# CTM POTTERS SUPPLIES

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### **Product information:**

Product Name : Flint

Company : CTM Potters Supplies

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## 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

 Ingredients
 CAS Number
 EC Number
 Content
 Classification

 Quartz
 14808-60-7
 238-878-4
 5-10%
 Xn; R48/20

• The full texts for all R-Phrases are displayed in Section 16.

## 3. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Not regarded as a health or environmental hazard under current legislation.

## **Human Health**

Not hazardous in the form supplied. If dried and generated into a powder, excessive exposure may cause chronic lung disease. May cause minor irritation on skin contact.

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# **General Recommendations:**

**Inhalation:** Move the exposed person to fresh air at once. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Immediately give a couple of glasses of water or milk, provided the victim is fully

conscious. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

**Skin:** Wash skin with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists after washing.

Eyes: Rinse with water. Contact physician if discomfort continues.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Extinguishing media:** Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

Special fire fighting procedures: N/A

Unusual fire & explosion hazards: No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

**Specific hazards:** Dust may form an explosive mixture in the atmosphere.

Protective measures in fire: Use protective equipment appropriate for surrounding materials.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal precautions:** Wear protective clothing as described in Section 8 of this safety data sheet.

**Environmental precautions:** Avoid spreading dust or contaminated materials.

Spill clean up methods: Remove spillage with vacuum cleaner. If not possible, collect spillage with shovel, broom or

the like.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using the product. Good personal hygiene is necessary.

Wash hands and contaminated areas with water and soap before leaving the work site.

**Storage:** Store in tightly closed original container in a dry and cool place.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Flint, Damp Dry:** 4 mg/m3, respirable dust

Quartz: 0.1 mg/m3

**Protective Equipment** 

Engineering measures: Provide adequate ventilation, including appropriate local extraction, to ensure that the defined

workplace exposure limit is not exceeded.

Respiratory equipment: In case of inadequate ventilation or risk of inhalation of dust, use suitable respiratory

equipment with particle filter (type P2).

Hand protection: For prolonged or repeated skin contact use suitable protective gloves.

Eye protection: Wear dust resistant safety goggles where there is danger of eye contact.

Hygiene measures: Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. When

using do not eat, drink or smoke.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:

Form: lump
Colour: brownish
Odour: odourless

Solubility: Insoluble in water

Relative density: 3 – 5 pH-value, conc. solution 7

## 10. STABILTY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable under normal temperature conditions and recommended use.

Conditions/materials to avoid: None known/no incompatible groups noted.

Hazardous decomposition products: None known
Hazardous polymerisation products: Not relevant.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Toxicological information:** No Data Recorded.

**General information:** There is no data available on the product itself.

Inhalation: Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity:** The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment.

**Mobility:** The product is insoluble in water.

Degradability: The product solely consists of inorganic compounds, which are not biodegradable.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

General information: When handling waste, consideration should be made to the safety precautions applying to

handling of the product.

**Disposal methods:** Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

General: The product is not covered by international regulation on the transport of dangerous goods

(IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Risk Phrases: NC: not classified

**Safety Phrases:** S22: do not breathe dust.

**UK Regulatory References:** Health and Safety at Work Act 1974

EU Directives: Dangerous Substance Directive 67/548/EEC

Dangerous Preparations Directive 1999/45/EC System of specific information relating to Dangerous Preparation 2001/58/EC

**Statutory Instruments:** Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging) Regulations.

**Approved Code of Practice:** Safety Data Sheets for Substances and Preparations

Classification and Labelling of Substances and Preparations Dangerous for Supply

Guidance Notes: Workplace Exposure Limits EH40

Introduction to Local Exhaust Ventilation HS(G)37

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

#### Risk Phrases in Full:

R48/20 Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation.

## **Further information:**

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