

1. Identification & Company Identification

Product Description:

Green, Dark Green, Angular Granules

Company:

Western States Wholesale.
1420 S. Bon View Ave. Ontario, CA 91761

Emergency phone:

(800) 325-6851

Recommended Use:

Artificial turf infill

WARNING: DO NOT USE FOR ABRASIVE BLASTING!

This safety data sheet and the information contained herein were not developed for abrasive blasting.

2. Hazard(s) Identification

Hazard Symbol:



Risk Phrases:

Danger

Carcinogenicity:

NTP- Yes IARC Monographs- Yes OSHA Regulated- No

COMPOSITION NOTE: This product consists of coated silica sand.

Although TURF-N-FILL is composed primarily of Silica Sand, and such sand is potentially a source of respirable dust, the sand particles in TURF-N-FILL are thoroughly encapsulated in a coating which captures dust and ingredients. Under normal circumstances, this prevents any normal release of silica dust to the workplace.

Irritants:

Eye Contact:

Dust may irritate the eyes from mechanical abrasion causing watering and redness.

Skin Contact:

May cause irritation of the skin from friction but cannot be absorbed through intact skin.

Inhalation:

Acute effects: Dust may cause irritation of the nose, throat, and airways, resulting in coughing and sneezing. Certain susceptible individuals may experience wheezing (spasms of the bronchial airways) on inhaling dust.

Ingestion:

Unlikely under normal conditions of use, but swallowing this product may result in irritation or damage to the mouth and gastrointestinal tract due to mechanical abrasion.



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3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Hazardous Components:

Substance Name	CAS Number	Proportion (by weight)
Silicon Dioxide	14808-60-7	95-99%
Aluminum Oxide	1344-28-1	0-19%
Iron Oxide	1309-37-1	0-2%
Potassium Oxide	12136-45-7	0-12%
Calcium Oxide	1305-78-8	0-1%
Titanium Oxide	13463-67-7	0-.07%
Pigments	1333-86-4	0-1%
Dimethylaminoethanol	108-01-0	0-1%
Vinyl Acetate Ethylene	24937-78-8	0-5%

4. First-Aid Measures

Inhalation:

This product is not expected to generate dust under normal conditions. If dusts generated by this product are inhaled, remove contaminated individual to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration or give oxygen by trained personnel. Get immediate medical attention.

Skin contact:

Generally the product does not irritate the skin. If skin irritation occurs, consult a doctor.

After eye contact:

Rinse opened eye for at least 15 minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.
Could cause general eye irritation.

After swallowing:

Routine use of this product is not expected to cause any situation which could lead to ingestion.
If swallowed and symptoms occur, consult a doctor

5. Fire-Fighting Measures

Product is not considered flammable or combustible.

Flash Point (°F):

N/A

Flammable Limits (Vapor in Air, Vol. %):

N/A

Fire Extinguishing Media:

N/A

Unusual Fire & Explosion Hazards:

None

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions:

Good housekeeping practices are necessary for cleaning up areas where spills or leaks have occurred. Take measures to either eliminate or minimize the creation of dust. Respirable dust and silica levels should be monitored regularly.

Whenever possible, practices likely to generate dust should be controlled with engineering controls such as local exhaust ventilation, dust suppression with water and containment, enclosure or covers.

Use respiratory protection as described in Section 8.

Environmental Hazards:

No known adverse effects.

Spillage:

A fine water spray should be used to suppress dust when sweeping (dry sweeping should not be attempted).

Vacuuming, preferably with an industrial vacuum cleaner outfitted with a high efficiency particulate (HEPA) filter, is preferred to sweeping. Waste may be disposed of by landfill and compliance with federal, state, and local requirements.

In the event of an accidental release, observe all protection measures set out in this MSDS. Avoid using materials and products that are incompatible with the product (Refer to Section 10).

Waste Disposal Method:

Dispose of material as inert, non-metallic mineral in conformance with local, state, and federal regulations. Crystalline silica is not a RCRA hazardous waste. Landfill according to local, State & Federal regulations.

7. Handling and Storage

Storage:

Keep container closed when not in use. Protect containers from abuse; store in a cool, dry area.

Handling

No special measures necessary provided product is used correctly. DO NOT use for abrasive blasting!

Keep out of reach of children.



When producing or installing wear dust mask(respirator) to limit exposure to dust that may be created while using power broom or compressed air.

8. Exposure Controls/personal Protection

Personal protective equipment:

General protective and hygienic measures:

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes.



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Breathing equipment:

Not required.

Protection of hands:

Not required.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance

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Flash Point

N/A

pH:

N/A

Odor:

Odorless

Odor threshold:

Odorless

Flammability (solid, gas)

N/A

Solubility in Water:

Insoluble

Upper Flammability:

N/A

Vapor Density:

N/A

Lower Flammability:

N/A

Vapor Pressure:

N/A

Relative Density:

N/A

Evaporation Rate:

N/A

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:

N/A

Solids Content:

N/A

Auto-ignition temperature:

N/A

Melting Point:

Not Determined

Decomposition temperature:

Not Determined

Boiling Point:

N/A

Viscosity:

N/A

10. Stability and Reactivity

Stability:

Crystalline silica is stable under ordinary conditions.

Conditions to Avoid:

Excessive dust generation during storage and handling.

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid):

Incompatibility: Hydrofluoric acid will dissolve silica and can generate silicon tetrafluoride, a corrosive gas. Contact with strong oxidizing agents such as fluorine, boron trifluoride, chlorine trifluoride, manganese trifluoride, or oxygen difluoride may cause fires and/or explosions.



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NFPA Hazard Ratings:

Health Hazard: 1 Flammability Hazard: 0
Reactivity: 0 Special Hazard: None

11. Toxicological Information

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Acute Toxicity (Oral): Not classified

Acute Toxicity (Dermal): Not classified

Acute Toxicity (Inhalation): Not classified

LD50 and LC50 Data: Not available

Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Not classified

Eye Damage/Irritation: Not classified

Respiratory or Skin Sensitization: Not classified

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Not classified

Carcinogenicity: May cause cancer.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure): Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Reproductive Toxicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure): May cause respiratory irritation.

Aspiration Hazard: Not classified

Symptoms/Injuries after Inhalation: Irritation of the respiratory tract and the other mucous membranes. This product contains crystalline silica. Prolonged or repeated inhalation of respirable crystalline silica from this product can cause silicosis, a seriously disabling and fatal lung disease.

Symptoms/Injuries after Skin Contact: Prolonged exposure may cause skin irritation. Prolonged contact with large amounts of dust may cause mechanical irritation.

Symptoms/Injuries after Eye Contact: May cause slight irritation to eyes.

Symptoms/Injuries after Ingestion: Ingestion may cause adverse effects.

Chronic Symptoms: May cause cancer. Causes damage to organs (lungs) through prolonged or repeated exposure (inhalation).

Repeated or prolonged exposure to respirable (airborne) crystalline silica dust will cause lung damage in the form of silicosis. Symptoms will include progressively more difficult breathing, cough, fever, and weight loss. Pre-existing lung diseases such as emphysema or asthma may be aggravated by exposure to dusts. Pulmonary function may be reduced by inhalation of respirable crystalline silica. Also lung scarring produced by such inhalation may lead to a progressive massive fibrosis of the lung which may



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aggravate other pulmonary conditions and diseases and which increases susceptibility to pulmonary tuberculosis. Progressive massive fibrosis may be accompanied by right heart enlargement, heart failure, and pulmonary failure. Smoking aggravates the effects of exposure

12. Ecological Information

There is a limited amount of ecological data available on this product, primarily because it is a naturally occurring mineral. An adequate representation of this data is beyond the scope of this document.

13. Disposal Considerations

Dispose of material as inert, non-metallic mineral in conformance with local, state, and federal regulations. Crystalline silica is not a RCRA hazardous waste.

14. Transport Information

UN No.:	None allocated
Dangerous Goods Class:	None allocated
Hazchem Code:	None allocated
Poisons Schedule:	None allocated
Packing Group:	Not applicable
Label:	Not a DOT hazardous material. Local regulations may apply.

15. Regulatory Information

TSCA (U.S.A. – Toxic Substance Control Act)

All components of this product are listed on the U.S. Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical Inventory or are exempted from listing because a Low Volume or Polymer Exemption has been granted in accordance with 40 CFR 723.50.

SARA TITLE III (U.S.A. – Superfund Amendments & Reauthorization Act)

311/312 Hazard Categories-Immediate Health, 313 Reportable Ingredients-None

CERCLA (U.S.A. – Comprehensive Response Compensation & Liability Act)

None

California Prop 65. Safe Drinking Water & Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986

⚠ **WARNING** This product contains Crystalline Silica a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information visit www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

CPR (Canadian Controlled Products Regulations)

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations. WHMIS Classification: Not controlled



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IDL (Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List)

Components of this product identified by CAS number and listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List are shown in Section 2.

DSL/NDSL (Canadian Domestic Substances List / Non-Domestic Substances List)

Components of this product identified by CAS number are not listed on the DSL or NDSL, or are otherwise in compliance with the New Substances Notification (NSN) regulations. Only ingredients classified as "hazardous" are listed in Section 2 unless otherwise indicated.

EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)

Components of this product identified by CAS numbers are on the European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances unless indicated as "not found".

WGK Water Quality Index: nwg **VbK Index:** not applicable

WARNING – AVOID BREATHING SILICA DUST

Product contains silica. Inhalation of respirable silica dust can cause silicosis, a potentially disabling lung disease, and is known to the State of California to cause lung cancer. When handling products that may generate silica dust:

1. Work outdoors where feasible, otherwise use mechanical ventilation.
2. Wear a dust mask or if dust may exceed PEL, use NIOSH-approved respirator.
3. Warn others in area.

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