



EAGLE HARBOR SAND and GRAVEL INC. SAFETY DATA SHEET (SDS)

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1. Identification

Product Identifier	Soil
Other means of identification	
Synonyms	Topsoil, Shredded Topsoil, Dirt Fill
Recommended Use	Soil used in various construction/finish grade applications. May be distributed in bags, totes, and bulk shipments.
Recommended Restrictions	None known.
Manufacturer Information	
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2. Hazard(s) Identification

Physical Hazards	Not classified	
Health Hazards	Carcinogenicity	Category 1A
	Specific Target Organ Toxicity	Category 2
	Repeated Exposure	
OSHA defined hazards	Not classified.	
Label Elements	No Pictogram	
Signal Word	None.	
Hazard Statement	May cause cancer. May cause damage to organs (lung) through prolonged or repeated exposure	
Precautionary Statement		
Prevention	Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.	
Response	If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.	
Storage	Restrict or control access to stockpile areas. Engulfment hazard: To prevent burial or suffocation, do not enter a confined space, such as a bulk truck or other storage container or vessel that stores or contains soil without an effective procedure for assuring safety.	
Disposal	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with Local/Regional regulations.	
Hazard(s) not otherwise Classified (HNOC)	None known.	

Supplemental Information

Respirable Crystalline Silica (RCS) may cause cancer. Soil is a naturally occurring mineral complex that contains varying quantities of quartz (crystalline silica). In its natural bulk state, Soil is not a known health hazard. Soil may be subjected to various natural or mechanical forces that produce small particles (dust) which may contain respirable crystalline silica (particles less than 10 micrometers in aerodynamic diameter). Repeated inhalation of respirable crystalline silica (quartz) may cause lung cancer according to

IARC and NTP; ACGIH states that it is a suspected cause of cancer. Other forms of RCS (e.g., tridymite and cristobalite) may also be present or formed under certain industrial processes.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Chemical Name	CAS number	%
Soil	None	100
Crystalline Silica (Quartz)	14808-60-7	<0.1

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation	Soil: Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.
Skin contact:	Soil: Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
Eye contact:	Soil dust: Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Hold eyelids apart. Occasionally lift the eyelid(s) to ensure thorough rinsing. Beyond flushing, do not attempt to remove material from the eye(s). Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.
Ingestion:	Soil: Rinse mouth and drink plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention.
Most important symptoms/effects,	inhaling dust may cause discomfort in the chest, shortness of breath, and coughing.
Acute and delayed	Prolonged inhalation may cause chronic health effects. This product contains crystalline silica. Prolonged or repeated inhalation of respirable crystalline silica liberated from this product can cause silicosis, and may cause cancer.
Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed	Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.
General information	Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Pre-existing medical conditions that may be aggravated by exposure include disorders of the eye, skin and lung (including asthma and other breathing disorders). If addicted to tobacco, smoking will impair the ability of the lungs to clear themselves of dust.

5. Firefighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media	Soil is not flammable. Use fire extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	None known.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted. Not a combustible dust.

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters	Use protective equipment appropriate for surrounding materials.
Firefighting equipment/instructions	No specific precautions.
Specific methods	Contact with powerful oxidizing agents may cause fire/and or explosions. (See Section 10 of SDS).
General fire hazards	No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.
6. Accidental release measures	Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up of materials that contain or may liberate sand and gravel dust.
Personal Precautions, and emergency procedures	
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	Spilled material where dust is generated, may overexpose cleanup personnel to respirable crystalline silica- containing dust. Do not dry sweep or use compressed air for clean-up Wetting of spilled material and/or use of respiratory protective equipment may be necessary.
Environmental precautions	Avoid discharge of fine particulate matter into drains or water courses.
7. Handling and storage	
Precautions for safe handling	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Keep formation of airborne dusts to a minimum. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Do not breathe dust. Avoid prolonged exposure. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.
Conditions for safe storage, Including any incompatibilities	Avoid dust formation or accumulation.
8. Exposure controls/personal protection	
Occupational exposure limits	1-Value equivalent to OSHA formulas (29CFR 1910.1000; 29 CFR 1918) 2-Value also applies to MSHA M/NM (1973 TLVs at 30 CFR 56/57.5001). 3-Osha enforces 0.250 mg/m ³ in construction and shipyards (CPL- 03-00-007). 4- Value also applies to OSHA construction (29 CFR 1926.55 Appendix A) and Shipyards (29 CFR 1915.1000 Table Z). 5-MSHA limit = 10 mg/m ³ .

U.S. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Particulates not otherwise classified (CAS SEQ250)	PEL	5mg/m ³	Respirable Fraction
		15mg/m ³	Total dust (4)

U.S. OSHA TableZ-3 (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Crystalline Silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7)	TWA	0.3mg/m ³	Total dust (1,2)
		0.1mg/m ³	Total dust (1,2,3)
Tridymite and Cristobalite (other forms of crystalline silica) (CAS mixture)	TWA	0.15mg/m ³	Total dust (1)
		0.05mg/m ³	Respirable (1,2,)

Particulates not otherwise classified (CAS SEQ250)	TWA	5mg/mg ³ 15mg/mg ³	Respirable fraction (1) Total dust (1,4,5)
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U.S. ACGIH threshold Limit Values®

Components	Type	Value	Form
Crystalline Silica (all forms; CAS mixture)	TWA	0.025mg/mg ³	Respirable dust
Particulates not otherwise classified (CAS SEQ250)	TWA	3 mg/m ³ 10 mg/mg ³	Respirable particles (2) Inhalable particles (2)

U.S. NIOSH: Pocket guide to Chemical Hazards

Components	Type	Value	Form
Crystalline Silica (all forms; CAS mixture)	TWA	0.05mg/mg ³	Respirable dust

**Biological limit values
Exposure guidelines**

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s)
OSHA PELs, MSHA PELs, and ACGIH TLVs are 8-hr TWA values. NIOSH RELs are for TWA exposures up to 10-hr/day and 40-hr/wk. Occupational exposure to nuisance dust (total and respirable) crystalline silica should be monitored and controlled. Terms including “Particulates Not Otherwise Classified,” “Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated”, and “Inert or Nuisance Dust” are often used interchangeably; however, the user should review each agencies terminology for differences in meanings.

Appropriate engineering controls

Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour indoors) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level.

Individual protective measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection	Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles)
Skin protection	
Hand protection	Use personal protective equipment as required.
Other	Use personal protective equipment as required.
Respiratory protection	When handling or performing work with limestone that produces dust or respirable crystalline silica in excess of applicable exposure limits, wear a NIOSH-approved respirator that is properly fitted and is in good condition. Respirators must be used in accordance with all applicable workplace regulations.

Thermal Hazards

Not anticipated. Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants

9. Physical and chemical properties.

Appearance	
Physical state	Solid.
Form	Solid, particles.
Color	Black, Dark Brown, Light Brown
Odor	Not applicable.
Odor threshold	Not applicable.
Ph	Neutral
Melting point/freezing point	Not applicable.
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not applicable.
Flash point	Non-combustible.
Evaporation rate	Not applicable.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	
Flammability limit – lower (%)	Not applicable.
Flammability limit – upper (%)	Not applicable.
Vapor pressure	Not applicable.
Vapor density	Not applicable.
Relative density/specific gravity	2.64
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility water	Insoluble.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not applicable.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not applicable.
Decomposition temperature	Not applicable.
Viscosity	Not applicable.
Other information	
Explosive properties	Not applicable.
Flammability	Not applicable.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	This product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation	Repeated inhalation of respirable crystalline silica (quartz) may cause Silicosis, a fibrosis (scarring) of the lungs. Silicosis is irreversible and may be fatal. Silicosis increases the risk of contracting pulmonary tuberculosis. Some studies suggest that repeated inhalation of respirable crystalline silica may cause other adverse health effects including lung and kidney cancer.
Skin contact	Soil dust. May cause irritation through mechanical abrasion.
Eye contact	Soil dust. May cause irritation through mechanical abrasion.
Ingestion	Not likely, due to the form of the product. However, accidental ingestion of the content may cause discomfort
Symptoms related to the physical, Chemical and toxicological Characteristics	Soil dust: Discomfort in the chest. Shortness of breath. Coughing.
Information on toxicological effects	
Acute toxicity	Not expected to be acutely toxic.
Skin corrosion/irritation	This product is not expected to be a skin hazard.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.
Respiratory or skin sensitization	
Respiratory sensitization	No respiratory sensitization effects known.
Skin sensitization	Not known to be a dermal irritant or sensitizer.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.
Carcinogenicity	Respirable crystalline silica has been classified by IARC and NTP as a known human carcinogen, and classified by ACGIH as a suspected human carcinogen.
IARC Monographs. Overall evaluation of Carcinogenicity	
Crystalline Silica (quartz) (CAS 148808-60-7)	1 Carcinogenic to humans.
Respirable Tridymite and Cristobolite (Other forms of Crystalline) (CAS Mixture)	1 Carcinogenic to humans.
NTP report on Carcinogens	
Crystalline Silica (quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7)	Known to be human carcinogen.
OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)	Not listed.
Reproductive toxicity	Not expected to be a reproductive hazard.
Specific organ toxicity	Not classified.
-Single exposure	
Specific target organ toxicity repeated exposure	Respirable crystalline silica: May cause damage to organs (lung) through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Aspiration hazard	Due to the physical form of the product it is not an aspiration hazard.
Chronic effects	Prolonged inhalation of respirable crystalline silica may be harmful. May cause damage to organs (lungs) through prolonged or repeated exposure. There are reports in the literature suggesting that excessive crystalline silica exposure may be associated with autoimmune disorders and other adverse health effects involving the kidney. In particular, the incidence of scleroderma (thickening of the skin caused by swelling and thickening of fibrous tissue) appears to be higher in silicotic individuals. To date, no evidence does not conclusively determine a causal relationship between silica exposure and those adverse health effects.
12. Ecological information	
Ecotoxicity	Not expected to be harmful to aquatic organisms. Discharging limestone dust and fines into waters may increase total suspended particulate (TSP) levels that can be harmful to certain aquatic organisms.
Persistence and degradability	Not applicable.
Bioaccumulative potential	Not applicable.
Mobility in soil	Not applicable.
Other adverse effects	No other adverse environmental effects. (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, global warming potential) are expected from this component.
13. Disposal considerations	
Disposal instructions	Do not allow fine particulate matter to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with fine particulate. Dispose of contents in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.
Hazardous waste code	Not regulated.
Waste from residues/unused products	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its

Contaminated packaging containers must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: disposal instructions.)
 Since empty containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. Empty packaging materials should be recycled or disposed of in accordance with applicable regulations and practices.

14. Transport Information

DOT Not regulated as dangerous goods.
IATA Not regulated as dangerous goods.
IMDG Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transporting in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol 73/78 and the IBC code Not applicable.

15. Regulatory information

U.S. Federal regulations This product is a “Hazardous Chemical” as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export notification (40 CFR 707, Subpart D) Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050) Not listed.

CERCLA Hazardous substance list (40 CFR 302.4) Not listed.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) Immediate hazard – No.
 Delayed hazard – Yes.
 Fire hazard – No.
 Pressure hazard – No.
 Reactivity hazard – No.

SARA 302 extremely hazardous substance Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous Yes

SARA 313 (TRI reporting) Not regulated.

Other Federal Regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAP) List Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CLA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130) Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) Not regulated.

16. Other Information, including date of preparation or last revision

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