



## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET (MSDS)

Material Name: **Ezer Masonry**

### SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**PRODUCT NAME:** Adhered Masonry Stone Veneer

**SYNONYMS:** N/A

**PRODUCT CODES:** N/A

**MANUFACTURER:** USA STONES CORP DBA EZER MASONRY

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**USES:** Construction Materials **SDS DATE:** 1/8/17

### SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:** No unusual conditions are expected from this product. Inhalation of dusts produced during cutting, sanding or grinding of this product may cause irritation of the respiratory tract.

**ROUTES OF ENTRY:** Inhalation, skin contact, eye contact, ingestion.

**POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS:** Dust from this product may cause slight irritation to the eyes including redness, tearing and blurred vision. Such exposures require immediate first aid (see Section 4) and may require medical attention to prevent damage to the eye.

**EYES:** Dust from this product may cause slight irritation to the eyes including redness, blurred vision and tearing.

**SKIN:** Dust from this product may cause itching, rash and short- term irritation.

**INGESTION:** Ingestion of this product may produce gastrointestinal irritation and disturbances; however, ingestion of this product is unlikely.

**INHALATION:** Dusts from this product may cause irritation of the nose, throat and respiratory tract. This product contains crystalline silica. Prolonged and repeated inhalation of respirable crystalline silica may cause a chronic lung disease called silicosis. This disease is characterized by fibrosis and scarring of the lung tissue which can result in a decrease in lung function, breathlessness, wheezing, coughing and sputum production. Short-term overexposure to extremely high concentrations of respirable crystalline silica can produce acute silicosis. Acute silicosis is a disease that can rapidly progress within months of initial overexposure and reportedly has caused death within 1 to 2 years.

**ACUTE HEALTH HAZARDS:** Irritation, itching, coughing, wheezing.

**CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARDS:** Silicosis as a result of extremely high concentration exposures.

**MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE:** Chronic respiratory or skin conditions may temporarily worsen from exposure to dust from this product.

#### CARCINOGENICITY:

##### General Product Information

**CRYSTALLINE SILICA:** The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) recently reviewed existing epidemiological data and concluded that crystalline silica inhaled in the form of quartz from occupational sources is a known human carcinogen (Group 1). In making the assessment, the IARC noted that carcinogenicity was not detected in all industrial circumstances studied. However, IARC reported that a majority of studies indicated an elevated mortality for lung cancer among silica-exposed workers. IARC noted that increased rates of lung cancer were reported among some workers in ore mines, quarries, foundries, ceramics, granite and stone cutting industries. The workers in some of these occupational studies were exposed to other potential respiratory carcinogens such as arsenic, radon, diesel exhaust, polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons or cadmium. The IARC reviewed animal studies and concluded that there is sufficient evidence in experimental animals for the carcinogenicity of quartz. Silica-crystalline quartz has resulted in liver, blood, and lung tumors in rats by inhalation, intraperitoneal and intravenous injection, intratracheal and intrapleural administration. **Component Carcinogenicity** ACGIH, IARC, OSHA, and NTP carcinogen lists have been checked for those components with CAS registry numbers.

**Iron oxide (1309-37-1)** ACGIH: A4 - Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen (dust and fume, as Fe) IARC: Supplement 7, 1987; Monograph 1, 1972 (Group 3 (not classifiable))

**Quartz (14808-60-7)** ACGIH: A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen NTP: Known Carcinogen (Select Carcinogen)

IARC: Monograph 68, 1997; (inhaled in the form of quartz or cristobalite from occupational sources)

(Group 1 (carcinogenic to humans))

### SECTION 3: COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**INGREDIENT:** Portland Cement, Pumice, Lightweight Aggregates, and Mineral Oxide Pigments

**OSHA PEL:** 15mg/m<sup>3</sup> 30mg/m<sup>3</sup> ÷ (%SiO<sub>2</sub>+2) 30mg/m<sup>3</sup> ÷ (%SiO<sub>2</sub>+2) 10mg/m<sup>3</sup>

**ACGIH TLV:** 10mg/m<sup>3</sup> N/A N/A 5mg/m<sup>3</sup>

**Component Related Regulatory Information:** This material contains crystalline silica and various iron oxide pigments.

**Component information/ Information on Non-Hazardous Components:** As provided, this product is expected to produce minimal, if any hazards. However, if dusts are generated, these components may be present; this product would be considered hazardous under 29 CFR 1910.1200 (Hazard Communication).

### SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

**Eyes:** Immediately flush eye(s) with plenty of clean water for at least 10 minutes, while holding the eyelid(s) open. Occasionally lift the eyelid(s) to ensure thorough rinsing to remove all particles. Beyond flushing, do not attempt to remove material from the eye(s). Contact a physician if irritation persists or later develops.

**Skin:** For skin contact, wash with soap and water. Contact a physician if irritation persists or later develops.

**Ingestion:** Ingestion of this material is unlikely. If it does occur, watch the person for several days to make sure that partial or complete intestinal obstruction does not occur. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel.

**Inhalation:** Do not induce vomiting. If inhaled, immediately remove the affected person to fresh air. Dust in throat and nasal passages should clear spontaneously. Contact a physician if irritation persists or later develops.

### SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

#### General Fire Hazards

See Section 9 for Flammability Properties.

None identified

#### Hazardous Combustion Products

None

#### Extinguishing Media

This product is non-combustible. Use any extinguishing media appropriate for the surrounding fires.

#### Fire Fighting Equipment/Instructions

Firefighters should wear full protective gear.

**NFPA Ratings: Health: 1 Fire: 0 Reactivity: 0**

**Hazard Scale: 0 = Minimal 1 = Slight 2 = Moderate 3 = Serious 4 = Severe**

### SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**CONTAINMENT PROCEDURES:** Scoop up materials and put into a suitable container for disposal as a non-hazardous waste. Dust from dry cutting, sawing, grinding, sanding or drilling of this material will settle out of the air. If concentrated on land, it can be scooped up for disposal as a non-hazardous waste.

**CLEAN-UP PROCEDURES:** Wear appropriate PPE during cleanup. While avoiding generating dust during clean up, gather material and place it in appropriate containers for disposal. Spill area should then be washed thoroughly.

**Evacuation Procedures** Isolate area. Keep unnecessary personnel away.

**Special Procedures** None

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

**HANDLING PROCEDURES:** No special procedures are required for this material. Care should be taken to minimize the generation of dusts and avoid breathing dusts if they are produced. Contact with eyes and skin should be avoided.

**STORAGE PROCEDURES:** No special procedures are required for this material.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**EXPOSURE GUIDELINES:** Permissible exposure levels for this product must be defined in the workplace due to the combination of silica and other constituents and condition of use. Unless otherwise specified, limits are expressed as eight-hour time-weighted averages (TWA).

**VENTILATION:** General dilution ventilation and/or local exhaust ventilation should be provided as necessary to maintain exposures below occupational exposure limits.

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** A properly fitted NIOSH approved dust respirator or equivalent should be used in any dust environment and/or when mechanically altering product (sawing, cutting, drilling or other similar dust generating process). Use respiratory protection in accordance with your company's respiratory protection program, local regulations and OSHA regulations under 29 CFR 1910.134.

**EYE PROTECTION:** Safety glasses with side shields should be worn. Dust goggles should be worn in excessively dusty conditions. (See ANSI Z87.1).

**SKIN PROTECTION:** Wear leather/ PVC or other appropriate work glove for type of operation.

**OTHER PROTECTIVE CLOTHING OR EQUIPMENT:** Wear appropriate foot protection that complies with ANSI Z41 (latest edition).

**WORK HYGIENIC PRACTICES:** Avoid creating and breathing dust. Do not eat, drink or smoke in work areas.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**APPEARANCE:** Cured concrete product of various shapes, sizes and colors.

**ODOR:** Not Applicable

**PHYSICAL STATE:** Solid

**pH AS SUPPLIED:** Not Applicable

**pH (Other):** Not Applicable

**BOILING POINT:** Not Applicable

**MELTING POINT:** Not Applicable

**FREEZING POINT:** Not Applicable

**VAPOR PRESSURE (mmHg):** Not Applicable

**VAPOR DENSITY (AIR = 1):** Not Applicable

**SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H<sub>2</sub>O = 1):** Not Applicable

**EVAPORATION RATE:** Not Applicable

**SOLUBILITY IN WATER:** Not Applicable

**PERCENT VOLATILE:** Not Applicable

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**STABILITY:** This is a stable material.

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Avoid dispersion of dust in air.

**INCOMPATIBILITY:** None expected

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION OR BY-PRODUCTS:** None Identified

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** Will not occur

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:**

- ☒ Dusts from cutting and drilling may cause mechanical irritation to eyes and skin.
- ☒ Ingestion may cause transient irritation of throat, stomach and gastrointestinal tract.

Inhalation may cause coughing, nose and throat irritation, and sneezing.  
Higher exposures may cause difficulty breathing, congestion, and chest tightness.

#### **COMPONENT ANALYSIS - LD50/LC50**

No LD50/LC50's are available for this product's components.

**CARCINOGENICITY:** See section 3 (Hazards Identification).

## **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION:** No data available for this product.

## **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### **US EPA Waste Number & Descriptions**

**WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:** Craft Veneer scrap is classified as a non-hazardous solid waste disposal. Dispose of in accordance with existing federal, state and local environmental regulations.

**RCRA HAZARD CLASS:** Craft Veneer as supplied do not meet any of the RCRA characteristics of hazardous waste (ignitable, corrosive, reactive or toxic), nor are they listed hazardous waste [40 CFR §261].

**SECTION 13 NOTES:** Dispose of packaging material by either recycling or at an appropriate landfill.

## **SECTION 14: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**

#### **U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**

**PROPER SHIPPING NAME:** Not regulated for transport.

**HAZARD CLASS:** None

**ID NUMBER:** None

**PACKING GROUP:** None

**LABEL STATEMENT:** None

#### **TDG Information**

**SECTION 14 NOTES:** No additional information available.

## **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### **U.S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS:**

**General Product Information:** No information available for the product.

**Component Analysis:** None of this product's components are listed under SARA Section 302 (40 CFR 355 Appendix A), SARA Section 313 (40 CFR 372.65), or CERCLA (40 CFR 302.4).

#### **SARA 311/312 HAZARD CATEGORIES:**

- Acute Health Hazard: Yes (If dusts are generated)
- Chronic Health Hazard: Yes (If dusts are generated)
- Fire Hazard: No
- Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard: No
- Reactive Hazard: No

**CLEAN AIR ACT**

None of this product's components are listed on the Clean Air Act-1990 Hazardous Air Pollutants List.

**STATE REGULATIONS:**

**A: General Product Information:** No additional information available.

**B: Component Analysis- State:** The following components appear on one or more of the following states hazardous substance lists:

**Component CAS# CA FL MA MN NJ PA**

**Portland Cement** 65997-15-1 No Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

**Iron Oxide** 1309-37-1 Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

**Pumice** 14808-60-7 Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

**Calcium Oxide** 1305-78-8 Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

**Other Regulations- California**

The following statement(s) are provided under the California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65).

**Warning: This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm.**

**SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

**OTHER INFORMATION:** Reasonable care has been taken in the preparation of this information. In addition, the manufacturer makes no warranty of merchantability or any other warranty, expressed or implied, with respect to this information. The manufacturer makes no representations and assumes no liability for any direct, incidental or consequential damages resulting from its use.