



# Sakrete Masonry Cement Type N & S

## Safety Data Sheet

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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Identification

Product form : Mixture  
Product name : Sakrete Masonry Cement Type N & S  
Product code : Not available

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

Use of the substance/mixture : Various

#### 1.3. Supplier

##### Manufacturer

Sakrete of North America  
625 Griffith Rd., Ste 100  
Charlotte, NC 28217  
T 866-725-7383

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : CHEMTREC (800) 424-9300

### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

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

##### GHS US classification

Skin Irrit. 2	Causes skin irritation
Eye Dam. 1	Causes serious eye damage
Skin Sens. 1B	May cause an allergic skin reaction
Carc. 1A	May cause cancer
STOT SE 3	May cause respiratory irritation

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

##### GHS US labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS US) :



Signal word (GHS US) : Danger

Hazard statements (GHS US) : Causes skin irritation  
May cause an allergic skin reaction  
Causes serious eye damage  
May cause respiratory irritation  
May cause cancer

Precautionary statements (GHS US) : Obtain special instructions before use.  
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
Avoid breathing dust, gas, fume, mist, spray, vapors.  
Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling.  
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. If not in a well-ventilated area, wear a NIOSH-approved respirator or other dust mask when using the product to avoid or minimize exposure to dust.  
Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace.

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Wear eye protection, face protection, protective clothing, protective gloves.  
If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.  
If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.  
Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.  
If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.  
If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.  
Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell.  
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
Immediately call a poison center or doctor.  
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.  
Store locked up.  
Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulation.

### 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	%
Cement, portland, chemicals	CAS-No.: 65997-15-1	45 - 70
Limestone	CAS-No.: 1317-65-3	30 - 60
Quartz	CAS-No.: 14808-60-7	< 0.2

\*Chemical name, CAS number and/or exact concentration have been withheld as a trade secret

## SECTION 4: First-aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.  
First-aid measures after inhalation : If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.  
First-aid measures after skin contact : IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of Water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.  
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. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.  
First-aid measures after ingestion : Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

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

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : Dust may cause respiratory tract irritation. Respirable crystalline silica (quartz) can cause silicosis, a fibrosis (scarring) of the lungs.

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Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Causes skin irritation. May cause burns in the presence of moisture. Skin contact during hydration may slowly develop sufficient heat that may cause severe burns possibly resulting in permanent injury. Do not allow product to harden around any body part or allow continuous, prolonged contact with skin. Handling can cause dry skin.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Causes serious eye damage. Symptoms may include discomfort or pain, excess blinking and tear production, with marked redness and swelling of the conjunctiva. May cause burns.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: May be harmful if swallowed. May cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.
Chronic symptoms	: May cause cancer through inhalation of dust.

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

Symptoms may be delayed. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

## 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	: Do not use water jet.

### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire hazard	: Products of combustion may include, and are not limited to: oxides of carbon, irritating vapors.
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### 5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Protection during firefighting	: Keep upwind of fire. Wear full fire fighting turn-out gear (full Bunker gear) and respiratory protection (SCBA).
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## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

General measures	: Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Isolate the hazard area and deny entry to unnecessary and unprotected personnel.
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#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

No additional information available

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

No additional information available

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters.

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

For containment	: Contain spill, then place in a suitable container. Do not flush to sewer or allow to enter waterways. Use appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE).
Methods for cleaning up	: Vacuum or sweep material and place in a disposal container. Avoid generating dust. Provide ventilation.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

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### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Do not swallow. Do not get in eyes. Avoid contact with skin and clothing. Avoid generating and breathing dust. Good housekeeping is important to prevent accumulation of dust. Handle and open container with care. The use of compressed air for cleaning clothing, equipment, etc, is not recommended. When using do not eat, drink or smoke.
- Hygiene measures : Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Always wash hands after handling the product. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

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

- Storage conditions : Keep out of the reach of children. Store in dust-tight, dry, labelled containers. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Avoid any dust buildup by frequent cleaning and suitable construction of the storage area. Do not store in an area equipped with emergency water sprinklers.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

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No additional information available

##### Cement, portland, chemicals (65997-15-1)

##### USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits

Local name	Portland cement
ACGIH OEL TWA	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (particulate matter containing no asbestos and <1% crystalline silica, respirable particulate matter)
Remark (ACGIH)	TLV® Basis: Pulm func; resp symptoms; asthma. Notations: A4 (Not classifiable as a Human Carcinogen)
ACGIH chemical category	Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen
Regulatory reference	ACGIH 2020

##### USA - OSHA - Occupational Exposure Limits

OSHA PEL (TWA) [1]	15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (total dust) 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirable fraction)
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##### Limestone (1317-65-3)

##### USA - OSHA - Occupational Exposure Limits

OSHA PEL (TWA) [1]	15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (total dust) 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirable fraction)
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##### Quartz (14808-60-7)

##### USA - ACGIH - Occupational Exposure Limits

ACGIH OEL TWA	0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirable particulate matter)
ACGIH chemical category	Suspected Human Carcinogen

##### USA - OSHA - Occupational Exposure Limits

Local name	Quartz (Total Dust) (Silica: Crystalline)
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Quartz (14808-60-7)	
OSHA PEL (TWA) [1]	50 µg/m <sup>3</sup> (Respirable crystalline silica)
Remark (OSHA)	Table Z-3. For OSHA PEL (TWA) use formula: (30 mg/m <sup>3</sup> / (%SiO <sub>2</sub> +2)) for mg/m <sup>3</sup> . CAS No. source: eCFR Table Z-1.
Regulatory reference (US-OSHA)	OSHA Annotated Table Z-3 Mineral Dusts

### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls	: Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Provide readily accessible eye wash stations and safety showers.
Environmental exposure controls	: Avoid release to the environment.

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

<b>Hand protection:</b>
Wear suitable waterproof gloves
<b>Eye protection:</b>
Wear approved eye (properly fitted dust- or splash-proof chemical safety goggles) / face (face shield) protection.
<b>Skin and body protection:</b>
Wear suitable waterproof protective clothing
<b>Respiratory protection:</b>
A NIOSH approved dust mask or filtering facepiece is recommended in poorly ventilated areas or when permissible exposure limits may be exceeded. Respirators should be selected by and used under the direction of a trained health and safety professional following requirements found in OSHA's respirator standard (29 CFR 1910.134) and ANSI's standard for respiratory protection (Z88.2).

#### Other information:

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

Physical state	: Solid
Appearance	: Powder.
Color	: Gray / White
Odor	: Odorless
Odor threshold	: No data available
pH	: 12 – 13
Melting point	: > 1000 °C / 1832 °F
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: > 1000 °C / 1832 °F
Flash point	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Not flammable.
Vapor pressure	: No data available
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: 3.15
Solubility	: Water: 0.1 - 1 %
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available

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Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosion limits	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available

### 9.2. Other information

VOC content : 0%, Not applicable; 0 wt, Not applicable.

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Moisture. Incompatible materials.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Wet cement is alkaline and incompatible with acid, ammonium salts and aluminum metal.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

May include, and are not limited to: oxides of carbon. Metal oxides. May generate irritating or corrosive vapours.

## 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
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Causes skin irritation. pH: 12 – 13
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes serious eye damage. pH: 12 – 13
Respiratory or skin sensitization	: May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: May cause cancer.

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IARC group	1 - Carcinogenic to humans
National Toxicology Program (NTP) Status	Known Human Carcinogens
In OSHA Hazard Communication Carcinogen list	Yes

Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
STOT-single exposure	: May cause respiratory irritation.

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STOT-single exposure	May cause respiratory irritation.
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified
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STOT-repeated exposure	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Symptoms/effects after inhalation	: Dust may cause respiratory tract irritation. Respirable crystalline silica (quartz) can cause silicosis, a fibrosis (scarring) of the lungs.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Causes skin irritation. May cause burns in the presence of moisture. Skin contact during hydration may slowly develop sufficient heat that may cause severe burns possibly resulting in permanent injury. Do not allow product to harden around any body part or allow continuous, prolonged contact with skin. Handling can cause dry skin.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Causes serious eye damage. Symptoms may include discomfort or pain, excess blinking and tear production, with marked redness and swelling of the conjunctiva. May cause burns.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: May be harmful if swallowed. May cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.
Chronic symptoms	: May cause cancer through inhalation of dust.
Other information	: Likely routes of exposure: ingestion, inhalation, skin and eye.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : No ecological consideration when used according to directions.

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Persistence and degradability	Not established.
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### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.
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### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Other information : No other effects known.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Disposal methods

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulation.

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### SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with DOT

#### 14.1. UN number

Not regulated for transport

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Not applicable

#### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

##### DOT

Transport hazard class(es) (DOT) : Not applicable

#### 14.4. Packing group

Packing group (DOT) : Not applicable

#### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Other information : No supplementary information available.

#### 14.6. Special precautions for user

Special transport precautions : Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

#### 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1. US Federal regulations

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

#### 15.2. International regulations

No additional information available

#### 15.3. US State regulations

**⚠ WARNING:** This product can expose you to Quartz, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information go to [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov).

### SECTION 16: Other information

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