



# Safety Data Sheet

## Quartz Wool

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### 1.1. Product Identifiers

**Product Form:**

**Substance Name:** Quartz wool

**CAS No.:** 60676-86-0

**Product Code:** UIC, Inc. Catalog Number CM300-004

#### 1.2. Intended Use of the Product

**Use of the substance/mixture:** catalyst support, used in combustion tubes

**Name, Address, and Telephone of the Responsible Party**

UIC Inc

1225 Channahon Rd

Joliet, IL 60436

Phone: (815) 744-4477

Fax: (815) 744-1561

**Emergency Telephone Number**

For Chemical Emergency, Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident, call emergency number: 1-815-474-8753

### 2. Hazards Identification of the product

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Carcinogenicity, Inhalation (Category 1B), H350i

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

#### 2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H350i May cause cancer by inhalation.

Precautionary statement(s)

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

P281 Use personal protective equipment as required.

P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

#### 2.3. Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS – none

### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

Chemical name: Quartz Wool

Synonyms: Fused silica, amorphous silica

Formula: SiO<sub>2</sub>

Molecular weight: 60.00 g/mol

CAS-No.: 60676-86-0  
EC-No.: 266-046-0

### Hazardous components

Component	Classification	Concentration
Quartz Wool	Carc. 1B; H350i	<= 100 %

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## 4. First Aid Measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution

#### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

## 5. Fire Fighting Measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Silicon oxides

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

### 5.4. Further information

No data available

## 6. Accidental Release Measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

### 6.3. Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

## 7. Handling and Storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.2.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

## 8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

### 8.1. Control Parameters

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Quartz Wool	60676-86-0	TWA	1fibre/cm <sup>3</sup>	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
	Remarks	Respirable fibers: length > 5 µm; aspect ratio >= 3:1, as determined by the membrane filter method at 400-450X magnification (4-mm objective), using phase-contrast illumination. Confirmed animal carcinogen with unknown relevance to humans		

### 8.2. Exposure Controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

#### Personal protective equipment

##### Eye/face protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

##### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

##### Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril ® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

##### Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril ® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

Data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method: EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

##### Body Protection

Impervious clothing, the type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

##### Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

##### Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance	Form: fibers Color: white, colorless
b) Odor	odorless
c) Odor Threshold	No data available
d) pH	No data available
e) Melting point/freezing point	3110 °F
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	4045 °F
g) Flash point	Not applicable
h) Evaporation rate	No data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
k) Vapor pressure	No data available
l) Vapor density	No data available
m) Relative density	1.100 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
n) Water solubility	Insoluble
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available
p) Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
q) Decomposition temperature	No data available
r) Viscosity	No data available
s) Specific gravity	2.65 (water = 1)
t) Explosive properties	No data available
u) Oxidizing properties	No data available

### 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Tin/tin oxides

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents, Hydrogen fluoride

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

## 11. Toxicological Information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

No data available

Inhalation: No data available

Dermal: No data available

No data available

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

No data available

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

Mammal Lungs

Result: negative

**Carcinogenicity**

Carcinogenicity - Hamster – Intratracheal

Tumorigenic: Equivocal tumorigenic agent by RTECS criteria. Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration: Tumors.

Carcinogenicity - rat - male – Inhalation

Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration: Fibrosis, focal (pneumoconiosis).

Possible human carcinogen May cause cancer by inhalation.

IARC: 2A - Group 2A: Probably carcinogenic to humans (Glass, oxide, chemicals)

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**Reproductive toxicity**

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

**Aspiration hazard**

No data available

**Additional Information**

RTECS: LK3651000

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

**12. Ecological Information**

**12.1 Toxicity**

No data available

**12.2 Persistence and degradability**

No data available

**12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

**12.4 Mobility in soil**

No data available

**12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

**12.6 Other adverse effects**

No data available

**13. Disposal Considerations**

**13.1 Waste treatment methods**

**Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

**14. Transport Information**

**DOT (US)**

Not dangerous goods

**IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

**IATA**

Not dangerous goods

## 15. Regulatory Information

### SARA 302 Components

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

### SARA 313 Components

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Chronic Health Hazard

### Massachusetts Right to Know Components

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

### Pennsylvania Right to Know Components

CAS-No.	Revision Date	
Quartz Wool	60676-86-0	2007-03-01

### New Jersey Right to Know Components

CAS-No.	Revision Date	
Quartz Wool	60676-86-0	2007-03-01

### California Prop. 65 Components

WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.

CAS-No.	Revision Date	
Quartz Wool	60676-86-0	2007-03-01

## 16. Other Information

### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

Carc. H350i	Carcinogenicity May cause cancer by inhalation.
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### HMIS Rating

Health hazard: 0  
Chronic Health Hazard: \*  
Flammability: 0  
Physical Hazard: 0

### NFPA Rating

Health hazard: 0  
Fire Hazard: 0  
Reactivity Hazard: 0

### Further information

UIC, Inc. has obtained the most current chemical information available to us in updating this Safety Data Sheet. However, users should always use caution when working with chemicals, as UIC, Inc. assumes no liability resulting from its use. Additionally, we make no warranty with respect to any information published on this sheet, either stated or implied.

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