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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

# 1. Identification

Product identifier RM-10® 2009

Other means of identification None.

Recommended use water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities: remediation activities and

other waste management services

**Recommended restrictions** Workers (and your customers or users in the case of resale) should be informed of the potential

presence of respirable dust and respirable crystalline silica as well as their potential hazards. Appropriate training in the proper use and handling of this material should be provided as required

under applicable regulations.

# Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Manufacturer

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# 2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Not classified.

Health hazards Carcinogenicity Category 1A

Specific target organ toxicity, repeated Category 1

exposure

Environmental hazards Not classified.

OSHA defined hazards Not classified.

Label elements



Signal word Danger

Hazard statement May cause cancer. Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

**Precautionary statement** 

Prevention Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read

and understood. Do not breathe dust. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

**Response** If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

Storage Store locked up.

**Disposal** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Hazard(s) not otherwise

classified (HNOC)

None known.

Supplemental information 12.39% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute oral toxicity. 18.99% of the

mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute dermal toxicity. 18.99% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity. 12.39% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute hazards to the aquatic environment. 18.99% of the mixture

consists of component(s) of unknown long-term hazards to the aquatic environment.

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### **Mixtures**

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
QUARTZ (SIO2)		14808-60-7	5 - < 10
TRADE SECRET*		Proprietary*	6.6
CRISTOBALITE		14464-46-1	1 - < 3
Other components below reportable levels			80 - < 90

<sup>\*</sup>Designates that a specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

**Composition comments** 

Occupational Exposure Limits for constituents are listed in Section 8. Occupational Exposure Limits for impurities are listed in Section 8. This product contains naturally occurring crystalline silica (not listed in Annex I of Directive 67/548/EEC) in quantities less than 6%.

## 4. First-aid measures

Inhalation

If exposed to excessive levels of dusts or fumes, remove to fresh air and get medical attention if cough or other symptoms develop. Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration or give oxygen by trained personnel. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Skin contact

Immediately flush skin with running water for at least 20 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

Eye contact

Do not rub eyes. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 20 minutes. Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Ingestion

Have victim rinse mouth thoroughly with water. If ingestion of a large amount does occur, seek medical attention.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

effects.

Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes. Prolonged exposure may cause chronic

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

**General information** 

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Dry chemical, CO2, water spray or regular foam.

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Fire fighting equipment/instructions Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

Specific methods General fire hazards

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not breathe dust. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

# Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Stop leak if you can do so without risk. Avoid dispersal of dust in the air (i.e., clearing dust surfaces with compressed air). Collect dust using a vacuum cleaner equipped with HEPA filter. Sweep up or gather material and place in appropriate container for disposal.

Large Spills: Wet down with water and dike for later disposal. Shovel the material into waste container. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Small Spills: Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use. Put material in suitable, covered, labeled containers. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS. Large spills may be neutralized with dilute alkaline solutions of soda ash, or lime.

#### **Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

## 7. Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Do not breathe dust. Avoid prolonged exposure. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Should be handled in closed systems, if possible. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store locked up. No special restrictions on storage with other products. Store in tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. No special storage conditions required. Keep out of the reach of children. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

# 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

## Occupational exposure limits

The following 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.

US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Components	Value	Form			
CRISTOBALITE (CAS 14464-46-1)	PEL	0.05 mg/m3	Respirable dust.		
QUARTZ (SIO2) (CAS 14808-60-7)	PEL	0.05 mg/m3	Respirable dust.		
US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910	US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.1000)				
Components	Туре	Value	Form		
CRISTOBALITE (CAS 14464-46-1)	TWA	0.05 mg/m3	Respirable.		
		1.2 mppcf	Respirable.		
QUARTZ (SIO2) (CAS 14808-60-7)	TWA	0.1 mg/m3	Respirable.		
		2.4 mppcf	Respirable.		
Constituents	Туре	Value	Form		
INERT OR NUISANCE DUSTS	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.		
		15 mg/m3	Total dust.		
		50 mppcf	Total dust.		
		15 mppcf	Respirable fraction.		
US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Value	es				
Components	Туре	Value	Form		
CRISTOBALITE (CAS 14464-46-1)	TWA	0.025 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.		
QUARTZ (SIO2) (CAS 14808-60-7)	TWA	0.025 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.		

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US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards
Components
Type
Value
Form

CRISTOBALITE (CAS
14464-46-1)
QUARTZ (SIO2) (CAS
14808-60-7)

Respirable dust.

O.05 mg/m3
Respirable dust.

**Biological limit values**No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

**Exposure guidelines** Occupational exposure to nuisance dust (total and respirable) and respirable crystalline silica

should be monitored and controlled.

Appropriate engineering

controls

If engineering measures are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of dust particulates below the OEL, suitable respiratory protection must be worn. Good general ventilation should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. If engineering measures are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of dust particulates below the Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL), suitable respiratory protection must be worn. If material is ground, cut, or used in any operation which may generate dusts, use appropriate local exhaust ventilation to keep exposures below the recommended exposure limits.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Applicable for industrial settings only. Chemical respirator with organic vapor cartridge, full

facepiece, dust and mist filter. Eye wash fountain is recommended.

Skin protection

Hand protection Applicable for industrial settings only. Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves. Impervious

butyl rubber gloves.

Other Applicable for industrial settings only. Use of an impervious apron is recommended. Use of

protective coveralls and long sleeves is recommended. Remove and wash contaminated clothing

before re-use.

**Respiratory protection** Applicable for industrial settings only. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of

exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits. Chemical respirator with organic

vapor cartridge, full facepiece, dust and mist filter.

**Thermal hazards** Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

Observe any medical surveillance requirements. Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance Powder.
Physical state Solid.
Form Powder.
Color Tan.
Odor None.

Odor threshold Not available.

pH 4

Melting point/freezing point Not available.

Initial boiling point and boiling Not available.

range

Flash point Not available.

Evaporation rate Not available.

Flammability (solid, gas) Not available.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower

Not available.

(%)

Flammability limit - upper

Not available.

(%)

Explosive limit - lower (%) Not available.

Explosive limit - upper (%) Not available.

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Vapor pressure 0.00001 hPa estimated

Vapor density Not available.

Relative density Not available.

Solubility(ies)

Solubility (water) 100 %

Partition coefficient Not available.

(n-octanol/water)

**Auto-ignition temperature** 

**Decomposition temperature** 

Not available. Not available. Not available.

Other information

**Viscosity** 

Explosive propertiesNot explosive.Oxidizing propertiesNot oxidizing.Percent volatile0 % estimated

VOC CARB

# 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity**The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

Chemical stability Stable at normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Contact with

incompatible materials. None known.

**Incompatible materials** Powerful oxidizers. Chlorine. None known.

Hazardous decomposition

products

None known.

# 11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

**Inhalation** Dust may irritate respiratory system. Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

**Skin contact** Dust or powder may irritate the skin.

**Eye contact** Dust may irritate the eyes.

**Ingestion** Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes.

Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity** Eye irritation Not known. Skin irritation

Components Species Test Results

CRISTOBALITE (CAS 14464-46-1)

Acute Oral

LD50 Rat > 22500 mg/kg

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation. **Serious eye damage/eye** Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitization

**Respiratory sensitization** Not a respiratory sensitizer.

**Skin sensitization** This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are

mutagenic or genotoxic.

# Carcinogenicity

In 1997, IARC (the International Agency for Research on Cancer) concluded that crystalline silica inhaled from occupational sources can cause lung cancer in humans. However in making the overall evaluation, IARC noted that "carcinogenicity was not detected in all industrial circumstances studied. Carcinogenicity may be dependent on inherent characteristics of the crystalline silica or on external factors affecting its biological activity or distribution of its polymorphs." (IARC Monographs on the evaluation of the carcinogenic risks of chemicals to humans, Silica, silicates dust and organic fibres, 1997, Vol. 68, IARC, Lyon, France.) In June 2003, SCOEL (the EU Scientific Committee on Occupational Exposure Limits) concluded that the main effect in humans of the inhalation of respirable crystalline silica dust is silicosis. "There is sufficient information to conclude that the relative risk of lung cancer is increased in persons with silicosis (and, apparently, not in employees without silicosis exposed to silica dust in quarries and in the ceramic industry). Therefore, preventing the onset of silicosis will also reduce the cancer risk..." (SCOEL SUM Doc 94-final, June 2003) According to the current state of the art, worker protection against silicosis can be consistently assured by respecting the existing regulatory occupational exposure limits. May cause cancer. Occupational exposure to respirable dust and respirable crystalline silica should be monitored and controlled.

### IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

CRISTOBALITE (CAS 14464-46-1) 1 Carcinogenic to humans. QUARTZ (SIO2) (CAS 14808-60-7) 1 Carcinogenic to humans.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

CRISTOBALITE (CAS 14464-46-1) Cancer QUARTZ (SIO2) (CAS 14808-60-7) Cancer US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

CRISTOBALITE (CAS 14464-46-1) Known To Be Human Carcinogen.

Reasonably Anticipated to be a Human Carcinogen.

QUARTZ (SIO2) (CAS 14808-60-7) Known To Be Human Carcinogen.

Reproductive toxicity This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

**Aspiration hazard** 

Not an aspiration hazard.

**Chronic effects** 

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According to the current state of the art, worker protection against silicosis can be consistently assured by respecting the existing regulatory occupational exposure limits. Prolonged inhalation may be harmful. Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Prolonged exposure may cause chronic effects. Occupational exposure to nuisance dust (total and respirable) and respirable crystalline silica should be monitored and controlled.

# 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** Components of this product have been identified as having potential environmental concerns.

No data is available on the degradability of any ingredients in the mixture. Persistence and degradability Bioaccumulative potential

No data available.

Mobility in soil

No data available.

Other adverse effects

No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

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# 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions**Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Dispose of

contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Local disposal regulations

Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Hazardous waste code

The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste

disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see:

Disposal instructions).

Contaminated packaging

Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or

disposal.

# 14. Transport information

DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IMDG** 

the IBC Code

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and

Not applicable.

# 15. Regulatory information

**US federal regulations** All components are on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List.

This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication

Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

CERCLA/SARA Hazardous Substances - Not applicable.

OSHA Process Safety Standard: This material is not known to be hazardous by the OSHA Highly

Hazardous Process Safety Standard, 29 CFR 1910.119.

**Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)** 

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

Not listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

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 Cancer

 CRISTOBALITE (CAS 14464-46-1)
 lung effects

 QUARTZ (SIO2) (CAS 14808-60-7)
 lung effects

CRISTOBALITE (CAS 14464-46-1) immune system effects QUARTZ (SIO2) (CAS 14808-60-7) immune system effects

CRISTOBALITE (CAS 14464-46-1) kidney effects QUARTZ (SIO2) (CAS 14808-60-7) kidney effects

### Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

# SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous

No (Exempt)

chemical

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not regulated.

# Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

## Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act

(SDWA)

Not regulated.

**US state regulations** WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.

California Proposition 65



WARNING: This product can expose you to QUARTZ (SIO2), which is known to the State of California to cause

cancer. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

## California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Carcinogenic substance

QUARTZ (SIO2) (CAS 14808-60-7) Listed: October 1, 1988

US. California. Candidate Chemicals List. Safer Consumer Products Regulations (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 22, 69502.3, subd. (a))

CRISTOBALITE (CAS 14464-46-1) QUARTZ (SIO2) (CAS 14808-60-7)

## **International Inventories**

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No

EuropeEuropean List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)NoJapanInventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)YesKoreaExisting Chemicals List (ECL)YesNew ZealandNew Zealand InventoryNoPhilippinesPhilippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical SubstancesYes

(PICCS)

Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI)

United States & Puerto Rico

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory

Yes

\*A "Yoo" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administrated by the governing country(s)

# 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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Further information This safety datasheet only contains information relating to safety and does not replace any product

information or product specification. HMIS® is a registered trade and service mark of the NPCA.

HMIS® ratings
Health: 3\*
Flammability: 0

Physical hazard: 0

NFPA ratings Health: 2

Flammability: 0 Instability: 0

<sup>\*</sup>A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

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