SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Identification

Product identifier
Spartacote Blended Quartz

Other means of identification
None.

Recommended use
Chip.

Recommended restrictions
None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Company Name
LATICRETE International

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Bethany, CT 06524

Telephone
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Contact person
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Emergency phone number
Call ChemTel day or night
USA/Canada - 1.800.255.3924
Mexico - 1.800.099.0731
Outside USA/Canada
1.813.248.0585

2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards
Not classified.

Health hazards
Carcinogenicity
Category 1A
Specific target organ toxicity, repeated exposure
Category 2 (lung)

Environmental hazards
Not classified.

Label elements

Signal word
Danger

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. Do not breathe dust/fume.

Response
If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

Storage
Store locked up.

Disposal
Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Other hazards
None known.

Supplemental information
None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

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4. First-aid measures

Inhalation
Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Skin contact
Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Eye contact
Do not rub eyes. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Rinse with water. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Ingestion
Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed
Coughing. Dust may irritate the eyes and the respiratory system.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed
Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Symptoms may be delayed.

General information
Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media
Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO2).

Unsuitable extinguishing media
None known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical
During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters
Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Fire fighting equipment/instructions
In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

General fire hazards
No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep upwind. Avoid formation of dust. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up
Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Sweep or shovel up material and place in a clearly labeled container for waste. Collect dust using a vacuum cleaner. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Environmental precautions
Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Provide adequate ventilation. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Keep container tightly closed. Store in a cool, dry place out of direct sunlight.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

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### Canada. British Columbia OELs. (Occupational Exposure Limits for Chemical Substances, Occupational Health and Safety Regulation 296/97, as amended)

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### US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

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### US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.1000)

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**Biological limit values**  
No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

**Exposure guidelines**  
Occupational exposure to nuisance dust (total and respirable) and respirable crystalline silica should be monitored and controlled.

**Appropriate engineering controls**  
Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) 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. Provide eyewash station.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

**Eye/face protection**  
Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Skin protection**  
Wear chemical-resistant, impervious gloves.

**Hand protection**  
Wear chemical-resistant, impervious gloves.
Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing.

Other

Respiratory protection
Wear a dust mask if dust is generated above exposure limits.

Thermal hazards
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 work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance
Miscellaneous Colors

Physical state
Solid.

Form
Not available.

Color
Not available.

Odor
Odorless.

Odor threshold
Not available.

pH
Not available.

Melting point/freezing point
Not applicable.

Initial boiling point and boiling range
Not established.

Flash point
Not available.

Evaporation rate
Not applicable.

Flammability (solid, gas)
Not available.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits
Flammability limit - lower (%)
Not available.

Flammability limit - upper (%)
Not available.

Vapor pressure
Not available.

Vapor density
Not Volatile.

Relative density
2.65 g/cc

Solubility(ies)
Solubility (water)
Insoluble.

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)
Not available.

Auto-ignition temperature
Not available.

Decomposition temperature
Not available.

Viscosity
Not available.

Other information
VOC (Weight %)
Not Volatile.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity
The 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.

Conditions to avoid
Contact with incompatible materials.

Incompatible materials
Strong oxidizing agents. Hydrofluoric acid.

Hazardous decomposition products
No hazardous decomposition products are known.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation
Dust may irritate respiratory system.

Skin contact
May cause irritation through mechanical abrasion.
Eye contact Dust may irritate the eyes.
Ingestion May cause discomfort if swallowed.
Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Coughing. Dust may irritate the eyes and the respiratory system.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity May cause discomfort if swallowed.

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<td><strong>Skin corrosion/irritation</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</strong></td>
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Respiratory or skin sensitization

Canada - Alberta OELs: Irritant
Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7) Irritant

Respiratory sensitization No data available.
Skin sensitization Not a skin sensitizer.

Germ cell mutagenicity No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity

In 1997, IARC (the International Agency for Research on Cancer) concluded that crystalline silica inhaled from occupational sources can cause lung cancer in humans. However, in making the overall evaluation, IARC noted that "carcinogenicity was not detected in all industrial circumstances studied. Carcinogenicity may be dependent on inherent characteristics of the crystalline silica or on external factors affecting its biological activity or distribution of its polymorphs." (IARC Monographs on the evaluation of the carcinogenic risks of chemicals to humans, Silica, silicates dust and organic fibres, 1997, Vol. 68, IARC, Lyon, France.) Cancer hazard - can cause cancer. In June 2003, SCOEL (the EU Scientific Committee on Occupational Exposure Limits) concluded that the main effect in humans of the inhalation of respirable crystalline silica dust is silicosis. "There is sufficient information to conclude that the relative risk of lung cancer is increased in persons with silicosis (and, apparently, not in employees without silicosis exposed to silica dust in quarries and in the ceramic industry). Therefore, preventing the onset of silicosis will also reduce the cancer risk..." (SCOEL SUM Doc 94-final, June 2003) May cause cancer. According to the current state of the art, worker protection against silicosis can be consistently assured by respecting the existing regulatory occupational exposure limits. Occupational exposure to respirable dust and respirable crystalline silica should be monitored and controlled. Risk of cancer cannot be excluded with prolonged exposure. May cause cancer.

ACGIH Carcinogens
Crystalline Silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7) A2 Suspected human carcinogen.
Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7) A4 Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.

Canada - Alberta OELs: Carcinogenic category
Crystalline Silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7) Suspected human carcinogen.

Canada - Manitoba OELs: carcinogenicity
SILICA, CRYSTALLINE-ALPHA-QUARTZ, RESPIRABLE FRACTION (CAS 14808-60-7) Suspected human carcinogen.
TITANIUM DIOXIDE (CAS 13463-67-7) Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.

Canada - Quebec OELs: Carcinogenic category
Crystalline Silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7) Suspected carcinogenic effect in humans.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity
Crystalline Silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7) 1 Carcinogenic to humans.
Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7) 2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

Reproductive toxicity Not classified. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure No data available.
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
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
Crystalline silica: Overexposure to the respirable dust of crystalline silica (quartz or cristobalite, less than or equal to 5 microns in size) may lead to silicosis in humans, which is a progressive and irreversible lung disease.

Further information
Inhalation of high concentrations of quartz dust can lead to the lung disease known as silicosis, with cough and shortness of breath.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity
Not expected to be harmful to aquatic organisms.

Persistence and degradability
No data is available on the degradability of this product.

Bioaccumulative potential
No data available for this product.

Mobility in soil
The product is not mobile in soil.

Other adverse effects
The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions
Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container.

Hazardous waste code
The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.

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 container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).

Contaminated packaging
Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

14. Transport information

TDG
Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA
Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG
Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code
This substance/mixture is not intended to be transported in bulk.

15. Regulatory information

Canadian regulations
This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the HPR and the SDS contains all the information required by the HPR.

Controlled Drugs and Substances Act
Not regulated.

Export Control List (CEPA 1999, Schedule 3)
Not listed.

Greenhouse Gases
Not listed.

Precursor Control Regulations
Not regulated.

International regulations

Stockholm Convention
Not applicable.

Rotterdam Convention
Not applicable.

Kyoto protocol
Not applicable.
Montreal Protocol
Not applicable.

Basel Convention
Not applicable.

International Inventories

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A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other Information

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