

SAFETY DATA SHEET  
according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006  
**Quartz Sand**



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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**

**1.1 Product identifier**

Trade name : Quartz Sand

**1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Company : Sika Limited  
Watchmead  
Welwyn Garden City  
Hertfordshire AL7 1BQ  
United Kingdom

Telephone : +44 (0)1707 394444

**1.4 Emergency telephone number**

Emergency telephone number : +44 (0)1707 363899 (available during office hours)

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**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

**2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**

Type of product : Mixture

**Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)**

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

**2.2 Label elements**

**Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)**

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

**2.3 Other hazards**

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

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**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

**3.2 Mixtures**

**Hazardous components**

Chemical name CAS-No. EC-No. Registration number	Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)	Concentration [%]

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Substances with a workplace exposure limit :		
Quartz (SiO <sub>2</sub> ) 14808-60-7 238-878-4		>= 50 - <= 100

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

- General advice : No hazards which require special first aid measures.
- If inhaled : Move to fresh air.
- In case of skin contact : Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately.  
Wash off with soap and plenty of water.
- In case of eye contact : Flush eyes with water as a precaution.  
Remove contact lenses.  
Keep eye wide open while rinsing.
- If swallowed : Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.  
Rinse mouth with water.  
Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages.  
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

#### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

- Symptoms : See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.
- Risks : No known significant effects or hazards.

#### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

- Treatment : Treat symptomatically.

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

- Hazardous combustion products : No hazardous combustion products are known

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

- Special protective equipment : In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.



for firefighters

Further information : Standard procedure for chemical fires.

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## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

### **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Personal precautions : Avoid breathing dust.

### **6.2 Environmental precautions**

Environmental precautions : No special environmental precautions required.

### **6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Methods for cleaning up : Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### **6.4 Reference to other sections**

For personal protection see section 8.

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## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

Advice on safe handling : For personal protection see section 8. No special handling advice required. Follow standard hygiene measures when handling chemical products

Advice on protection against fire and explosion : Avoid dust formation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

Hygiene measures : When using do not eat or drink. When using do not smoke.

### **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Requirements for storage areas and containers : Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store in accordance with local regulations.

Advice on common storage : No special restrictions on storage with other products.

Other data : Keep in a dry place. No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

### **7.3 Specific end use(s)**

Specific use(s) : No data available

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters *	Basis *
Quartz (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	14808-60-7	TWA	0,1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	GB EH40

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Personal protective equipment

- Eye protection : Safety glasses
- Hand protection : Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard must be worn at all times when handling chemical products. Reference number EN 374. Follow manufacturer specifications.
- Skin and body protection : Protective clothing (e.g. Safety shoes acc. to EN ISO 20345, long-sleeved working clothing, long trousers). Rubber aprons and protective boots are additionally recommended for mixing and stirring work.
- Respiratory protection : Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.  
particulate filter P  
P1: Inert material; P2, P3: hazardous substances  
Ensure adequate ventilation. This can be achieved by local exhaust extraction or by general ventilation. (EN 689 - Methods for determining inhalation exposure). This applies in particular to the mixing / stirring area. In case this is not sufficient to keep the concentrations under the occupational exposure limits then respiration protection measures must be used.

#### Environmental exposure controls

- General advice : No special environmental precautions required.



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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	: powder
Colour	: No data available
Odour	: No data available
Odour Threshold	: No data available
Flash point	: Not applicable
Autoignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Lower explosion limit (Vol-%)	: No data available
Upper explosion limit (Vol-%)	: No data available
Flammability	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available
pH	: No data available
Melting point/range / Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point/boiling range	: No data available
Vapour pressure	: No data available
Density	: ca.2,65 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20 °C
Bulk density	: ca.1.500 kg/m <sup>3</sup>
Water solubility	: No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: Not applicable
Relative vapour density	: No data available
Evaporation rate	: No data available



**9.2 Other information**

No data available

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**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

**10.1 Reactivity**

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

**10.2 Chemical stability**

The product is chemically stable.

**10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Hazardous reactions : No hazards to be specially mentioned.

**10.4 Conditions to avoid**

Conditions to avoid : No data available

**10.5 Incompatible materials**

Materials to avoid : No data available

**10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

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**SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

**11.1 Information on toxicological effects**

**Acute toxicity**

Not classified based on available information.

**Skin corrosion/irritation**

Not classified based on available information.

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Not classified based on available information.

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

Skin sensitisation: Not classified based on available information.

Respiratory sensitisation: Not classified based on available information.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

Not classified based on available information.

**Carcinogenicity**

Not classified based on available information.

**Reproductive toxicity**

Not classified based on available information.

**STOT - single exposure**

Not classified based on available information.

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**STOT - repeated exposure**

Not classified based on available information.

**Aspiration toxicity**

Not classified based on available information.

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**SECTION 12: Ecological information**

**12.1 Toxicity**

No data available

**12.2 Persistence and degradability**

No data available

**12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

**12.4 Mobility in soil**

No data available

**12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

**Product:**

Assessment : This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

**12.6 Other adverse effects**

**Product:**

Additional ecological information : There is no data available for this product.

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**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

**13.1 Waste treatment methods**

Product : The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible.  
Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way.  
Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor.  
Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements.



Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### ADR

Not dangerous goods

### IATA

Not dangerous goods

### IMDG

Not dangerous goods

### 14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available

### 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not applicable

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### Prohibition/Restriction

REACH - Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, preparations and articles (Annex XVII) : Not applicable

REACH - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation (Article 59). : None of the components are listed (=> 0.1 %).

REACH - List of substances subject to authorisation (Annex XIV) : Not applicable

REACH Information: All substances contained in our Products are  
- preregistered or registered by our upstream suppliers, and/or  
- preregistered or registered by us, and/or  
- excluded from the regulation, and/or  
- exempted from the registration.

Seveso III: Directive 2012/18/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances.  
Not applicable

VOC-CH (VOCV) : no VOC duties

VOC-EU (solvent) : Not applicable





If other regulatory information applies that is not already provided elsewhere in the Safety Data Sheet, then it is described in this subsection.

Health, safety and environmental regulation/legislation specific for the substance or mixture: : Environmental Protection Act 1990 & Subsidiary Regulations  
Health and Safety at Work Act 1974 & Subsidiary Regulations  
Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH)  
May be subject to the Control of Major Accident Hazards Regulations (COMAH), and amendments.

### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

This product contains substances for which Chemical Safety Assessments are still required.

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### SECTION 16: Other information

ADR	Accord européen relatif au transport international des marchandises Dangereuses par Route
CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service
DNEL	Derived no-effect level
EC50	Half maximal effective concentration
GHS	Globally Harmonized System
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IMDG	International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
LD50	Median lethal dosis (the amount of a material, given all at once, which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals)
LC50	Median lethal concentration (concentrations of the chemical in air that kills 50% of the test animals during the observation period)
MARPOL	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973 as modified by the Protocol of 1978
OEL	Occupational Exposure Limit
PBT	Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic
PNEC	Predicted no effect concentration
REACH	Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency
SVHC	Substances of Very High Concern
vPvB	Very persistent and very bioaccumulative

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