

SAFETY DATA SHEET

Product Name: **Valiant Surfaces**

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1. Product and Company Description

Product Name: Valiant Surfaces Silica Free

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2. Hazards Identification

Appearance/Odor: Artificial Stone Surfaces with no odor.

Potential Health Effects:

Artificial Stone surfaces products are not hazardous as shipped.

Acute Eye: Product in finished form does not present a health hazard via this route of entry. Dusts and flying particles generated during cutting, grinding and forming may cause irritation and injury.

Acute Skin: Dusts generated from this product may cause skin irritation.

Acute Inhalation: Dusts from this product may cause irritation to respiratory tract, nose, throat and lungs.

Acute Ingestion: Not considered a potential health hazard via this route of entry. This product may cause gastrointestinal irritation if dusts are swallowed.

Aggravation of Pre-existing Conditions: Not Determined.

3. Hazardous Chemical Composition

Component		CAS#	%Composition	%Composition
Amorphous Recycled Glass	Glass Sand / Glass Powder	65997-17-3	80-90	80-90
Unsaturated Polyester Resin	UPR	26123-45-5	8-16	8-16
Pigments	TiO2	1317-80-2	≤1	0-2
	Fe2O3	1332-37-2	≤1	
Additives	KH570	2530-85-0	≤0.4	0.5-0.7
	TBPO	3006-82-4	≤0.3	

Notes: Although no crystalline silica is added in the formula, <1% crystalline silica may be present due to contamination or chemical compound reactions during production.

4. First Aid Measures

Eye Exposure: Immediately flush eyes with copious amounts of water for a minimum of 15 minutes. Seek immediate medical attention if adverse effect occurs.

Skin Exposure: Wash skin with soap and water. Remove exposed or contaminated clothing, taking care not to contaminate eyes. Seek medical attention if adverse effect occurs.

Inhalation: Move person to fresh air. If necessary, use artificial respiration.

Ingestion: If the material is swallowed, seek medical attention or advice.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Artificial Stone Surface Products can be combusted only with difficulty. Decomposition products resulting from the polymer and pigments degrading at elevated temperatures include various hydrocarbons, carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide and water. Fumes of metal oxides and mica particles could also be released.

Extinguishing Media

Water, Dry Chemical, CO2, Foam.

Fire Fighting Instructions

Keep personnel removed and upwind of fire. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Cleanup and Disposal of Spill: Solid slabs can simply be gathered as necessary. If large amounts of dust or wastes are created by the cutting process, then vacuum or sweep up material avoiding dust generation by dampening spilled material with water to avoid airborne dust. Wear sufficient respiratory protection and protective clothing where necessary. If large quantities of this material enter the waterways contact the Environmental Protection Authority, or local Waste Management Authority. Dispose of waste in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

7. Handling and Storage

Handling/Storage: Avoid breathing dust. Wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking, or using toilet facilities. Wash thoroughly after work using soap and water. Good industrial hygiene practices should be followed when handling this material. Product is heavy and breakable; handle with care to avoid injury and prevent damage.

8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

8.1 Control Parameters

Exposure standards *refer local state regulators

Ingredient	Reference	TWA		STEL	
		ppm	mg/m3	ppm	mg/m3
Calcium oxide	SWA [AUS]	–	2	–	–
Calcium oxide	SWA [Proposed]	–	1	–	–
Emery (dust) (a)	SWA [AUS]	–	10	–	–
Iron oxide fume (Fe ₂ O ₃) (as Fe)	SWA [AUS]	–	5	–	–
Magnesium oxide (fume)	SWA [AUS]	–	10	–	–
Non-respirable fibres, inspirable dust	SWA [AUS]	–	2	–	–
Quartz (respirable dust)	SWA [AUS]	–	0.05	–	–
Quartz (respirable dust) (Precautionary advice)	WorkSafe VIC	–	0.02	–	–
Synthetic mineral fibres	SWA [AUS]	–	0.5 f/ml	–	–
Titanium dioxide	SWA [AUS]	–	10	–	–
Titanium dioxide (a)	SWA [AUS]	–	10	–	–
Titanium dioxide (inhalable)	SWA [Proposed]	–	1	–	–

8.2 Engineering Controls

Exposure standards *refer local state regulators

Avoid inhalation. Use in well-ventilated areas. Where an inhalation risk exists, mechanical extraction ventilation is recommended. Wet cut, polish, sand, grind, or drill only. Maintain dust levels below the recommended exposure standard.

Personal Protective Equipment:

Eye / Face: If cutting or sanding with potential for dust generation, wear dust-proof goggles.

Hands: Wear PVC, rubber, or cotton gloves when handling material to prevent skin contact.

Body: Not required under normal conditions of use.

Respiratory: Avoid uncontrolled dry cutting, sanding, polishing, grinding, or drilling, if alterations are unavoidable use a half face (negative pressure) mask with minimum P2/N95 particle respirator & tools which have water suppression & on tool dust extraction with H class rating.

Consultation with relevant State Worksafe offices for further details is recommended.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical Appearance: Artificial Stone

Odor: None

pH: NA

Specific Gravity: 2.2-2.5

Water Solubility: Insoluble

Flash Point: 490°C

Melting Point: NA

Boiling Point: NA

Vapor Pressure: NA

% Volatiles: NA

Viscosity: NA

10. Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable

Conditions to Avoid: None

Materials / Chemicals to Be Avoided: This product is incompatible with hydrofluoric acid.

Silica will dissolve in hydrofluoric acid and produce the corrosive gas silicon tetrafluoride.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Upon decomposition, various hydrocarbons, carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide fumes, and water may be released.

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

11. Ecological Information

Environmental Fate: Not Determined

Environmental Toxicity: Not Determined

12. Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal Method: Whatever cannot be saved for recovery or recycling should be managed in an appropriate and approved waste disposal facility. Processing, use or contamination of this product may change the waste management options. State and local disposal regulations may differ from federal disposal regulations. Dispose in accordance with federal, state and local requirements.

13. Transportation Information

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations

14. Regulatory Information

U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA Inventory Status: In compliance with TSCA Inventory requirements for commercial purposes.

15. Other Information

National Fire Protection Association NFPA(R) and Hazardous Materials Identification System

(HMIS) Hazard Ratings:

Health Hazard: 1

Flammability: 0

Reactivity: 0

Key Legend Information: IDLH Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health

N/A – Not Applicable PEL – Permissible Exposure Limit

ND – Not Determined TWA – Time Weighted Average

ACGIH – American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

STEL – Short Term Exposure Limit NTP – National Toxicology Program

OSHA – Occupational Safety and Health Administration

TLV – Threshold Limit Value

IARC – International Agency for Research on Cancer

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