.

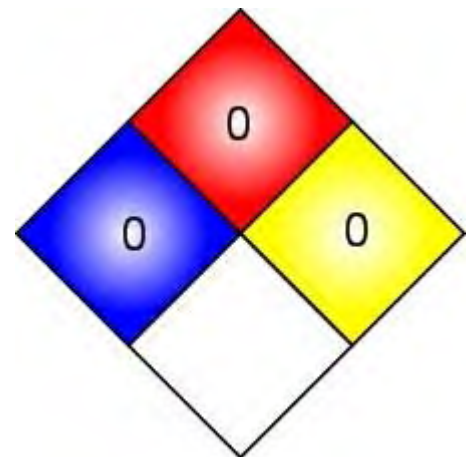
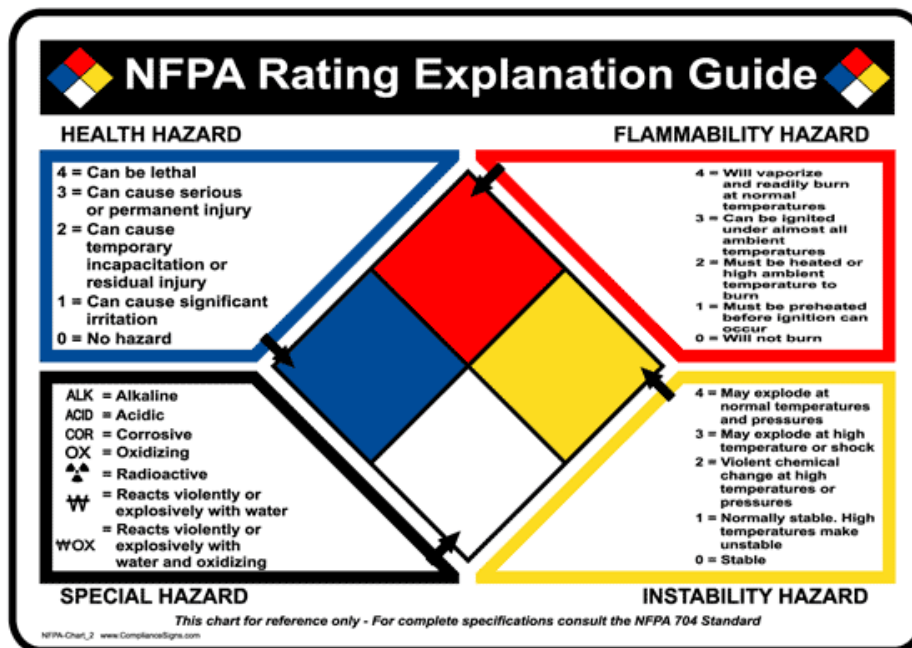
### 15.4 Global Inventories

**DSL** All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL list.

**TSCA No.:** Crystalline silica (quartz) appears on the EPA TSCA inventory under the CAS No. 14808-60-7. All constituents are listed in the TSCA inventory.



## 15.5 NFPA Ratings



### SECTION XVI – OTHER INFORMATION

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**CHEMTREC 24 Hour Emergency**  
**Phone Number (800) 424-9300**  
For laboratory use only.  
Not for drug, food or household use.

<b>Product</b>	HYDROCHLORIC ACID, 32-36%
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<b>Synonyms</b>	Muriatic Acid ; Hydrogen Chloride
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**Section 2 Hazards Identification****Signal word:** DANGER**Pictograms:** GHS05 / GHS07**Target organs:** Respiratory system, skin, eyes, lungs.**GHS Classification:**

Serious eye damage (Category 1)

Skin corr. (Category 1B)

STOT SE (Category 3)

**GHS Label information: Hazard statement(s):**

H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H335: May cause respiratory irritation.

**Precautionary statement(s):**

P260: Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P301+P330+P331: IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303+P361+P353: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

P304+P340: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P310: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

P363: Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P403/233: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

P405: Store locked up.

P501: Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Ca Prop 65 - This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

**Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients**

Water	7732-18-5	64-68%	231-791-2
Hydrochloric acid	7647-01-0	32-36%	231-595-7

**Section 4 First Aid Measures****INGESTION:** Harmful if swallowed. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.**INHALATION:** Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.**EYE CONTACT:** Causes eye burns. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.**SKIN ABSORPTION:** Causes skin burns. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.**Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures****Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol foam.**Protective Actions for Fire-fighters:** In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.**Specific Hazards:** During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Contact with metals produce hydrogen, which is flammable and may produce explosive mixtures with air.**Section 6 Accidental Release Measures****Personal Precautions:** Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.**Containment and Cleanup:** Neutralize spill with sodium bicarbonate or calcium hydroxide, absorb with inert dry material, sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

**Section 7 Handling & Storage**

**Precautions for Safe Handling:** Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale vapors, spray or mist. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

**Conditions for Safe Storage:** Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Protect from physical damage and sunlight. Protect from moisture.

**Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Hydrogen chloride	STEL: C 2 ppm / C 2.98 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL: C 5 ppm / C 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL: C 5 ppm / C 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Engineering controls:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

**Respiratory protection:** Use a chemical fume hood and/or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

**Section 9 Physical & Chemical Properties**

<b>Appearance:</b> Clear, colorless, fuming liquid.	<b>Evaporation rate ( = 1):</b> Data not available.	<b>Partition coefficient:</b> (n-octanol / water): Data not available.
<b>Odor:</b> Pungent odor.	<b>Flammability (solid/gas):</b> Data not available.	<b>Auto-ignition temperature:</b> Data not available.
<b>Odor threshold:</b> Data not available.	<b>Explosion limits: Upper/Lower:</b> Data not available.	<b>Decomposition temperature:</b> Data not available.
<b>pH:</b> <1.5 acidic, in solution.	<b>Vapor pressure (mm Hg):</b> Approx. 25 @ 20°C (68°F)	<b>Viscosity:</b> Data not available.
<b>Melting / Freezing point:</b> Approx. -45°C (-49°F)	<b>Vapor density (Air = 1):</b> Data not available.	<b>Molecular formula:</b> HCl
<b>Boiling point:</b> 81.11-85°C (178-185°F)	<b>Relative density (Specific gravity):</b> Approx. 1.16 @ 20°C	<b>Molecular weight:</b> 36.46
<b>Flash point:</b> Not flammable.	<b>Solubility(ies):</b> Soluble in water.	

**Section 10 Stability & Reactivity**

**Chemical stability:** Stable

**Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.

**Conditions to avoid:** Containers may burst when heated. Avoid contact with water.

**Incompatible materials:** Metals, bases, active metals, alkali metals, oxidizing agents, hydroxides, amines, carbonates, cyanides, sulfides, sulfites, formaldehyde.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Hydrogen chloride gas.

**Section 11 Toxicological Information**

**Acute toxicity:** Data not available

**Skin corrosion/irritation:** Skin-rabbit - causes burns.

**Serious eye damage/irritation:** Eyes-rabbit - Corrosive to eyes.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** Data not available

**Germ cell mutagenicity:** Data not available

**Carcinogenicity:** Data not available

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by NTP.

IARC: Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**Reproductive toxicity:** Data not available

**STOT-single exposure:** The substance or mixture is classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure, category 3 with respiratory tract irritation.

**STOT-repeated exposure:** Data not available

**Aspiration hazard:** Data not available

**Potential health effects:**

Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.

Skin: May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.

Eyes: Causes eye burns.

**Signs and symptoms of exposure:** Burning sensation, cough, wheezing, laryngitis, shortness of breath, spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema. Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin.

**Additional information:** RTECS #: MW4025000

**Section 12 Ecological Information**

**Toxicity to fish:** LC50 - Gambusia affinis (Mosquito fish) - 282 mg/l - 96 h (Hydrochloric acid)

**Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates:** No data available

**Toxicity to algae:** No data available

**Persistence and degradability:** No data available

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No data available

**Mobility in soil:** No data available

**PBT and vPvB assessment:** No data available

**Other adverse effects:** An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

**Section 13 Disposal Considerations**

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

**Section 14 Transport Information**

**UN/NA number:** UN1789

**Shipping name:** Hydrochloric acid

**Hazard class:** 8 **Packing group:** II **Reportable Quantity:** No **Marine pollutant:** No **Exceptions:** Limited quantity equal to or less than 1 Lt.

**Section 15 Regulatory Information**

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

Component	TSCA	CERCLA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	WHMIS Classification
Hydrochloric acid	Listed	Not listed	D002	Listed	Not listed	E; D1A

**Section 16 Additional Information**

The information contained herein is furnished without warranty of any kind. Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them and must make independent determinations of suitability and completeness of information from all sources to assure proper use of these materials and the safety and health of employees. NTP: National Toxicology Program, IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer, OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration, STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity, SE: Single Exposure, RE: Repeated Exposure.