

Mica Flakes SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier: Mica Flakes

Recommended use: Floor Surfacing

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2. HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

Classification:

Physical	Health
Not Hazardous	Not Hazardous

Labeling: None Required

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical name	CAS No.	Concentration
Mica	12001-26-2	95-100%

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Inhalation: Remove victim to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, have qualified personnel administer oxygen. Seek medical attention if irritation or other symptoms persist.

Skin contact: Remove contaminated clothing. Wash with soap and water. If irritation develops, get medical attention.

Eye contact Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Flush eyes thoroughly with large amounts of water, holding eyelids open. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

Ingestion: Rinse mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by a medical professional. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious or convulsing person. Get medical attention if symptoms develop.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed: Dust may cause eye and respiratory irritation. Prolonged inhalation of high concentration of dust may cause adverse effects on the lungs.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary: None required under normal conditions of use.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media: Use media appropriate for the surrounding fire.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical: None known.

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters: Firefighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing. Cool fire exposed containers with water.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment, and emergency procedures: Wear appropriate protective clothing as described in Section 8. Avoid breathing dust.

Environmental precautions: Avoid release to the environment. Report releases as required by local, state and federal authorities.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up: Scoop or sweep up and place into a container for disposal. Avoid generating dust.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling: Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly after handling. Use with adequate ventilation.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities: No special storage required.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure guidelines:

Mica	20 mppcf TWA OSHA PEL 3 mg/m3 TWA ACGIH TLV (respirable)
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Appropriate engineering controls: Use with adequate general or local exhaust ventilation to maintain exposure levels below the occupational exposure limits.

Personal Protective Equipment:

Respiratory protection: If the exposures are excessive, a NIOSH approved respirator with a dust/mist filter or supplied air respirator is recommended. Selection and use of respiratory equipment must be in accordance with OSHA 1910.134 and good industrial hygiene practice.

Skin protection: Wear leather work gloves to prevent skin abrasions.

Eye protection: Chemical safety goggles recommended to avoid eye contact. .

Other: Impervious clothing as needed to prevent contact.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance (physical state, color, etc.): Clear flake or powder.

Odor: No odor

Odor threshold: Not available	pH: Not applicable
Melting Point/Freezing Point: 2732°F (1500°C)	Boiling Point: Not applicable
Flash point: Not applicable	Evaporation rate: Not applicable
Flammability (solid, gas): Not flammable	
Flammable limits: LEL: Not applicable	UEL: Not applicable
Vapor pressure: Not applicable	Vapor density: Not applicable
Relative density: 2.6	Solubility(is): Insoluble
Partition coefficient: n-Octanol/water: Not applicable	Auto-ignition temperature: Not applicable
Decomposition temperature: Not available	Viscosity: Not applicable

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: None known.
Chemical stability: Stable.
Possibility of hazardous reactions: Not expected to be reactive.
Conditions to avoid: None known.
Incompatible materials: None known.
Hazardous decomposition products: None known.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Inhalation: Excessive inhalation of dust may cause upper respiratory tract irritation, coughing and difficulty in breathing.
Ingestion: Swallowing may cause gastrointestinal irritation and nausea.
Skin contact: May cause mechanical skin irritation with redness and pain.
Eye contact: May cause mechanical irritation with redness and tearing.

Chronic effects from short- and long-term exposure: Prolonged inhalation of respirable dust may cause adverse lung effects.

Reproductive Toxicity: This product is not expected to cause adverse reproductive or developmental effects.

Sensitization: This product has not been shown to cause sensitization in animals or humans.

Mutagenicity: This product is not expected to cause mutagenic activity.

Carcinogenicity: None of the components are listed as a carcinogen by IARC, NTP, ACGIH or OSHA.

Acute Toxicity Values:
Mica: No toxicity data available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity:
Mica: No data available
Persistence and degradability: Biodegradation is not applicable to inorganic substances.

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available

Mobility in soil: No data available.

Other adverse effects: None known.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

	UN Number	Proper shipping name	Hazard Class	Packing Group	Environmental Hazard
DOT	None	Not Regulated	None	None	None
TDG	None	Not Regulated	None	None	None
IMDG	None	Not Regulated	None	None	None
IATA	None	Not Regulated	None	None	None

Transport in bulk (according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code): Not applicable – product is transported only in packaged form.

Special precautions: None known

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

CERCLA: This product is not subject to CERCLA reporting requirements as it is sold. Many states have more stringent release reporting requirements. Report spills required under federal, state and local regulations.

SARA Hazard Category (311/312): Not hazardous

SARA 313 Information: This product contains the following chemicals subject to Annual Release Reporting Requirements Under SARA Title III, Section 313 (40 CFR 372): None

California Proposition 65

This product contains the following chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity (birth defects): None known

EPA TSCA Inventory: All of the ingredients in this product are listed on the EPA TSCA Inventory.

CANADA:

Canadian CEPA: All of the ingredients in this product are listed on the Canadian DSL.

Canadian WHMIS Classification: Not a controlled product

This product has been classified under the CPR and this MSDS discloses information elements required by the CPR.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA Rating: Health = 1 Flammability = 0 Instability = 0
HMIS Rating: Health = 1 Flammability = 0 Physical Hazard = 0

SDS Revision History: Converted to GHS format. All sections revised.

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