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SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product name	:	Merkrete [®] 101 One-Step	
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Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use	:	For further information, refer to product data sheet.	

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS classification in accordance with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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Signal Word	:	Danger
GHS label elements Hazard pictograms	:	
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	:	Category 1 (Lungs)
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	:	Category 3 (Respiratory system)
Carcinogenicity (Inhalation)	:	Category 1A
Skin sensitization	:	Category 1
Serious eye damage	:	Category 1
Skin corrosion	:	Category 1C

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Hazard Statements	 H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H335 May cause respiratory irritation. H350 May cause cancer by inhalation. H372 Causes damage to organs (Lungs) through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Precautionary Statements	 Prevention: P201 Obtain special instructions before use. P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. P260 Do not breathe dust. P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling. P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. P272 Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace. P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
	 Response: P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. P304 + P340 + P310 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor. P305 + P351 + P338 + P310 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/ doctor. P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention. P333 + P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention. P362 + P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
	Storage: P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. P405 Store locked up.
	Disposal: P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.
Additional Labeling	

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There are no ingredients with unknown acute toxicity used in a mixture at a concentration >= 1%.



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Other hazards

None known.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Mixtures

Components

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Classification	Concentra-
			tion (% w/w)
Quartz (SiO2) >5µm	14808-60-7	Carc. 1A; H350	>= 50 - < 70
		STOT RE 1; H372	
		STOT SE 3; H335	
Portland Cement	65997-15-1	Skin Corr. 1C; H314	>= 30 - < 50
		Eye Dam. 1; H318	
		Skin Sens. 1; H317	
		STOT SE 3; H335	
Limestone	1317-65-3		>= 1 - < 5

Actual concentration is withheld as a trade secret

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice :	Move out of dangerous area. Consult a physician. Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attend- ance.
If inhaled :	Move to fresh air. Consult a physician after significant exposure.
In case of skin contact :	Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Immediate medical treatment is necessary as untreated wounds from corrosion of the skin heal slowly and with difficul- ty.
In case of eye contact :	Small amounts splashed into eyes can cause irreversible tis- sue damage and blindness. In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital. Remove contact lenses. Keep eye wide open while rinsing.
If swallowed :	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Take victim immediately to hospital.

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Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	:	May cause an allergic skin reaction. Causes serious eye damage. May cause respiratory irritation. May cause cancer by inhalation. Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Causes severe burns. Health injuries may be delayed. corrosive effects irritant effects sensitizing effects Prolonged exposure can cause silicosis. Cough Respiratory disorder Allergic reactions Dermatitis			
Notes to physician	:	Treat symptomatically.			
SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEA	SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES				
Suitable extinguishing media	:	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local cir- cumstances and the surrounding environment.			
Further information	:	Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must not be discharged into drains. Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.			
Special protective equipment for fire-fighters	:	In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.			

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protec- tive equipment and emer- gency procedures	:	Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing dust. Deny access to unprotected persons.
Environmental precautions	:	Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	:	Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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Advice on protection against fire and explosion	: Avoid dust formation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.
Advice on safe handling	 Avoid formation of respirable particles. Avoid exceeding the given occupational exposure limits (see section 8). Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. For personal protection see section 8. Persons with a history of skin sensitization problems or asthma, allergies, chronic or recurrent respiratory disease should not be employed in any process in which this mixture is being used. Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area. Follow standard hygiene measures when handling chemical products.
Conditions for safe storage	 Store in original container. Keep in a well-ventilated place. Observe label precautions. Store in accordance with local regulations.
Materials to avoid	: Explosives Oxidizing agents Poisonous gases Dangerous when wet Flammable solids Organic peroxides Poisonous liquids Spontaneously Combustible Substances
Further information on stor- age stability	: Keep in a dry place. No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Ingredients with workplace control parameters Components CAS-No. Value type Control parame-Basis (Form of ters / Permissible exposure) concentration Quartz (SiO2) >5µm 14808-60-7 TWA (Res-0.025 mg/m3 ACGIH pirable particulate matter) TWA (Res-0.05 mg/m3 OSHA Z-1 pirable dust) TWA (respir-10 mg/m3 / OSHA Z-3 %SiO2+2 able) 250 mppcf / OSHA Z-3 TWA (respir-%SiO2+5 able) 5/12



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		TWA (respir- able dust fraction)	0.1 mg/m3	OSHA P0
		TWA (Res- pirable par- ticulate mat- ter)	0.025 mg/m3 (Silica)	ACGIH
		PÉL (respir- able)	0.05 mg/m3	OSHA CARC
		TWÁ (respir- able dust fraction)	0.1 mg/m3	OSHA P0
		TWA (Res- pirable par- ticulate mat- ter)	0.025 mg/m3	ACGIH
		TWA (Res- pirable par- ticulate mat- ter)	0.025 mg/m3 (Silica)	ACGIH
Portland Cement	65997-15-1	TWA (Res- pirable par- ticulate mat- ter)	1 mg/m3	ACGIH
		TWA (total dust)	15 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
		TWA (respir- able fraction)	5 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
		TWA (Total dust)	10 mg/m3	OSHA P0
		TWA (respir- able dust fraction)	5 mg/m3	OSHA P0
		TWA (Dust)	50 Million parti- cles per cubic foot	OSHA Z-3
		TWA (Total)	10 mg/m3	OSHA P0
		TWA (Res- pirable frac- tion)	5 mg/m3	OSHA P0
Limestone	1317-65-3	TWA (total dust)	15 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
		TWA (respir- able fraction)	5 mg/m3	OSHA Z-1
		TWA (Total dust)	15 mg/m3	OSHA P0
		TWA (respir- able dust fraction)	5 mg/m3	OSHA P0

The above constituents are the only constituents of the product which have a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit. At this time, the other constituents have no known exposure limits.

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Particles of nuisance dust

Form of exposure		Value type	Control parameters	Basis
total dust		TWA	15 mg/m3	OSHA Z-3
respirable fraction		TWA	5 mg/m3	OSHA Z-3
Engineering measures	wor proo ces ing	se of adequate ventilation should be sufficient to control orker exposure to airborne contaminants. If the use of this oduct generates dust, fumes, gas, vapor or mist, use pro- ess enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineer- g controls to keep worker exposure below any recommend- d or statutory limits.		
Personal protective equipmer	nt			
Respiratory protection	resp	a properly fitted NIOS birator complying with a sment indicates this is i	in approved standard if	
	imu (ga: dlin	e filter class for the resp m expected contaminal s/vapor/aerosol/particul g the product. If this con tained breathing appara	nt concentration ates) that may arise wh ncentration is exceeded	nen han-
Hand protection	арр	emical-resistant, imperv roved standard should mical products if a risk ary.	be worn at all times wh	ien handling
Eye protection		ety eyewear complying used when a risk asses		
Skin and body protection	Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concen tration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the spe cific work-place.			
Hygiene measures	Wa the Rer befo Wa	id contact with skin, ey sh hands before breaks product. nove contaminated clot ore entering eating area sh thoroughly after han id breathing dust.	and immediately after hing and protective equas.	Ū

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance

: powder

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	Color	:	gray, white
	Odor	:	odorless
	Odor Threshold	:	No data available
	pН	:	Not applicable
	Melting point/range / Freezing	:	No data available
	point Boiling point/boiling range	:	No data available
	Flash point	:	Not applicable
	Evaporation rate	:	No data available
	Flammability (solid, gas)	:	No data available
	Upper explosion limit / Upper flammability limit	:	No data available
	Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit	:	No data available
	Vapor pressure	:	No data available
	Relative vapor density	:	No data available
	Density	:	1.35 - 1.45 g/cm3 (68 °F / 20 °C)
	Solubility(ies) Water solubility	:	insoluble
	Solubility in other solvents	:	No data available
	Partition coefficient: n- octanol/water	:	No data available
	Autoignition temperature	:	No data available
	Decomposition temperature	:	No data available
	Viscosity Viscosity, dynamic	:	No data available
	Viscosity, kinematic	:	No data available
	Explosive properties	:	No data available
	Oxidizing properties	:	No data available
	Volatile organic compounds (VOC) content	:	Not applicable
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SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY						
	Reactivity	:	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.			
	Chemical stability	:	The product is chemically stable.			
	Possibility of hazardous reac- tions	:	Stable under recommended storage conditions.			
	Conditions to avoid	:	No data available			
	Incompatible materials	:	No data available			
	Hazardous decomposition products	:	No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.			

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Not classified due to lack of data.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Causes severe burns.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Causes serious eye damage.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Skin sensitization

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Respiratory sensitization

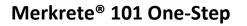
Not classified due to lack of data.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified due to lack of data.

Carcinogenicity

May cause car IARC	ncer by inhalation. Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans Quartz (SiO2) (Silica dust, crystalline)	14808-60-7
OSHA	OSHA specifically regulated carcinogen Quartz (SiO2) (crystalline silica)	14808-60-7
NTP	Known to be human carcinogen Quartz (SiO2) (Silica, Crystalline (Respirable Size))	14808-60-7



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Reproductive toxicity

Not classified due to lack of data.

STOT-single exposure

May cause respiratory irritation.

STOT-repeated exposure

Causes damage to organs (Lungs) through prolonged or repeated exposure. Once sensitized, a severe allergic reaction may occur when subsequently exposed to very low levels. Prolonged exposure can cause silicosis.

Aspiration toxicity

Not classified due to lack of data.

Further information

Product:

Quartz (14808-60-7): This classification is relevant when exposed to Quartz (silicon dioxide) in dust or powder form only, including cured product that is subject to sanding, grinding, cutting, or other surface preparation activities.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

No data available

Persistence and degradability

No data available

Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

Mobility in soil

No data available

Other adverse effects

Product:

Additional ecological information Do not empty into drains; dispose of this material and its container in a safe way.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods

Waste from residues	:	Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should
		at all times comply with the requirements of environmental
		protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional
		local authority requirements.

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Contaminated packaging

Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

International Regulations

IATA-DGR Not regulated as a dangerous good

IMDG-Code Not regulated as a dangerous good

Domestic regulation

49 CFR Not regulated as a dangerous good

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA list

: All chemical substances in this product are either listed as active on the TSCA Inventory or are in compliance with a TSCA Inventory exemption.

No substances are subject to a Significant New Use Rule.

No substances are subject to TSCA 12(b) export notification requirements.

CERCLA Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.

SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

SARA 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Threshold Planning Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

SARA 311/312 Hazards	 Respiratory or skin sensitization Carcinogenicity Specific target organ toxicity (single or repeated exposure) Skin corrosion or irritation Serious eye damage or eye irritation
SARA 313	 This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

Clean Air Act

This product does not contain any hazardous air pollutants (HAP), as defined by the U.S. Clean Air Act Section 112 (40 CFR 61).



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California Prop. 65

▲ WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including Quartz (SiO2) >5µm, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer, and Portland Cement, which is known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Full text of other abbreviations						
ACGIH	:	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)				
OSHA CARC		OSHA Specifically Regulated Chemicals/Carcinogens				
OSHA P0	÷	USA. Table Z-1-A Limits for Air Contaminants (1989 vacated values)				
OSHA Z-1	:	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Lim- its for Air Contaminants				
OSHA Z-3	:	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-3 Mineral Dusts				
ACGIH / TWA	:	8-hour, time-weighted average				
OSHA CARC / PEL	:	Permissible exposure limit (PEL)				
OSHA P0 / TWA	:	8-hour time weighted average				
OSHA Z-1 / TWA		8-hour time weighted average				
OSHA Z-3 / TWA	:	8-hour time weighted average				

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