

Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

OSHA HazCom Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200(g) and GHS Rev 03.

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*** 1 Identification**

- **Product Identifier**
- **Trade name: Mound Clay**
- **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against:**
- **Product Description**
Pitchers Mound Clay

High density red clay material, used in high wear areas on the mound (toe and landing areas) or in the batter's boxes. Screened at 1/2" to remove debris and "sift" the material. Works well with conditioners and amendments.

- **Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet:**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Southern Athletic Fields, Inc.
1309 Mainsail Drive
Columbia, TN 38401
800-837-8062
www.southernathleticfields.com
- **Emergency telephone number:** 800-837-8062

2 Hazard(s) Identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture:**



GHS08 Health hazard

Carc. 1A H350 May cause cancer.

STOT RE 1 H372 Causes damage to the lung through prolonged or repeated exposure. Route of exposure: Inhalation.



GHS07

STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

Eye Irrit. 2B H320 Causes eye irritation.

- **Additional information:**

Analytical analysis provided by A & L Analytical Laboratories, Inc. Report Date 9/24/2009

Note: This product contains sand, clay, and decomposed organic matter. The crystalline silica (quartz) content naturally varies depending on the composition of the soil. These materials are mined from the earth. Trace amounts of naturally occurring elements might be detected during chemical analysis of these materials.

- **Label elements:**
- **GHS label elements**
The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms:**



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- **Signal word:** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**
Quartz (SiO₂)
Montmorillonite Clay, Calcined
- **Hazard statements:**
Causes eye irritation.
May cause cancer.
May cause respiratory irritation.
Causes damage to the lung through prolonged or repeated exposure. Route of exposure: Inhalation.
- **Precautionary statements:**
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
Wash thoroughly after handling.
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
Obtain special instructions before use.
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.
If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.
Store locked up.
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
- **Unknown acute toxicity:**
45 % of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown toxicity.
- **Classification system:**
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



- **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



- **Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC):** None known

3 Composition/Information on Ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**
- **Description:** Mixture: consisting of the following components.

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· Dangerous Components:		
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CAS: 70892-59-0	Montmorillonite Clay, Calcined ⚠ STOT SE 3, H335	25-35%

4 First-Aid Measures

· Description of first aid measures:

· General information:

Symptoms of poisoning may occur after exposure to dust, fumes or particulates; seek medical attention if feeling unwell.

· After inhalation:

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.

In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

· After skin contact:

Wash with soap and water.

If skin irritation or a rash occurs, consult a doctor.

· After eye contact:

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

· After swallowing: If swallowed and symptoms occur, consult a doctor.

· Information for doctor:

· Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

Quartz: Can cause silicosis, a fibrosis (scarring) of the lungs. Silicosis may be progressive; it may lead to disability and death; inhaled from occupational sources is classified as carcinogenic to humans. Some studies show in workers exposed to respirable quartz excess numbers of cases of scleroderma, connective tissue disorders, lupus, rheumatoid arthritis, chronic kidney diseases and end-stage kidney disease, chronic bronchitis and emphysema.

· Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:

No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-Fighting Measures

· Extinguishing media:

· Suitable extinguishing agents:

CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

· Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture: No further relevant information available.

· Advice for firefighters:

· Protective equipment:

Mouth respiratory protective device.

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand (NIOSH approved or equivalent) and full protective gear to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

6 Accidental Release Measures

· Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Not required.

· Environmental precautions: Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

· Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (i.e. sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to section 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Dispose of the collected material according to regulations.

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· **Reference to other sections:**

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and Storage

· **Handling**

· **Precautions for safe handling:**

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Prevent formation of aerosols.

· **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.

· **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:**

· **Storage**

· **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.

· **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.

· **Further information about storage conditions:** No further relevant information available..

· **Specific end use(s):** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

· **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see section 7.

· **Control parameters:**

· **Components with occupational exposure limits:**

14808-60-7 Quartz (SiO₂)

PEL see Quartz listing

REL Long-term value: 0.05* mg/m³
*respirable dust; See Pocket Guide App. A

TLV Long-term value: 0.025* mg/m³
*as respirable fraction

70892-59-0 Montmorillonite Clay, Calcined

PEL Short-term value: 5 mg/m³

TLV Short-term value: 10 mg/m³

· **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation of this SDS were used as basis.

· **Exposure controls:**

· **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 and skin.

· **Breathing equipment:** Not required.

· **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

· **Material of gloves:** Not required.

· **Penetration time of glove material:** Not applicable.

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· **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

9 Physical and Chemical Properties

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

Form:

Solid

Color:

Reddish brown

· **Odor:**

Odorless

· **Odor threshold:**

Not determined.

· **pH-value @ 20 °C (68 °F):**

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· **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range:

Not determined.

Boiling point/Boiling range:

2230 °C (4046 °F)

· **Flash point:**

None

· **Flammability (solid, gaseous):**

Not applicable.

· **Ignition temperature:**

Not determined

· **Decomposition temperature:**

Not determined.

· **Auto igniting:**

Product is not self-igniting.

· **Danger of explosion:**

Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· **Explosion limits:**

Lower:

Not determined.

Upper:

Not determined.

· **Vapor pressure:**

Not determined.

· **Density:**

Relative density:

Not determined.

Vapor density:

Not determined.

Evaporation rate:

Not determined.

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with:**

Water:

Not miscible or difficult to mix.

· **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** Not determined.

· **Viscosity:**

Dynamic:

Not determined.

Kinematic:

Not determined.

· **Solvent content:**

Organic solvents:

0.0 %

Solids content:

100 %

· **Other information:**

No further relevant information available.

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10 Stability and Reactivity

- **Reactivity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability:** Stable under normal conditions.
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions:** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid:** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** Contact with fluorine, oxygen difluoride, and chlorine trifluoride will cause fire.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

11 Toxicological Information

- **Information on toxicological effects:**
- **Acute toxicity:**

· **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

14808-60-7 Quartz (SiO₂)

Oral	LD50	> 22500 mg/kg (rat)
Inhalative	LC50/96 hours	1033 mg/l (Trout)

- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **On the skin:** No irritating effect.
- **On the eye:** Irritating effect.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:
Harmful
Irritant

· **Carcinogenic categories:**

· **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer):**

"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, silicate 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"

- Group 1 - Carcinogenic to humans
- Group 2A - Probably carcinogenic to humans
- Group 2B - Possibly carcinogenic to humans
- Group 3 - Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans
- Group 4 - Probably not carcinogenic to humans

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· **NTP (National Toxicology Program):**

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· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration):**

None of the ingredients are listed.

12 Ecological Information

· **Toxicity:**

· **Aquatic toxicity:**

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EC50 218 mg/l (Green algae)

· **Persistence and degradability:** No further relevant information available.

· **Behavior in environmental systems:**

· **Bioaccumulative potential:** No further relevant information available.

· **Mobility in soil:** No further relevant information available.

· **Additional ecological information:**

· **General notes:**

Do not allow undiluted product or product that has not been neutralized to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment:**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

· **Other adverse effects:** No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal Considerations

· **Waste treatment methods:**

· **Recommendation:**

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system. Observe all federal, state and local environmental regulations when disposing of this material.

· **Uncleaned packagings:**

· **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport Information

· **UN-Number:**

· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**

Non-Regulated Material

· **UN proper shipping name:**

· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**

Non-Regulated Material

· **Transport hazard class(es):**

· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**

· **Class:**

Non-Regulated Material

· **Packing group:**

· **DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA**

Non-Regulated Material

· **Environmental hazards:**

Not applicable.

· **Special precautions for user:**

Not applicable.

· **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code:**

Not applicable.

· **UN "Model Regulation":**

Non-Regulated Material

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15 Regulatory Information

- **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture:**
- **SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization):**

- **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

All ingredients are listed.

- **California Proposition 65:**

- **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

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- **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Carcinogenic categories:**

- **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency):**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH):**

14808-60-7 Quartz (SiO₂)

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- **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health):**

14808-60-7 Quartz (SiO₂)

- **GHS label elements**

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- **Hazard pictograms:**



GHS07 GHS08

- **Signal word:** Danger

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May cause cancer.

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 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
 Wash thoroughly after handling.
 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
 Obtain special instructions before use.
 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
 If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
 Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.
 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
 Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.
 Store locked up.
 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **National regulations:**

The product is subject to be classified according with the latest version of the regulations on hazardous substances.

· **State Right to Know:**

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All ingredients are listed.

· **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other Information

The information and recommendations in this safety data sheet are, to the best of our knowledge, accurate as of the date of issue. Nothing herein shall be deemed to create warranty, expressed or implied, and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship. It is the responsibility of the user to determine applicability of this information and the suitability of the material or product for any particular purpose.

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· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
 ADN: The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
 IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
 DOT: US Department of Transportation
 IATA: International Air Transport Association
 ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
 EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
 ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
 CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
 NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)
 HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)
 LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
 LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
 PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
 vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
 NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety

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OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity, Hazard Category 4

Eye Irrit. 2B: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 2B

Carc. 1A: Carcinogenicity, Hazard Category 1A

STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure, Hazard Category 3

STOT RE 1: Specific target organ toxicity - Repeated exposure, Hazard Category 1

· *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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