



IMERYS

SAFETY DATA SHEET

#10 White (SYL)

According to Appendix D, OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR §1910.1200

1. Identification

Product identifier

Product name #10 White (SYL)
CAS number 1317-65-3
Molecular Weight 100.1 g/mol

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Imerys Carbonates USA, Inc.
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Emergency telephone number

National emergency telephone number +1 (800) 424-9300 CHEMTREC

2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

Physical hazards Not Classified
Health hazards STOT RE 1 - H372
Environmental hazards Not Classified

Human health Long term exposure to crystalline silica can cause lung injury (silicosis). IARC and NTP have determined that crystalline silica inhaled from occupational sources can cause cancer in humans. Risk of injury is dependent on the duration and level of exposure.

Label elements

Hazard symbols



Signal word Danger

Hazard statements H372 Causes damage to organs (Lungs) through prolonged or repeated exposure.

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Precautionary statements	P260 Do not breathe dust. P264 Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling. P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. P314 Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell. P501 Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with national regulations.
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Contains Quartz

3. Composition/information on ingredients**Substances**

Ground Limestone	>98%
CAS number: 1317-65-3	
Classification	Not Classified
Quartz	~1.5%
CAS number: 14808-60-7	
Classification	STOT RE 1 - H372
Water	<1%
CAS number: 7732-18-5	
Classification	Not Classified

The full text for all hazard statements is displayed in Section 16.

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Composition comments The quartz weight % reported above is total weight and not respirable. A proportion of the quartz may become available in the respirable fraction. The level of exposure to respirable crystalline silica will depend on the actions performed on the product during handling and use. Exposure levels should, therefore, be measured during use, in comparison to relevant occupational exposure limits, as exposure cannot be determined from bulk product analysis.

4. First-aid measures**Description of first aid measures**

Inhalation	Move affected person to fresh air at once.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Give plenty of water to drink. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
Skin Contact	Wash with plenty of soap and water.
Eye contact	Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

General information The product is considered to be a low hazard under normal conditions of use.

5. Fire-fighting measures

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Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media The product is non-combustible.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Use proper respiratory and personal protective equipment. MSHA / NIOSH or OSHA / NIOSH approved respirator recommended. Spilled materials may cause slippery conditions when wet. Care should be exercised when walking on spills on floors or concrete pads.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Vacuum, pump or scoop spilled material into containers for reclaiming or disposal. Do not discharge into drains, watercourses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions Avoid handling which leads to dust formation. Observe occupational exposure limits and minimise the risk of inhalation of dust.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions Store in a cool and well-ventilated place. Store away from acids.

8. Exposure controls/Personal protection

Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): OSHA 5 mg/m³ respirable fraction

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): OSHA 15 mg/m³ total dust

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Quartz

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): OSHA 0.05 mg/m³ respirable dust

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): ACGIH 0.025 mg/m³ respirable fraction

A2

OSHA = Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

ACGIH = American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists.

A2 = Suspected Human Carcinogen.

Quartz (CAS: 14808-60-7)

Ingredient comments

Long term exposure to crystalline silica can cause lung injury (silicosis). IARC and NTP have determined that crystalline silica inhaled from occupational sources can cause cancer in humans. Risk of injury is dependent on the duration and level of exposure.

Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Provide adequate ventilation. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Observe any occupational exposure limits for the product or ingredients.

Eye/face protection

Wear safety glasses with side-shields in circumstances where there is a risk of penetrative eye injuries.

Hand protection

For prolonged or repeated skin contact use suitable protective gloves.

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Hygiene measures	Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Use appropriate skin cream to prevent drying of skin.
Respiratory protection	Respiratory protection must be used if the airborne contamination exceeds the recommended occupational exposure limit.
Immediate danger to life and health	25 mg/m ³

9. Physical and chemical properties**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Appearance	Powder
Color	White.
Odor	Odorless.
pH	8-9
Initial boiling point and range	Not applicable.
Flash point	Not applicable.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Non flammable
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Not applicable.
Solubility(ies)	Slightly soluble in water.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not applicable.
Decomposition Temperature	825°C/1517°F
Refractive index	1.6
Molecular weight	100.1

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	Acids.
Stability	No particular stability concerns. Will decompose at temperatures exceeding 825°C.
Conditions to avoid	Acids. Avoid handling which leads to dust formation.
Materials to avoid	Acids.
Hazardous decomposition products	Carbon dioxide (CO ₂).

11. Toxicological information**Information on toxicological effects****Acute toxicity - oral**

Notes (oral LD₅₀) 6450 mg/kg (rat)

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin corrosion/irritation Prolonged contact may cause dryness of the skin.

Carcinogenicity

IARC carcinogenicity Crystalline silica dust (quartz): IARC Group 1 Carcinogenic to humans.

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NTP carcinogenicity Crystalline silica, respirable (Quartz): Known human carcinogen.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

STOT - repeated exposure Long term exposure to crystalline silica can cause lung injury (silicosis). IARC and NTP have determined that crystalline silica inhaled from occupational exposure sources can cause cancer in humans. Risk of injury is dependent on duration and level of exposure.

Target organs Lungs

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

General information Dispose of waste product or used containers in accordance with local regulations

Disposal methods Under RCRA (40 CFR 261) ground limestone is a non-hazardous waste. Dispose of waste materials in accordance with all local, state and federal requirements.

14. Transport information

General No special precautions.

Environmental hazards

Environmentally Hazardous Substance

No.

15. Regulatory information

US Federal Regulations

SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Tier II Threshold Planning Quantities

Not listed.

CERCLA/Superfund, Hazardous Substances/Reportable Quantities (EPA)

Not listed.

SARA 313 Emission Reporting

Not listed.

SARA (311/312) Hazard Categories

Immediate
Delayed

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65 Carcinogens and Reproductive Toxins



WARNING

This product can expose you to chemicals including crystalline silica (quartz), which is known to the state of California to cause cancer. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

Massachusetts "Right To Know" List

Not listed.

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Rhode Island "Right To Know" List

Present.

Minnesota "Right To Know" List

Not listed.

New Jersey "Right To Know" List

Not listed.

Pennsylvania "Right To Know" List

Present.

Inventories

EU - EINECS/ELINCS

Yes

Canada - DSL/NDSL

Covered on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) by the entry "naturally occurring substances" (Environment Canada, 1998).
NDSL

US - TSCA

Yes

US - TSCA 12(b) Export Notification

No.

Australia - AICS

Yes

Japan - ENCS

Yes

Korea - KECI

Yes

China - IECSC

Yes

Philippines - PICCS

Yes

New Zealand - NZIOC

Yes

Taiwan - TCSI

Yes

16. Other information

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Abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet	CFR: Code of Federal Regulation MSHA: Mine Safety and Health Administration NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health NTP: National Toxicology Program OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration RCRA: Resource Conservation and Recovery Act TWA: Time Weighted Average IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer
Classification abbreviations and acronyms	STOT RE = Specific target organ toxicity-repeated exposure
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WHMIS	Ground limestone containing more than 0.1% of a carcinogenic substance (crystalline silica) is classified as carcinogenicity - Category 1A.
Hazard statements in full	H372 Causes damage to organs (Lungs) through prolonged or repeated exposure. H372 Causes damage to organs (Lungs) through prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled.
ACA HMIS Health rating.	Slight Hazard. (1)
ACA HMIS Flammability rating.	Will not burn. (0)
ACA HMIS Physical hazard rating.	Normally stable. (0)
ACA HMIS Personal protection rating.	E

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