

1. Identification

Product identifier STANDARD PLASTERBOARD & GYPSUM CEILING TILES

Other means of identification

Synonyms SHEETROCK® StandardCORE™, SHEETROCK® Unispan®, Minitone, SHEETROCK® Minitone, Capricorn, SHEETROCK® Capricorn, Byhua

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Interior use.

Recommended restrictions Use in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

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2. Hazards identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

Physical hazards Not classified.

Health hazards Not classified.

Environmental hazards Not classified.

GHS label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictograms None.

Signal word None.

Hazard statements None.

Precautionary statement

Prevention Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Response Get medical attention/advice if you feel unwell.

Storage Store as indicated in Section 7.

Disposal Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

Other hazards which do not result in classification None known.

Supplemental information None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Substance or mixture Mixture

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS Number	Concentration (%)
Calcium sulfate dihydrate (alternative CAS 10101-41-4)		13397-24-5	92 - 95
Cellulose		65996-61-4	6 - 6.5
Crystalline silica (Quartz)		14808-60-7	0.6 - 0.7

Composition comments All concentrations are in percent by weight.

Respirable crystalline silica measured <0.1% (according to the NEN-EN 17289-3 method).

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation	Dust irritates the respiratory system, and may cause coughing and difficulties in breathing. If breathing is difficult, remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Get medical attention if symptoms persist.
Skin contact	Contact with dust: Rinse area with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.
Eye contact	Dust in the eyes: Flush thoroughly with water. If irritation occurs, get medical assistance.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed	Under normal conditions of intended use, this material does not pose a risk to health. Dust may irritate throat and respiratory system and cause coughing.
Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed	Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically.
General information	Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media	
Suitable extinguishing media	Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Not applicable.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	Not a fire hazard.
Fire fighting equipment/instructions	Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Selection of respiratory protection for fire fighting: follow the general fire precautions indicated in the workplace. Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.
Specific methods	Cool material exposed to heat with water spray and remove it if no risk is involved.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Avoid dust formation. See Section 8 of the SDS for Personal Protective Equipment.
Environmental precautions	Avoid discharge to drains, sewers, and other water systems.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	No specific clean-up procedure noted. For waste disposal, see Section 13 of the SDS.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling	<p>Use work methods which minimise dust production. Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Wash hands after handling. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. When moving board with a forklift or similar equipment, it is essential that the equipment be rated capable of handling the loads. The forks should always be long enough to extend completely through the width of the load. Fork spacing between supports should be one half the length of the panels or base being handled so that a maximum of 4' extends beyond the supports on either end.</p> <p>Follow traditional building practices; such as management of water away from the interior of the structure to avoid the growth of mold, mildew and fungus. Remove any building products suspected of being exposed to sustained moisture and considered conducive to mold growth from the job site. Gypsum panels are very heavy, awkward loads posing the risk of severe back injury. Use proper lifting techniques.</p>
Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities	<p>Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials. Protect product from physical damage. Protect from weather and prevent exposure to sustained moisture. Gypsum Association literature (GA-801-07) recommends storing board flat to avoid damaging edges, warping the board and the potential safety hazards of the board falling over. However, in other situations, storing the board flat may cause a tripping hazard or exceed floor limit loads. If stacking board vertically, leave at least 4 inches from the wall to decrease the risk of falling board and no more than 6 inches to avoid too much lateral weight against the wall.</p>

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

Singapore. PELs (Workplace Safety and Health (General Provisions) Regulations 2006 (S 134/2006), First Schedule: Permissible Exposure Limits of Toxic Substances)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Calcium sulfate dihydrate (alternative CAS 10101-41-4) (CAS 13397-24-5)	TWA	10 mg/m ³	
Crystalline silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7)	TWA	0.1 mg/m ³	Respirable dust.

Control parameters/Occupational exposure limits

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Calcium sulfate dihydrate (alternative CAS 10101-41-4) (CAS 13397-24-5)	TWA	10 mg/m ³	Inhalable fraction.
Crystalline silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7)	TWA	0.025 mg/m ³	Respirable fraction.

Appropriate engineering control measures Provide sufficient ventilation for operations causing dust formation. Observe occupational exposure limits and minimise the risk of exposure.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Wear approved safety goggles.

Skin protection

Hand protection

It is a good industrial hygiene practice to minimise skin contact. For prolonged or repeated skin contact use suitable protective gloves.

Other

Normal work clothing (long sleeved shirts and long pants) is recommended.

Respiratory protection

If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not been established), an approved respirator must be worn.

Thermal hazards

None.

General hygiene considerations 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. Observe any medical surveillance requirements.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance Paper faced with gypsum core.

Physical state

Solid.

Form

Panel.

Colour

Grey to off-white.

Odour

Low to no odour.

Odour threshold

Not applicable.

pH

6 - 8

Melting point/freezing point

Not applicable.

Initial boiling point and boiling range

Not applicable.

Flash point

Not applicable.

Evaporation rate

Not applicable.

Flammability

Not applicable.

Explosive limit - lower (%)

Not applicable.

Explosive limit – upper (%)

Not applicable.

Vapour pressure

Not applicable.

Vapour density

Not applicable.

Density and/or relative density	
Relative density	2.32 (Gypsum)
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility (water)	Soluble (0.26 g/100 g H ₂ O)
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not applicable.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not applicable.
Decomposition temperature	1454.4 °C (2650 °F) (Core)
Kinematic viscosity	Not available.
Particle characteristics	
Particle size	Varies.
Other data	
Bulk density	550 kg/m ³
Explosive properties	Not explosive.
Oxidising properties	Not oxidising.
Viscosity	Not applicable.
VOC	0 (solid)

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.
Conditions to avoid	Contact with incompatible materials.
Incompatible materials	Strong oxidising agents. Strong acids.
Hazardous decomposition products	In case of fire: Calcium oxides, carbon dioxide, and carbon monoxide.

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. Frequent or prolonged contact may defat and dry the skin, leading to discomfort and dermatitis.
Eye contact	Dust may irritate the eyes.
Ingestion	May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Acute toxicity	Not expected to be acutely toxic.
Symptoms	Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes.
Skin corrosion/irritation	Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	
Respiratory sensitisation	Not a respiratory sensitiser.
Skin sensitisation	This product is not expected to cause skin sensitisation.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.
Carcinogenicity	Occupational exposure to respirable dust and respirable crystalline silica should be monitored and controlled.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Crystalline silica (Quartz) (CAS 14808-60-7) 1 Carcinogenic to humans.

Reproductive toxicity	This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	Not classified.
Aspiration hazard	Due to the physical form of the product it is not an aspiration hazard.
Chronic effects	Prolonged and repeated overexposure to dust can lead to pneumoconiosis. For detailed information, see section 16.
Mixture versus substance information	No information available.
Other information	Pre-existing skin and respiratory conditions including dermatitis, asthma and chronic lung disease might be aggravated by exposure.

12. Ecological information

Toxicity	The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.
Persistence and degradability	The product is not readily biodegradable.
Bioaccumulative potential	No data available for this product.
Mobility in soil	Expected to have low mobility in soil.
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.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal methods/information	Dispose in accordance with applicable federal, state, and local regulations. Recycle responsibly.
Special precautions	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

14. Transport information

ADR	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
RID	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
ADN	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
IATA	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
IMDG	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments	Not applicable.

15. Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

Prior Informed Consent (PIC) Substances (Environment Protection and Management Act, 2nd Schedule, Part 1, Jul. 1, 2013)

Not regulated.

Chemical Weapons Prohibition (Act)

Not applicable.

Environmental Protection and Management (Hazardous Substances) Regulations

Not applicable.

Environmental Public Health Act

Not applicable.

Misuse of Drugs Act

Controlled Narcotic Drugs (Misuse of Drugs Act, First Schedule, Part I, II & III, as amended)

Not regulated.

Drug Precursors (Misuse of Drugs Act, Third Schedule, Parts I & II, as amended)

Not regulated.

Controlled Specified Drugs (Misuse of Drugs Act, Fourth Schedule, as amended)

Not regulated.

International regulations

Montreal Protocol

Not listed.

Stockholm Convention

Not listed.

Rotterdam Convention

Not listed.

Kyoto Protocol

Not listed.

Basel Convention

Not listed.

16. Other information**References**

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

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Not available.

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Not available.

Further information

This product as sold and under normal conditions of intended use, does not present an inhalation, ingestion or skin hazard. However, individual user processes, (such as sanding, abrasive blasting, etc.) may result in the formation of dust and/or particulate that may present a variety of health hazards.

Disclaimer

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Not applicable.