



# Rescoset Chrome Mortar

## Safety Data Sheet

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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Identification

Product form : Mixture  
Product name : Rescoset Chrome Mortar  
CAS-No. : Mixture  
Product code : 7281  
Other means of identification : Basic Speciality

#### 1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture : Refractory  
Recommended use : Industrial use

#### 1.3. Supplier

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#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : EMERGENCY ONLY (CHEMTREC) USA & Canada 1-800-424-9300  
Outside USA & Canada +1 703-741-5970

### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

##### GHS US classification

Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2 H315 Causes skin irritation  
Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2B H320 Causes eye irritation  
Carcinogenicity Category 1A H350 May cause cancer (Inhalation)

Full text of H statements : see section 16

#### 2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

##### GHS US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS US) :



Signal word (GHS US) : Danger  
Hazard statements (GHS US) : H350 - May cause cancer (Inhalation)  
H315 - Causes skin irritation  
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation  
Precautionary statements (GHS US) : P280 - Wear Dust respirator, eye protection, protective gloves.  
P260 - Do not breathe dust.  
P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.  
P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

#### 2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

#### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

### SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
Transvaal Chrome Ore	(CAS-No.) 1308-31-2	75 – 95	Not classified
sodium silicate, alkaline 1.6/2.6, 35%≤concs≤55%, aqueous solutions	(CAS-No.) 1344-09-8	10 – 20	Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2B, H320
quartz	(CAS-No.) 14808-60-7	1 – 5	Carc. 1A, H350

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

### SECTION 4: First-aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).  
First-aid measures after inhalation : Allow affected person to breathe fresh air. Allow the victim to rest.

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First-aid measures after skin contact	: Gently wash with plenty of soap and water.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms	: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Symptoms/effects after inhalation	: May cause cancer by inhalation. Danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Causes skin irritation.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Causes serious eye irritation.

### 4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

No additional information available

## SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

### 5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	: Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	: No unsuitable extinguishing media known.

### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire hazard	: Not flammable.
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### 5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighting instructions	: Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment.
Protection during firefighting	: Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

No additional information available

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment	: Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.
Emergency procedures	: Stop release.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

No additional information available

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment	: Collect spillage.
Methods for cleaning up	: On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling	: Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid contact with skin.
Hygiene measures	: Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.

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

Storage conditions	: Store this product in a dry location where it can be protected from the elements.
Incompatible products	: Strong bases. Strong acids.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

<b>Rescoset Chrome Mortar (Mixture)</b>	
No additional information available	
<b>sodium silicate, alkaline 1.6/2.6, 35%≤conc≤55%, aqueous solutions (1344-09-8)</b>	
No additional information available	
<b>Transvaal Chrome Ore (1308-31-2)</b>	
<b>USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits</b>	
ACGIH TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> inhalable dust
<b>quartz (14808-60-7)</b>	
<b>USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits</b>	
ACGIH TWA (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Silica-Crystalline Quartz; USA; Time-weighted average exposure limit 8 h; TLV - Adopted Value; Respirable fraction)
<b>USA - OSHA - Occupational Exposure Limits</b>	
Local name	Silica, crystalline quartz, respirable dust
OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable dust
Remark (OSHA)	(3) See Table Z-3.

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### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Emergency eye wash fountain with clean water.

### 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

#### Personal protective equipment:

Avoid all unnecessary exposure.

#### Hand protection:

Wear protective gloves.

#### Eye protection:

Chemical goggles or safety glasses

#### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

#### Respiratory protection:

After air drying or heating. Dust when sawing or tear out. Wear appropriate mask

#### Other information:

Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Solid
Appearance	: Granular Mixture.
Color	: Black brown
Odor	: Earthy Odor
Odor threshold	: Not applicable
pH	: >10
Melting point	: > 2500 °F
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: Not applicable
Critical temperature	: Not applicable
Critical pressure	: Not applicable
Flash point	: Not applicable
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: Not applicable
Relative evaporation rate (ether=1)	: Not applicable
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Non flammable.
Vapor pressure	: Not applicable
Vapor pressure at 50 °C	: Not applicable
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: 2.5 – 3.5
Solubility	: Slightly soluble.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: Not Applicable
Explosion limits	: Not applicable
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available

### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

Fire conditions may produce small amounts of hexavalent chromium and other oxidation products.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Not established.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not established.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

No additional information available

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Strong bases.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

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### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral) : Not classified  
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified  
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

##### **sodium silicate, alkaline 1.6/2.6, 35%≤conc≤55%, aqueous solutions (1344-09-8)**

LD50 oral rat > 2000 mg/kg (Rat, Oral)

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes skin irritation.  
Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes eye irritation.  
Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified  
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified  
Carcinogenicity : May cause cancer (Inhalation).

##### **quartz (14808-60-7)**

IARC group 1 - Carcinogenic to humans

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified  
STOT-single exposure : Not classified  
STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified  
Aspiration hazard : Not classified  
Viscosity, kinematic : No data available  
Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.  
Symptoms/effects after inhalation : May cause cancer by inhalation. Danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure through inhalation.  
Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Causes skin irritation.  
Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation.

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

##### **sodium silicate, alkaline 1.6/2.6, 35%≤conc≤55%, aqueous solutions (1344-09-8)**

LC50 fish 1 210 mg/l (96 h, Brachydanio rerio, Pure substance)

EC50 Daphnia 1 216 mg/l (96 h, Daphnia magna, Pure substance)

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

##### **Rescoset Chrome Mortar (Mixture)**

Persistence and degradability Not established.

##### **sodium silicate, alkaline 1.6/2.6, 35%≤conc≤55%, aqueous solutions (1344-09-8)**

Persistence and degradability Biodegradability: not applicable.

Chemical oxygen demand (COD) Not applicable

ThOD Not applicable

BOD (% of ThOD) Not applicable

##### **Transvaal Chrome Ore (1308-31-2)**

Persistence and degradability Not established.

Chemical oxygen demand (COD) Not applicable

ThOD Not applicable

##### **quartz (14808-60-7)**

Persistence and degradability Not applicable.

Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD) Not applicable

Chemical oxygen demand (COD) Not applicable

ThOD Not applicable

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

##### **Rescoset Chrome Mortar (Mixture)**

Bioaccumulative potential Not established.

##### **sodium silicate, alkaline 1.6/2.6, 35%≤conc≤55%, aqueous solutions (1344-09-8)**

Bioaccumulative potential No bioaccumulation data available.

##### **Transvaal Chrome Ore (1308-31-2)**

Bioaccumulative potential No data available.

##### **quartz (14808-60-7)**

Bioaccumulative potential No data available.

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

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### sodium silicate, alkaline 1.6/2.6, 35%≤conc≤55%, aqueous solutions (1344-09-8)

Ecology - soil No (test) data on mobility of the components available.

### Transvaal Chrome Ore (1308-31-2)

Ecology - soil No data available.

#### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Effect on the global warming None known  
Other information : Avoid release to the environment.

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Disposal methods

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.  
Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Not regulated

#### Transportation of Dangerous Goods

Not regulated

#### Transport by sea

Not regulated

#### Air transport

Not regulated

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1. US Federal regulations

##### Rescoset Chrome Mortar (Mixture)

All components of this product are listed, or excluded from listing, on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory except for:

Transvaal Chrome Ore	CAS-No. 1308-31-2	75 – 95%
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#### 15.2. International regulations

##### CANADA

##### Transvaal Chrome Ore (1308-31-2)

Not listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)/NDSL (Non-Domestic Substances List)

##### EU-Regulations

No additional information available

##### National regulations

##### quartz (14808-60-7)

Listed on IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

#### 15.3. US State regulations

##### Rescoset Chrome Mortar (Mixture)

U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Other information	This product contains crystalline silica, a chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer. For more information go to <a href="http://WWW.P65Warnings.ca.gov">WWW.P65Warnings.ca.gov</a>
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##### Transvaal Chrome Ore (1308-31-2)

U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Other information	This product contains chromite (Cr <sup>+3</sup> ) which may in normal use, be converted chemically to a chromate (Cr <sup>+6</sup> ) hexavalent chrome, a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.
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##### quartz (14808-60-7)

U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxicity	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Female	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Male	No significant risk level (NSRL)	Maximum allowable dose level (MADL)
Yes	No	No	No		

##### Component

##### State or local regulations

Transvaal Chrome Ore (1308-31-2)	U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List; U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List
Quartz (14808-60-7)	U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List

### SECTION 16: Other information

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Other information : Report language name. English. In the event of any conflict between English and other language versions, the English version shall prevail.

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Full text of H-phrases:

H315	Causes skin irritation
H320	Causes eye irritation
H350	May cause cancer

SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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