

# Material Safety Data Sheet



## SC Multipurpose Grout

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### SECTION 1 – PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

Trade name : SC Multipurpose Grout (PN# SCMPG)

Manufacturer : SpecChem  
1619 Walnut Street  
Kansas City, MO 64108

Telephone : (866) 791-8700  
Emergency Phone : CHEMTREC (800) 424-9300

Product Use : Grouting

### SECTION 2 – PRODUCT COMPOSITION

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Weight %
Crystalline Silica (Quartz)/Silica Sand	14808-60-7	50.0 – 70.0
Portland Cement	65997-15-1	25.0 – 45.0

### SECTION 3 – HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Emergency Overview

Gray. Powder. Dust may irritate nose and throat. Dust irritating to the respiratory tract. Leave area to breath fresh air. Avoid further overexposure. If symptoms persist, get medical attention.

#### Acute Potential Health Effects/ Routes of Entry

Inhalation : Dust may irritate nose and throat. Dust irritating to the respiratory tract.

Eyes : Direct contact may cause severe irritation. May cause mechanical irritation or abrasion and possible chemical burns. May cause temporary injury.

Ingestion : May cause irritation to the mouth, throat and stomach. May cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea and vomiting.

Skin : May cause severe irritation. May cause dryness, cracking, irritation and chemical burns. May produce cement dermatitis due to primary irritation from alkaline, hydroscopic and abrasive properties.

#### Aggravated Medical Conditions

Pre-existing eye, skin and respiratory disorders may be aggravated by exposure.

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### SECTION 4 – FIRST AID MEASURES

Get immediate medical attention for any significant overexposure.

Inhalation : Leave area to breathe fresh air. Avoid further overexposure. If symptoms persist, get medical attention.

Eye contact : Flush with water for at least 15 minutes while holding eye lids apart. Get medical attention immediately.

Skin contact : Clean area of contact thoroughly using soap and water. If irritation, rash or other disorders develop, get medical attention immediately.

Ingestion : Do not induce vomiting unless directed by a physician. Call nearest Poison Control Center or Physician immediately.

### SECTION 5 – FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash point : Not applicable.

Method : Not applicable.

Lower explosion limit : Not available.

Upper explosion limit : Not available.

Autoignition temperature : Not available.

Extinguishing media : This product is not expected to burn under normal conditions of use. Use that which is appropriate to the surroundings.

Hazardous combustion products : Not available.

Protective equipment for firefighters : Not applicable. Product is not expected to burn.

Fire and explosion conditions : This product not expected to ignite under normal conditions of use.

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### SECTION 6 – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Use appropriate protective equipment. Avoid contact with material. Dampen material with water to control dusting. Scoop up and transfer to appropriate container for disposal. Flush spill area with water.

### SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

Prevent inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Clean hands thoroughly after handling. Precautions also apply to emptied containers. Personal protective equipment must be worn during maintenance or repair of contaminated mixer, reactor or other equipment. Store in sealed containers in a cool, dry, ventilated warehouse location.

### SECTION 8 – EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Personal protection equipment

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| Respiratory protection   | : | Wear appropriate, properly fitted NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator where airborne concentrations are expected to exceed exposure limits indicated on the MSDS. Follow manufacturer's directions for respirator use.  |
| Hand protection          | : | Use suitable impervious rubber or vinyl gloves and protective apparel to reduce exposure.  |
| Eye protection           | : | Wear appropriate eye protection. Wear chemical safety goggles and/or face shield to prevent eye contact. Do not wear contact lenses. Do not touch eyes with contaminated body parts or materials. Have eye washing facilities readily available  |
| Skin and body protection | : | Prevent contact with shoes and clothing.   |
| Protective measures      | : | Use professional judgment in the selection, care and use. Wear gloves, head coverings and full body clothing as necessary to prevent skin irritation. Washable or disposable clothing may be used. Do not take unwashed clothing home. Work clothes should be washed thoroughly following use. Inform the launderer of the proper procedures. Store work clothes and street clothes separately to prevent contamination. |
| Engineering measures     | : | Use only in well ventilated areas. Provide maximum ventilation in enclosed areas. Use local exhaust when the general ventilation is inadequate.  |

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### Exposure Limits

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Regulation	Limit	Form
Crystalline Silica (Quartz) /Silica Sand	14808-60-7	ACGIH TWA:	0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable fraction
		OSHA TWA:	0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable
		OSHA TWA:	0.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Total dust
		OSHA PEL:	15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Total dust
		OSHA PEL:	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable fraction
Portland Cement	65997-15-1	ACGIH TWA:	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable fraction
		OSHA PEL:	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
		OSHA PEL:	15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Total dust

## SECTION 9 – PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form : Powder

Color : Gray

Odor : None

pH : Not available

Vapor pressure : Not available

Vapor density : Not available

Melting point/range : Not available

Freezing point : Not available

Boiling point/range : Not available

Water solubility : Miscible

Specific Gravity : 2.6 – 3.2

% Volatile Weight : 0%

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### SECTION 10 – REACTIVITY / STABILITY

- Substances to avoid : Not applicable
- Stability : Material is stable under normal storage, handling and use.
- Hazardous polymerization : Will not occur under normal conditions.

### SECTION 11 – TOXICOLOGY INFORMATION

Crystalline silica, CAS-No.: 14808-60-7  
Acute oral toxicity (LD-50 oral) 22,500 mg/kg (Rat)

### SECTION 12 – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No Data Available

### SECTION 13 – DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Method : Recycle or dispose of in compliance with local, provincial and federal regulations

### SECTION 14 - TRANSPORTATION / SHIPPING DATA

**TDG / DOT Shipping Description:**  
Not Regulated

### SECTION 15 – REGULATORY INFORMATION

**North American Inventories:**

All components are listed or exempt from the TSCA inventory.  
One or more components are listed on the NDSL.

**U.S. Federal Regulations:**

SARA 313 Components : None present or none present in regulated quantities.

SARA 311/312 Hazards : Acute Health Hazard

OSHA Hazardous Components :  
Crystalline Silica (Quartz)/Silica Sand 14808-60-7

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OSHA Status: Considered : Irritant

hazardous based on the  
following criteria

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OSHA Flammability : Not Regulated

Regulatory VOC (less water  
And exempt solvent) : 0 g/L

VOC Method 310 : 0 %

### Other:

This product does not contain nor is it manufactured with ozone depleting chemicals.

## SECTION 16 – OTHER INFORMATION

### HMIS Rating:

Health	1
Flammability	0
Reactivity	0
PPE	

0 = Minimum  
1 = Slight  
2 = Moderate  
3 = Serious  
4 = Severe

### Further Information :

For Industrial use only. Keep out of reach of children. The hazard information herein is offered solely for the consideration of the user, subject to their own investigation of compliance with applicable regulations, including the safe use of the product under every foreseeable condition.

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### Legend

ACGIH – American conference of Governmental hygienists  
CERCLA – Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation,  
And Liability Act  
DOT – Department of Transportation  
DSL – Domestic Substance List  
EPA – Environmental Protection Agency  
HMIS – Hazardous Materials Information System  
IARC – International Agency for Research on Cancer  
MSHA – Mine Safety Health Administration  
NDSL – Non-Domestic Substance List  
NIOSH – National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health  
NTP – National Toxicology Program  
OSHA – Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PEL – Permissible Exposure Limit  
RCRA – Resource Conservation and  
Recovery Act  
RTK – Right to Know  
SARA – Superfund Amendments and  
Reauthorization Act  
STEL – Short Term Exposure Limit  
TLV – Threshold Limit Value  
TSCA – Toxic Substances Control Act  
TWA – Time Weighted Average  
V – Volume  
VOC – Volatile Organic Compound  
WHIMIS – Workplace Hazardous  
Materials Information System