



Material Safety Data Sheet

SECTION 1 – CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name(s): AirStone®

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SECTION 2 – COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

<u>CAS#</u>	<u>Component</u>
65997-15-1	Cement
Not Available	Non-hazardous ingredients
Proprietary	Filler
1309-37-1	Iron Oxide

Component Related Regulatory Information

This product may be regulated, have exposure limits or other information identified as the following: Silica, crystalline (general form).

Component Information/Information on Non-Hazardous Components

As provided, this product is expected to produce minimal if any hazards. However, if dust is generated, this product would be considered hazardous under 29 CFR 1910.1200 (Hazard Communication).

As provided, this material is in a cured form and the above listed components are not readily available, however if dusts are generated, these components may be present.



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SECTION 3 – HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Appearance and Odor: Cured concrete product of various shapes, sizes and colors.

Emergency Overview:

- No unusual conditions are expected from this product.
- Inhalation of dusts produced during cutting, grinding or sanding of this product may cause irritation of the respiratory tract.

Potential Health Effects

Inhalation:

Dusts of this product may cause irritation of the nose, throat, and respiratory tract. This product contains silica as a contaminant. Prolonged and repeated inhalation of respirable crystalline silica can cause silicosis, a chronic lung disease characterized by fibrosis and scarring of the lung tissue resulting in a decrease in lung function, breathlessness, wheezing, coughing and sputum production. Short term overexposures to extremely high concentrations of respirable crystalline silica can produce acute silicosis. Acute silicosis is a disease that can rapidly progress within months of initial overexposure and reportedly has caused death within 1 to 2 years.

Skin Contact:

Dust from this product may cause itching and short term irritation.

Eye Contact:

Dust from this product may cause slight irritation to the eyes, including redness, tearing and blurred vision.

Ingestion:

Ingestion of this product is unlikely. However, ingestion of product may produce gastrointestinal irritation and disturbances.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure:

Chronic respiratory or skin conditions may temporarily worsen from exposure to dust from this product.

SECTION 4 – FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation:

- If inhaled, immediately remove the affected person to fresh air.
- If irritation persists, get medical attention.

Skin Contact:

- For skin contact, flush with large amounts of water.
- If irritation persists, get medical attention.

Eye Contact:

- Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes.
- If irritation persists, get medical attention.



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Ingestion:

- Ingestion of this material is unlikely
- If it does occur, watch the person for several days to make sure that partial or complete intestinal obstruction does not occur.
- Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel.

SECTION 5 – FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point: None
Upper Flammability Limit: Not applicable
Flammability Classification: Non-flammable

Flash Point Method: Not applicable
Lower Flammability Limit: Not applicable
Auto Ignition Temp: Not applicable

Extinguishing Media:

Use any extinguishing media appropriate for the surrounding fires.

Unusual Fire & Explosion Hazards:

None identified.

Fire-Fighting Instructions:

Use self-contained breath apparatus (SCBA) and protective clothing ensemble as defined in NFPA 1500.

Hazardous Combustion Products: None.

SECTION 6 – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Containment Procedures:

- Scoop up material and put into a suitable container for disposal as a non-hazardous waste.
- Dust from cutting or drilling this material will settle out of the air. If concentrated on land, it can then be scooped up for disposal as a non-hazardous waste.

Clean-Up Procedures:

- Sweep up or gather material and place in appropriate container for disposal.
- Wash spill area thoroughly.
- Wear appropriate protective equipment during cleanup.
- Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up.

Response Procedures:

- Isolate area.
- Keep unnecessary personnel away.

Special Procedures: None



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SECTION 7 – HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Procedures:

- No special procedures are required for this material.
- Avoid breathing dusts from this material.
- Avoid dust contact with eyes and skin.
- Minimize generation of dusts.

Storage Procedures:

No special procedures are required for this material.

SECTION 8 – EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines:

General Product Information

Follow all applicable exposure limits if dusts are generated.

Component Exposure Limits

ACGIH and OSHA exposure limit lists have been checked for those components with CAS registry numbers.

Iron oxide (1309-37-1)

ACGIH: 5 mg/m³ TWA (welding fumes, dust, total particulate as Fe)

OSHA: fume: 10 mg/m³ TWA

Ventilation:

- General dilution ventilation and/or local exhaust ventilation should be provided as necessary to maintain exposures below occupational exposure limits.
- Dust collection systems may be necessary in some operations.

Personal Protective Equipment - Respiratory Protection:

- A properly fitted NIOSH approved dust respirator or equivalent should be used under the following conditions:
 - 1) any dust environment
 - 2) when mechanically altering product (sawing, cutting, drilling or other similar dust generating process).
- Use respiratory protection in accordance with your company's respiratory protection program, local regulations and OSHA regulations under 29 CFR 1910.134.

Personal Protective Equipment – Skin Protection:

Wear leather or other appropriate work gloves, if necessary for type of operation.

Personal Protective Equipment - Eyes/Face Protective Equipment:

Wear safety glasses with side shields.

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SECTION 9 – PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	Cured concrete product of various shapes, sizes and colors	Odor:	Not applicable
Physical State:	Solid	pH:	Not applicable
Vapor Pressure (mmHg @ 20 C):	Not applicable	Vapor Density (Air=1):	Not applicable
Boiling Point:	Not applicable	Solubility (H2O):	Not applicable
Specific Gravity (Water=1):	Not applicable	Freezing Point:	Not applicable
Evaporation Rate (n-Butyl Acetate=1):	Not applicable	Viscosity:	Not applicable
Physical Properties			
Additional Info:	No additional information available.		

SECTION 10 – CHEMICAL STABILITY & REACTIVITY INFORMATION

Stability:

This is a stable material.

Conditions to Avoid:

Avoid dispersion of dust in air.

Incompatible Materials:

None expected.

Hazardous Decomposition Products:

None identified

Hazardous Polymerization:

Will not occur.

SECTION 11 – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute and Chronic Toxicity: General Product Information

- Dusts from cutting and drilling may cause mechanical irritation to eyes and skin.
- Ingestion may cause transient irritation of throat, stomach and gastrointestinal tract.
- Inhalation may cause coughing, nose and throat irritation, and sneezing.
- Higher exposures may cause difficulty breathing, congestion, and chest tightness.

Component Analysis – DL50/CL50

No LD50/LC50's are available for this product's components.



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Carcinogenicity:

General Product Information

CRYSTALLINE SILICA: The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) recently reviewed existing epidemiological data and concluded that crystalline silica inhaled in the form of quartz from occupational sources is known human carcinogen (Group 1). In making the assessment, the IARC noted that carcinogenicity was not detected in all industrial circumstances studied. However, IARC reported that a majority of studies indicated an elevated mortality for lung cancer among silica-exposed workers. IARC noted that increased rates of lung cancer were reported among some workers in ore-mines, quarries, foundries, ceramics, granite and stone cutting industries. The workers in some of these occupational studies were exposed to other potential respiratory carcinogens such as arsenic, radon, diesel exhaust, polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons or cadmium. The IARC reviewed animal studies and concluded that there is sufficient evidence in experimental animals for the carcinogenicity of quartz.

Silica-crystalline quartz has resulted in liver, blood, and lung tumors in rates by inhalation, intraperitoneal and intravenous injection, intratracheal and intrapleural administration.

Component Carcinogenicity

ACGIH, IARC, OSHA, and NTP carcinogen lists have been checked for those components with CAS registry numbers.

Iron oxide (1309-37-1)

ACGIH: A4 – Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen (dust and fume, as Fe)

IARC: Supplement 7, 1987; Monograph 1, 1972 (Group 3 (not classifiable))

SECTION 12 – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity: No data available for this product.

Environmental Fate: No data available for this product.

SECTION 13 – DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

US EPA Waste Number & Descriptions:

General Product Information

No components are identified

Component Waste Numbers

No EPA Waste Numbers are applicable for this product's components.



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Disposal Instructions:

Consult appropriate authorities before disposing of this material.

SECTION 14 – TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

US DOT Information:

Shipping Name: Not regulated for transport.

Hazard Class: None

UN/NA 3: None

Packing Group: None

Required Label(s): None

Additional Info: None

TDG Information

Shipping Name: Not regulated for transport

Hazard Class: None

UN/NA #: None

Packing Group: None

Required Label(s): None

Additional Info: None

Additional Transportation Regulations: No additional information available

SECTION 15 – REGULATORY INFORMATION

US Federal Regulations:

General Product Information - No information available for the product.

Component Analysis

None of this product's components are listed under SARA Section 302 (40 CFR 355 Appendix A), SARA Section 313 (40 CFR 372.65), or CERCLA (40 CFR 302.4).

SARA 311/312

Acute Health Hazard: Yes (if dusts are generated)

Chronic Health Hazard: Yes (if dusts are generated)

Fire Hazard: No

Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard: No

Reactive Hazard: No

Clean Air Act

None of this product's components are listed on the Clean Air Act – 1990 Hazardous Air Pollutants List.

State Regulations:

General Product Information - No additional information available



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Component Analysis – State

Iron Oxide appears on the hazardous substance list for the States of CA, MA, MN, NJ, PA. Glass, Oxide appears on the hazardous substance list for MN.

The following statement(s) are provided under the California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65):

WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer.

Other Regulations:

General Product Information – No additional information available.

Component Analysis – Inventory

In a component analysis of iron oxide and glass, oxide, TSCA, DSL & EINECS were detected.

Component Analysis – WHMIS IDL

The following components are identified under the Canadian Hazardous Products Act Ingredient Disclosure List:

Component:	CAS #:	
Iron oxide	1309-37-1	1% item 762 (1327)

WHMIS Status: Controlled

WHMIS Classification: D2A – Carcinogenicity (if dusts are generated)

SECTION 16 – OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS and NFPA Hazard Ratings:

Category:	HMIS:	NFPA:
Health	1*	1
Flammability	0	0
Reactivity	0	0

NFPA Unusual Hazards: None

HMIS Personal Protection: To be supplied by user depending upon use.

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Key/Legend:

EPA = Environmental Protection Agency; TSCA = Toxic Substance Control Act; ACGIH – American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists; IARC = International Agency for Research on Cancer; NIOSH = National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; NTP – National Toxicology Program; OSHA = Occupational Safety and Health Administration; NFPA – National Fire Protection Association; HMIS = Hazardous Material Identification System; CERCLA – Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act; SARA – Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; DSL= Canadian Domestic Substance List; EINECS = European Inventory of New and Existing Chemical Substances; WHMIS = Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System; CAA = Clean Air Act.

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