

Section 1 Identification

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Product	SANDSTONE
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Synonyms	Aggregate
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Section 2 Hazards identification

Signal word: WARNING

Pictograms: GHS08

Target organs: Central nervous system, Respiratory system, Eyes, Skin



GHS Classification:

*STOT-RE (Category 2)

GHS Label information: Hazard statement:

*H373: May cause damage to organs (*lungs*) through prolonged or repeated exposure (*inhalation*).

* *Respirable dust particles containing silicon dioxide may be generated by crushing. There are no known hazards associated with this material when used as recommended.*

Precautionary statement:

P260: Do not breathe dust.

P314: Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

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

Hazards not otherwise classified:

Health hazards not otherwise classified (HHNOC) - Not Known

Physical hazards not otherwise classified (PHNOC) - Not Known

Section 3 Composition / information on ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Silicon dioxide	14808-60-7	77-79%	231-545-4
Calcium oxide	1305-78-8	5-6%	215-138-9
Aluminum oxide	1344-28-1	4-5%	None assigned
Potassium oxide	12136-45-7	1-2%	None assigned
Ferric oxide	1309-37-1	1-2%	None assigned
Ferrous oxide	1345-25-1	1-2%	None assigned
Magnesium oxide	1309-48-4	1-2%	215-171-9
Sodium oxide	1313-59-3	<1%	235-641-7

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: PROLONGED INHALATION OF PARTICULATE DUST MAY BE HARMFUL. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

EYE CONTACT: MAY CAUSE 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 CAUSE ABRASIONS. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

Section 5 Fire fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Product will not burn or support fire. 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: None known.

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.

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Product	MILKY QUARTZ
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Synonyms	Quartz
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Section 2 Hazards identification

Signal word: WARNING

Pictograms: GHS08

Target organs: Lungs



GHS Classification:

*STOT-RE (Category 2)

GHS Label information: Hazard statement:

*H373: May cause damage to organs (*lungs*) through prolonged or repeated exposure (*inhalation*).

* Respirable dust particles containing silicon dioxide may be generated by crushing. There are no known hazards associated with this material when used as recommended.

Precautionary statement:

P260: Do not breathe dust.

P314: Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

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

Hazards not otherwise classified:

Health hazards not otherwise classified (HHNOC) - Not Known

Physical hazards not otherwise classified (PHNOC) - Not Known

Section 3 Composition / information on ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Quartz	14808-60-7	>99%	238-878-4

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: RESPIRABLE CRYSTALLINE SILICA MAY BE HARMFUL IF INHALED. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

EYE CONTACT: MAY CAUSE CORNEAL ABRASIONS. 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: Sand will not burn or support fire. 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: None known.

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.

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. 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.

Section 8 Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Silica, crystalline, α -quartz	TWA: 0.025 mg/m ³ respirable (A2)	TWA: 10 mg/m ³ respirable dust	TWA: 0.05 mg/m ³ respirable dust

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 and chemical properties

Appearance: Solid, large white opaque crystals	Evaporation rate (= 1): Not applicable	Partition coefficient: Not applicable
Odor: No odor.	Flammability (solid/gas): Data not available.	Auto-ignition temperature: Not applicable
Odor threshold: Data not available.	Explosion limits: Lower / Upper: Not flammable	Decomposition temperature: Data not available.
pH: Data not available.	Vapor pressure (mm Hg): Data not available	Viscosity: Data not available.
Melting / Freezing point: 1610°C (3110°F)	Vapor density (Air = 1): Data not available	Molecular formula: SiO ₂
Boiling point: 2230°C (4046°F)	Relative density (Specific gravity): 2.65	Molecular weight: 60.09
Flash point: Not flammable	Solubility(ies): Insoluble in water.	

Section 10 Stability and reactivity

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

Conditions to avoid: Avoid contact with incompatible materials.

Incompatible materials: Contact with powerful oxidizing agents such as fluorine, chlorine trifluoride, manganese trioxide and oxygen difluoride may cause fire.

Hazardous decomposition products: Will dissolve in hydrofluoric acid and produce silicon tetrafluoride, a corrosive gas.

Section 11 Toxicological information

Acute toxicity: Oral-rat LD50: 500 mg/kg

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: Known to be a human carcinogen (respirable). [Quartz]

IARC classified: Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans. [Quartz]

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.

Ca Prop 65: ⚠️ WARNING! This product can expose you to a chemical, crystalline silica, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer.

Reproductive toxicity: Data not available

STOT-single exposure: Data not available

STOT-repeated exposure: Inhalation - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. [Quartz]

Aspiration hazard: Data not available

Potential health effects:

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

Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.

Skin: May cause transient irritation.

Eyes: May cause transient irritation.

Signs and symptoms of exposure: Prolonged inhalation of crystalline silica may result in silicosis, a disabling pulmonary fibrosis characterized by fibrotic changes and miliary nodules in the lungs, a dry cough, shortness of breath, emphysema, decreased chest expansion, and increased susceptibility to tuberculosis.

Additional information: RTECS #: VV7330000

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

2024 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	CA Prop 65
Quartz	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed	⚠️ WARNING -Cancer - www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

Section 16 Other 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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Product	CALCITE
Synonyms	Limestone, Precipitated Calcium Carbonate

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: Not Classified

Precautionary statement(s):

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.

Hazards not otherwise classified:

Health hazards not otherwise classified (HHNOC) - pas connu
 Physical hazards not otherwise classified (PHNOC) - pas connu

Section 3 Composition / information on ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Calcite	471-34-1	100%	603-785-3

Section 4 First aid measures

INGESTION: Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Rinse mouth with water. 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: May cause transient 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: Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

Section 5 Fire fighting measures

Extinguishing Media: Use any media suitable for extinguishing supporting fire. Use water, dry chemical foam, carbon dioxide, or alcohol resistant foam.

General information: 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.

Section 6 Accidental release measures

Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation. Recover for use if not contaminated. Sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water. Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

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Product	CALCIUM SULFATE, DIHYDRATE
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Synonyms	Gypsum Lumps
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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 required

Pictograms: No symbol required

Target organs: None known

GHS Classification: None required

GHS Label information: Hazard statement: None required

Precautionary statement: None required

Supplemental 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.

Hazards not otherwise classified:

Health hazards not otherwise classified (HHNOC) - Not Known

Physical hazards not otherwise classified (PHNOC) - Not Known

Section 3 Composition / information on ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Calcium sulfate, dihydrate	10101-41-4	>90%	231-900-3 [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. Protect from moisture.

Section 8 Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Calcium sulfate	TWA: 10 mg/m ³	TWA: 15 mg/m ³ total dust	TWA: 10 mg/m ³ total dust

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 and chemical properties

Appearance: Solid. White lumps	Evaporation rate (= 1): Data not available	Partition coefficient: Data not available
Odor: No odor	Flammability (solid/gas): Data not available	Auto-ignition temperature: Data not available
Odor threshold: Data not available	Explosion limits: Lower / Upper: Data not available	Decomposition temperature: Data not available
pH: Data not available	Vapor pressure (mm Hg): Negligible	Viscosity: Data not available
Melting / Freezing point: 128°C (262°F)	Vapor density (Air = 1): Data not available	Molecular formula: CaSO ₄ •2H ₂ O
Boiling point: Data not available	Relative density (Specific gravity): 2.32	Molecular weight: 172.10
Flash point: Data not available	Solubility(ies): 0.24 g/100 ml water @ 20°C	

Section 10 Stability and reactivity

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

Conditions to avoid: Protect from moisture. Material will harden on exposure to moisture.

Incompatible materials: Acids.

Hazardous decomposition products: Calcium oxides, 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.

Ca Prop 65: This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

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 irritation of the throat and upper respiratory tract.

Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed. Because material hardens quickly after absorbing moisture, ingestion may result in obstruction, particularly at the pylorus.

Skin: Contact with skin may cause irritation and/or defatting on prolonged contact.

Eyes: Contact with eyes may cause irritation.

Signs and symptoms of exposure: Exercise appropriate procedures to minimize potential hazards.

Additional information: RTECS #: WS6920000 [anhydrous]

Section 12 Ecological information

Toxicity to fish: Gasterosteus aculeatus (fish, fresh water), LC100 = 10-15 g/L/1 day [anhydrous]

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: Crangon crangon (Crustacea), NOEC = <2.5 g/L/24 hours [anhydrous]

Toxicity to algae: Chlorella vulgaris (Algae), EC98 = 1.872 g/L/30 day [anhydrous]

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

2024 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	CA Prop 65
Calcium sulfate	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed	This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

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