

DATA SHEET / FINE DRY GRID 55A SAND

SECTION 1 – PRODUCT & COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Trade Name:	Silica Sand	CAS Number:	14808-60-7
Chemical Family:	N/A	NOISH Number:	N/A
Chemical Name:	Silicon Dioxide	Hazchem code:	N/A
Synonyms:	Crystalline silica, silica quartz	UN Number:	N/A

SECTION 2 – COMPOSITION & INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

	Fe2O3 %	MnO %	Cr2O3 %	V2O5 %	TiO2 %	CaO %	K2O %	P2O5 %	SiO2 %	Al2O3 %	MgO %	Na2O %	LOI %	Total
AFS 50+	0.05	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.08	0.01	0.02	0.00	99.49	0.19	0.10	0.00	0.11	100.05

SECTION 3 – HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Potential Health Effects:

INHALATION: Acute, short term exposure: mild and temporary discomfort to respiratory tract, similar to nuisance dust. Excessive inhalation of crystalline silica is a serious health concern.

INGESTION: May cause irritation of the mouth, throat and stomach.

SKIN CONTACT: Not applicable

EYE CONTACT: Dust may cause mechanical irritation, redness, pain, damage to the cornea if not flushed out promptly.

CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS: Chronic long term inhalation may result in pulmonary fibrosis (silicosis).

SECTION 4 – FIRST AID MEASURES

INHALATION FIRST AID: Leave area to breath fresh air. Avoid further overexposure. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention.

INGESTION FIRST AID: Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical attention

SKIN CONTACT FIRST AID: Not applicable

EYE CONTACT FIRST AID: In the case of eye contact, immediately flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes while holding eyelids apart. Seek medical attention.

SECTION 5 – FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Material is non-flammable as supplied.

In the event of a dry fire (packaging) ABC powder, water, foam.

Do not use water & foam simultaneously.

SECTION 6 – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Small Spill:

Use appropriate tools to put the spilled solid in a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and dispose of according to local & regional authority requirements.

Large Spill:

Use a shovel to put the material into a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and dispose of according to local & regional authority requirements.

SECTION 7 – HANDLING & STORAGE

Prevent inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Personal protective equipment must be worn when handling, and during the repair of contaminated machinery. Store in a well ventilated area.



SECTION 8 – EXPOSURE CONTROLS & PERSONAL PROTECTION

Applicable dust mask or respirator to be worn. Eye protection and overalls to be worn where applicable.

SECTION 9 – PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Melting point:	1650 Degrees Celsius	Flash point:	N/A
Physical state:	Brown solid granule	Explosiveness:	N/A
Odour	None	Solubility:	Insoluble
Density:	2.65g/cm ³	pH:	7.3

SECTION 10 – STABILITY & REACTIVITY

Known decomposition product:	None
Stability during storage:	Stable
Storage life:	Unlimited

SECTION 11 – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

May contain more than 1% quartz and may cause cancer (tumorigenic). Quartz has been identified by IARC as a class 1 carcinogen.

SECTION 12 – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No data available

SECTION 13 – DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste shall be disposed of according to all applicable regulations. Records of all waste disposed must be retained and a safe disposal certificate where applicable must be received from the waste disposal facility or designated authorised area.

SECTION 14 – TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Silica Sand is pumped into road tankers for delivery.

SECTION 15 – REGULATORY INFORMATION

As supplied the product is not subject to any specific provision.

SECTION 16 – OTHER INFORMATION

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