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1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

a. Product identifier

Trade Name	Cement a mixture of portland clinker, limestone and gypsum from the						
Product Name	CEM I 52,5 N						
	CEM I 42,5 R						
	CEM I 42,5 R- SR 5						
	CEM I 42,5 N - SR 5						
	CEM II/A-LL 42,5 R						
	CEM II/ B-LL 32,5 N						
Other Names	None						
Chemical Name	Cement, portland, chemicals, limestone, Portland cement						
Index Number as listed in Annex VI CLP	Not included in Annex VI of Regulation 1272/2008 (CLP)						
CAS No	65997-15-1 for Portland Cement Clinker						
	1317-65-3 for Limestone						
	13397-24-5 for Gypsum						
EC No	266-043-4 for Portland Cement Clinker						
	1317-65-3 for Limestone						
	603-783-2 for Gypsum						
REACH Registration	Cement is a preparation under reach and is not subject to registration.						
Number	Cement clinker is exempt from registration(Art.2,7 (b) and Annex V.10 of reach)						



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b. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

USE(S):

Cement are used in industrial installations to manufacture formulate hyrdraulic binders for building and construction work, such as ready-mixed concrete, mortars, renders, grouts, plasters as well as precast concrete.

Common cements and cement containing mixes (hyraulic binders) are used industrially, by professionals as well as by consumers in building and construction work, indoor and outdoor. The identified uses of cements and cement containing mixes cover the dry products in a wet suspension (paste).

PROC (uses)	Identified uses- Use description	Manufacture/for mulation of building materials	Professional / industrial use building materials
2	Use in closed, continuous processes with occasional, controlled exposure	Х	Х
3	Use in closed batch processes	х	x
5	Mixing or blending in batch processes to from preparations and articles	Х	х
7	İndustrial spraying		х
8a	Transfer of substance or preparation from/to vessels/large containers at non decicated facilities		Х
8b	Transfer of substance or prepartion from to vesses/large continers at non decicated facilities	Х	Х
9	Transfer of substance or preparation into small containers	Х	Х
10	Roller application or brushing		x
11	Non industrial spraying		x



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	13	Treatment of articles by dipping and pouring		х
	14	Production of preparations or articles by tabletting, compression, extrusion, pelletisation	Х	Х
	19	Hand mixing with indimate contact and only PPE available	Х	Х
	22	Potentially closed processing operations with minerals metals at elevated temperature in industrial setting		
	26	Handling of solid inorganic substances at ambient temperature	Х	Х

Uses advised aganist: Unknown

c. Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

Manufacture, Importer, supplier	Name: MEDCEM CEMENT PLANT Adress: Bağalanı Mevkii Akdere SİLİFKE / MERSİN TÜRKİYE Tel: 0324 744 40 00
Responsible Person fort the SDS	Caner YILMAZ
	Email: caner.yilmaz@medcem.com.tr

d. Emergency Telephone

Emergency telephone number	Tel: 0324 744 40 00
Unique number for emergencies	112 EMERGENCY FIRST AID CENTER 114 POSION CENTER 110 FIRE



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2. Hazards identification

a. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation 1272/2008 (CLP)							
Hazard statements	H318	Causes serious eye damage					
	H315	Causes skin irritation					
	H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction						
	H335 May cause respiratory irritation						
Classification according	to Directive 67/548 (D	DSD)					
Risk phrases	Xi	Irritant					
	R37/38	Irritating to respiratory system and skin					
	R41	Risk of serious damage to eyes					
	R43 May cause sensitisation by skin contact						

Cement dust may cause irritation of the respiratory system.

When cement reacts with water, for instance when making concrete or mortar, or when the cement becomes damp, a strong alkaline solution is produced. Due to the high alkalinity, wet cement may provoke skin and eye irritation.

It may also cause an allergic reaction in some individuals due to the soluble Cr(VI) content.



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b. Label Elements

Labelling in accordance With regulation 1272/2008 (CLP)

Pictogram (s)		$\wedge \wedge$
GHS05 – Corro	sive	
GHS07 – Atten	tion	
	H318	Causes serious eye damage
Hazard	H315	Causes skin irritation
statements	H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction
	H335	May cause respiratory irritation
	P102	Keep out of reach of children
	P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
Precautionary statements	P305+P351+P338+P310	If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a doctor/physician or a poison center.
	P302+P352+P333+P313	If on skin: Wash thoroughly with soap and water. If skin irritation or a rash occurs, Get medical advice/attention.
	P261+P304+P340+P312	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. If inhaled: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a doctor/ physician or a poison center if you feel unwell.
	P501	Dispose of packaging according to statutory requirements



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Labelling according to directive 1999/45/EC

Pictogram(s)						
Xi- Irritanat		Xi - Irritant				
Risk	R37/38	Irritating to respiratory system and skin				
Phrases	R41	Risk of serious damage to eyes				
	R43	May cause sensitisation by skin contact				
	S2	Keep out of reach of children				
	S22	Do not breathe dust				
	S24/25	Avoid contact with skin and eyes				
Safety S26 Advice		In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice				
	S36/37/39	Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection				
	S46	If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label				

c. Other hazards

	Cement does not meet the criteria for PBT /persistent,		
PBT/ vPvB	bioaccumulative toxins/ or		
	vPvB /very persistent and very bioaccumulative/ according		
	to Annex XIII of REACH (Regulation (EC) No.1907/2006)		



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3. Composition / information on ingredients

Composition – main components;

		Cement Composition According to EN 197-1							
Cement Type	Designation	Conc. Range (W/W in cement)							
		Clinker	Limestone	Minor					
				Constituents					
CEM I 52,5 N	Portland	%95-100	-	%5-0					
CEM I 42,5 R	Portland	%95-100	-	%5-0					
CEM I 42,5 R- SR 5	Sulfate	%95-100	-	%5-0					
	Resistance								
	Portland								
CEM I 42,5 N- SR 5	Sulfate	%95-100	-	%5-0					
	Resistance								
	Portland								
CEM II/A-LL 42,5 R	Portland	%94-80	% 6-20	%5-0					
	Limestone								
CEM II/B-LL 32,5 N	Portland	%79-65	% 21-35	%5-0					
	Limestone								



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					Classifi	cation	Classificat	ion under
		Registration	EINECS	CAS	unc	ler	Regulation	1272/2008
Substance	Composition	number	No.	No.	67/54	8/EEC		
	(% W/W)				Symbol	R	Hazard-	Hazard
					[C&L]		class,	statement
							category	
Portland		Cement clinker is	266- 043-4	65997 - 15-1	Xi	R37	STOT SE 3 Specific target organ toxicity	H335: May cause respiratory
clinkor	65 100 %	not subject				020	Skin irritation 2	irritation
Chilker	03-100 %	registration				130	Serious eye damage/ eye	H315: Causes skin irritation
						R41	irritation 1	H318: Causes serious eye
						R43	Skin sensitisation 1	H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction
Limestone	35-0%		215-	1317-	xi	R37	STOT SE 3 Specific	H335: May cause
			279-6	65-3		R38	target organ toxicity	respiratory irritation
						R41 R43	Skin irritation 2 Serious eye damage/ eye irritation 1 Skin sensitisation 1	H315: Causes skin irritation H318: Causes serious eye damage H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction



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Substance	Composition (% w/w)	Registration number	EINECS No.	CAS No.	Classifi und 67/548 Symbol [C&L]	cation ler B/EEC R	Classificati Regulation : Hazard- class, category	on under 1272/2008 Hazard statement
Gypsum	0 / 5%		603- 783-2	13397 -24-5	-	-	-	

4. First aid measures

a. **Description of first aid measures:** No personal protective equipment is needed for victim and first aid responders. The latter should avoid contact with wet cement or wet cement containing preparations.

Following contact with eyes:	Do not rub eyes in order to avoid possible cornea damage as a result of mechanical stress. Remove contact lenses if any. Incline head to injured eye, open the eyelid(s) widely and flush eye(s)immediately by thoroug ly rinsing with plenty of clean water for at least 20 minutes to remove all particles. If possible, use isotonic water (0.9% NaCl). Contact a specialist of occupational medicine or an eye specialist.
Following skin contact:	For dry cement, remove and rinse abundantly with water. For wet cement, wash skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing, footwear, watches, etc. and clean thoroughly before re-using them. Seek medical treatment in all cases of irritation or burns.
Following ingestion	Do not induce vomiting. If the person is conscious, wash out mouth with water and give plenty of water to drink. Get immediate medical attention or contact the anti poison centre.
Following inhalation:	Move the person to fresh air. Dust in throat and nasal passages should clear spontaneously. Contact a physician if irritation persists or later develops or if discomfort, coughing or other symptoms persist.



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b. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

	Eyes: Eye contact with cement (dry or wet) may cause serious and
	potentially irreversible injuries.
	Inhalation: Repeated inhalation of dust of Portland cement clinker over a
	long period of time increases the risk of developing lung diseases.
	Skin: Cement may have an irritating effect on moist skin (due to sweat or
Acute reactions	humidity) after prolonged contact or may cause contact dermatitis after repeated contact.
	Prolonged skin contact with wet cement or wet concrete may cause
	serious burns because they develop without pain being felt (for example when kneeling in wet concrete even when wearing trousers).
	For more details see Reference (1).
	Environment: Under normal use, common cement is not hazardous to
	the environment
	Eyes : Eye contact with cement (dry or wet) may cause serious and
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Delayed reactions	humidity) after prolonged contact or may cause contact dermatitis after repeated contact.
	Prolonged skin contact with wet cement or wet concrete may cause
	serious burns because they develop without pain being felt (for example
	when kneeling in wet concrete even when wearing trousers).
	For more details see Reference (1).
	Environment: Under normal use, common cement is not hazardous to
	the environment

c. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

When contacting a physician, take this SDS with you.



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- 5. Fire-Fighting Measures
- a. Extinguishing media; Common cements are not flammable.
- **b.** Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture; Cements are non-combustible and non-explosive and will not facilitate or sustain the combustion of other materials
- **c.** Advice for fire-fighters; Cement poses no fire-related hazards. No need for special protective equipment for fire fighters. Special protective equipment not required. Special precautions not required
- 6. Accidental Release Measures
- a. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel; Wear protective equipment as described under Section 8 and follow the advice for safe handling and use given under Section 7.

For emergency responders; Emergency procedures are not required. However, respiratory protection is needed in situations with high dust levels.

b. Environmental precautions

Do not wash cement down sewage and drainage systems or into bodies of water (e.g. streams).

c. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Collect the spillage in a dry state if possible.

Dry cement

Use cleanup methods such as vacuum clean-up or vacuum extraction (Industrial portable units, equipped with high efficiency air filters (EPA and HEPA filters, EN 1822-1:2009) or equivalent technique) which do not cause airborne dispersion. Never use compressed air. Alternatively, wipe-up the dust by mopping, wet brushing or by using water sprays or hoses (fine mist to avoid that the dust becomes airborne) and remove slurry. If not possible, remove by slurrying with water (see wet cement). When wet cleaning or vacuum cleaning is not possible and only dry cleaning with brushes can be done, ensure that the workers wear the appropriate personal protective equipment and prevent dust from spreading. Avoid inhalation of cement and contact with skin. Place spilled materials into a container. Solidify before disposal as described under Section 13.

Wet cement

Clean up wet cement and place in a container. Allow material to dry and solidify before disposal as described under Section 13.



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- d. Reference to other sections See sections 8 anda 13 for more details.
- 7. Handling and Storage
- a. Precautions for safe handling

Technical protective measures:

Follow the recommendations as given under Section 8.

To clean up dry cement, see Subsection 6.c.

Measures to prevent fire; Not applicable.

<u>Measures to prevent aerosol and dust generation</u>; Do not sweep. Use dry cleanup methods such as vacuum clean-up or vacuum extraction, which do not cause airborne dispersion.

Measure to protect the environment; No particular measures.

General (occupational hygiene):

Do not handle or store near food and beverages or smoking materials. In dusty environment, wear dust mask and protective goggles. Use protective gloves to avoid skin contact.

b. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions; Bulk cement should be stored in silos that are waterproof, dry (i.e. with internal condensation minimised), clean and protected from contamination.

Engulfment hazard: Cement can build-up or adhere to the walls of a confined space and later release, collapse or fall unexpectedly. To prevent engulfment or suffocation, do not enter a confined space, such as a silo, bin, bulk truck, or other storage container or vessel that stores or contains cement without taking the proper security measures.

Packed products should be stored in unopened bags clear of the ground in cool, dry conditions and protected from excessive draught in order to avoid degradation of quality. Bags should be stacked in a stable manner.

Incompatible substances/mixtures; Do not use aluminium containers due to incompatibility of the materials.

c. Specific end use(s); No additional information for the specific end uses (see section 1.b).



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8. Exposure controls/personal protection

a. Control parameters

Legal grounds: Regulation No 13 for protection of workers against risks related to exposure to chemical agents at work.

Limit values of professional	DNEL, inhalation /8 hours/	3 mg/m3
exposure	DNEL, dermal	inapplicable
	DNEL, oral	inapplicable
	PNEC /predicted no-effect	inapplicable
	concentration/ for water	
	PNEC for sediment	inapplicable
	PNEC for soil	inapplicable

b. Exposure control

<u>Appropriate engineering control</u>: Measures to prevent generation and spreading of dust, for example suitable ventilation systems and cleaning methods, which do not stir up dust.

Exposure scenario (ES)	PROC *	Exposure	Localized Control	Efficiency
Industrial	2, 3	Duration is not	not required	-
manufacturing/	14, 26	restricted (up to 480	A) not required	-
formulation of	5, 8b, 9	minutes per shift, 5	or	
hydraulic		shifts per week).	B) generic local exhaust	78%
binding agents and			ventilation	
building materials			A/generic ventilation or	
			B) generic local exhaust	17%
			ventilation	
				78%
Industrial use of	2	Duration is not	not required	-
dry hydraulic	14, 22, 26	restricted (up to 480	A) not required	-
binding	5, 8b, 9	minutes per shift, 5	or	
agents and building		shifts per week).	B) generic local exhaust	78%
materials (indoor,			ventilation	
outdoor)			A/generic ventilation or	
			B) generic local exhaust	17%
			ventilation	
				78%



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Industrial use of	7	Duration is not	A/ not required	-
wet suspensions of	2, 5, 8b,	restricted (up to 480	or	78%
building	9, 10, 13,	minutes per shift, 5	B) generic local exhaust	
materials	14	shifts per week).	ventilation	
			not required	-
Professional use of	2	Duration is not	Not required	-
dry buildng	9,26	restricted (up to 480	A / not required or	-
materials	5,8a,8b,14	minutes per shift, 5	B) generic local exhaust	
(indoor, outdoor)		shifts per week).	ventilation	72 %
			A/ not required or	
			B) integrated local exhaust	
			ventilation	-
			Local ventilation is inaplicated.	
			The process takes place only	
			outdoors or in well- ven tilated	87 %
			rooms.	
				50%
Professional use of	11	Duration is not	A/ not required	-
wet suspensions of		restricted (up to 480	or	
building	2, 5,8a,	minutes per shift, 5	B) generic local exhaust	72 %
materials	8b,9,10,	shifts per week).	ventilation	-
	13, 14, 19		Not required	
PROC refers to Uses – see section 1.b				

Individual protection measures and personal protective equipment

<u>Respiratory protection</u>: Use adequate respirator masks when exposure limit values are exceeded. These protection means must comply with the requirements applicable to the level of dust pollution as defined in the respective European standard EN (e.g. EN 149, EN 140, EN 14387, EN 1827) or a corresponding national standard. Thermal hazards - Inapplicable.



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Exposure	PROC*	Exposure	Specification of	RPE
scenario			respiratory	efficiency –
			protective	assigned
			equipment (RPE)	protection
				factor (APF)
Industrial	2, 3	Duration is not restricted	Not required	-
manufacturing/		(up to 480 minutes per	A/ Mask P1 (FF, FM)	APF=4
formulation of	14, 26	shift, 5 shifts per week).	or	
hydraulic			B/ Not required	-
binding agents	5, 8b, 9		A/Mask P2 (FF, FM)	APF=10
and			or	
building			B/ Mask P1 (FF, FM)	APF=4
materials				
Industrial use of	2	Duration is not restricted	Not required	-
dry hydraulic		(up to 480 minutes per	A/ Mask P1 (FF, FM)	APF=4
binding	14, 22,	shift, 5 shifts per week).	or	
agents and	26		B/ Not requiredo	-
building			A/ Mask P2(FF,FM)	APF=10
materials	5, 8b, 9		or	
(indoor,			B/ Mask P1 (FF, FM)	APF=4
outdoor)				
Industrial use of	7	Duration is not restricted	A/ Mask P1 (FF, FM)	APF=4
wet suspensions	2, 5, 8b,	(up to 480 minutes per	or	
of building	9, 10,	shift, 5 shifts per week).	B/ Not required	-
materials	13, 14		Not required	-
Professional use	2	Duration is not restricted	Mask P1 (FF, FM)	APF=4
of dry building	9, 26	(up to 480 minutes per	A/ Mask P2(FF,FM)	APF=10
materials		shift, 5 shifts per week).	or	
(indoor, outdoor)			B/ Mask P1 (FF, FM)	APF=4
	5, 8a,		A/ Mask P3(FF,FM)	APF=20
	8b, 14		or	
			B/ Mask P1 (FF, FM)	APF=4
	19		Mask P2(FF,FM)	APF=10
Professional use	11	Duration is not restricted	A/ Mask P2(FF,FM)	APF=10
of wet		(up to 480 minutes per	or	
suspensions of		shift, 5 shifts per week).	B/ Mask P1 (FF, FM)	APF=4
building	2, 5,8a,		Not required	-
materials	8b,9,10,			
	13, 14,			
	19			

*PROC refers to Uses – see Section 1.b



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Hands protection:	gloves (made of low soluble Cr (VI) containing material) internally lined with cotton, boots, closed long-sleeved protective clothing as well as skin care products (including barrier creams) to protect the skin from prolonged contact with
	wet cement. Particular care should be taken to ensure that wet cement does not enter the boots. In some circumstances, such as when laying concrete or screed, waterproof trousers or kneepads are necessary.
Eyes/face protection:	Wear approved glasses or safety goggles according to EN 166 when handling dry or wet cement to prevent contact with eyes
Skin protection:	Use waterproof, abrasion and alkali resistant gloves (made of low soluble Cr (VI) containing material) internally lined with cotton, boots, closed long-sleeved protective clothing as well as skin care products (including barrier creams) to protect the skin from prolonged contact with wet cement. Particular care should be taken to ensure that wet cement does not enter the boots. In some circumstances, such as when laying concrete or screed, waterproof trousers or kneepads are necessary.
Occupational hygiene measures:	During work avoid kneeling in fresh mortar or concrete wherever possible. If kneeling is absolutely necessary then appropriate waterproof personal protective equipment must be worn. Do not eat, drink or smoke when working with cement to avoid contact with skin or mouth. Before starting to work with cement, apply a barrier creme and reapply it at regular intervals. Immediately after working with cement or cement containing materials, workers should wash or shower or use skin moisturisers. Remove contaminated clothing, footwear, watches, etc. and clean thoroughly before re-using.



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Environmental exposure control for the emission of cement particles into air has to be in accordance with the available technology and regulations for the emission of general dust particles.

Environmental exposure control is relevant for the aquatic environment as emissions of cement in the different life-cycle stages (production and use) mainly apply to ground and waste water. The aquatic effect and risk assessment cover the effect on organisms/ecosystems due to possible pH changes related to hydroxide discharges. The toxicity of other dissolved inorganic ions is expected to

be negligible compared to the potential pH effect. Any effects that might occur during production and use would be expected to take place on a local scale. The pH of effluent and surface water should not exceed 9. Otherwise it could have an impact on municipal sewage treatment plants (STPs) and industrial waste water treatment plants (WWTPs). For that assessment of the exposure, a stepwise approach is recommended:

Tier 1: Retrieve information on effluent pH and the contribution of the cement on the resulting pH. Should the pH be above 9 and be predominantly attributable to cement, then further actions are required to demonstrate safe use.

Tier 2: Retrieve information on receiving water pH after the discharge point. The pH of the receiving water shall not exceed the value of 9.

Tier 3: Measure the pH in the receiving water after the discharge point. If pH is below 9, safe use is reasonably demonstrated. If pH is found to be above 9, risk management measures have to be implemented: the effluent has to undergo neutralisation, thus ensuring safe use of cement during production or use phase.

No special emission control measures are necessary for the exposure to the terrestrial environment.



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- 9. Physical and Chemical Properties
- a. Information on basic physical and chemical properties This information applies to the whole mixture.

Appearance	Dry cement is a finely ground solid inorganic material	
	(grey powder).	
	Main particle size: 5-30 µm.	
Odour	Odourless	
	Odour threshold: none.	
pH: (T = 20°C in water, water-solid ratio 1:2)	11 - 13.5	
Melting point	> 1250 °C	
Boiling point	under normal atmospheric conditions, boiling point >1	
	250°C	
Flash point	Not applicable as is not a liquid	
Evaporation rate	Not applicable as is not a liquid	
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable as is a solid which is non combustible	
	and does not cause or contribute to fire through friction	
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Not applicable as is not a flammable gas	
Vapour pressure	Not applicable as melting point > 1250 °C	
Vapour density	Not applicable as melting point > 1250 °C	
Relative density	2.75-3.20; Apparent density: 0.9 -1.5 g/cm ³	
Solubility(ies) in water (T = 20 °C)	slight (0.1-1.5 g/l)	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not applicable as is inorganic mixture	
Auto-ignition temperature	Not applicable (no pyrophoricity – no organo-metallic,	
	organo-metalloid or organo-phosphine bindings or of	
	their derivatives, and no other pyrophoric constituent	
	in the composition)	
Decomposition temperature	Not applicable as no organic peroxide present	
Viscosity	Not applicable as no organic peroxide present	
Oxidising properties	Not applicable as does not cause or contribute to the	
	combustion of other materials.	
Explosive properties	Not applicable. Not explosive or pyrotechnic. Not in	
	itself canable by chemical reaction of producing gas at	
	such temperature and pressure and at such a speed as	
	to cause damage to the surroundings. Not canable of a	
	self-sustaining exothermic chemical reaction	

b. Other information; not applicable



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10. Stability and Reactivity

- **a. Reactivity;** When mixed with water, cements will harden into a stable mass that is not reactive in normal environments
- **b.** Chemical stability; Dry cements are stable as long as they are properly stored (see Section 7) and compatible with most other building materials. They should be kept dry. Contact with incompatible materials should be avoided Wet cement is alkaline and incompatible with acids, with ammonium salts, with aluminium or other non-noble metals. Cement dissolves in hydrofluoric acid to produce corrosive silicon tetrafluoride gas. Cement reacts with water to form silicates and calcium hydroxide. Silicates in cement react with powerful oxidizers such as fluorine, boron trifluoride, chlorine trifluoride, managanese trifluoride, and oxygen difluoride
- c. Possibility of hazardous reactions; Cements do not cause hazardous reactions
- **d.** Conditions to avoid; Humid conditions during storage may cause lump formation and loss of product quality
- e. Incompatible materials; Acids, ammonium salts, aluminium or other non-noble metals. Uncontrolled use of aluminium powder in wet cement should be avoided as hydrogen is produced.
- f. Hazardous decomposition products; Cements will not decompose into any hazardous products.



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11. Toxicological information

a. Information on toxicological effects

Hazard Class	Cat	Effect	Reference
Acute toxicity -	-	Limit test, rabbit, 2,000 mg/kg body weight – no lethality. Tests made with	(2)
dermal		Portland cement containing more than 90% Portland cement clinker. Based	
		on available data, the classification criteria are not met	
Acute toxicity -	-	No acute toxicity by inhalation observed.Based on available data, the	(8)
inhalation		classification criteria are not met	
Acute toxicity -	-	No indication of oral toxicity from studies with cement kiln dust. Kiln dust	Literature
oral		contains varying quantities of Portland cement clinker. Based on available	survey
		data, the classification criteria are not met.	
Skin corrosion/	2	Dry cement in contact with wet skin may cause thickening, cracking or	(2)
irritation		fissuring of the skin. Prolonged contact in combination with abrasion may	Human
		cause severe burns. Tests made with Portland cement containing more than	experience
		90% Portland cement clinker.	
Serious eye	1	Portland cement clinker caused a mixed picture of corneal effects and the	(9), (10)
damage/		calculated irritation index was 128. Direct contact with cement may cause	
irritation		corneal damage by mechanical stress, immediate or delayed irritation or	
		inflammation. Direct contact by larger amounts of dry cement or splashes of	
		wet cement may cause effects ranging from moderate eye irritation (e.g.	
		conjunctivitis or blepharitis) to chemical burns and blindness.	
Skin	1	Some individuals may develop eczema upon exposure to wet cement dust,	(3), (11)
sensitisation		caused either by the high pH which induces irritant contact dermatitis after	
		prolonged contact, or by an immunological reaction to soluble Cr (VI) which	
		elicits allergic contact dermatitis.	
Respiratory	-	There is no indication of sensitisation of the respiratory system. Based on	(1)
sensitisation		available data, the classification criteria are not met.	
Germ cell	-	No indication. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met	(12), (13)
mutagenicity			
Carcinogenicity		No causal association has been established between Portland cement	(1)
		exposure and cancer.	(14)
		The epidemiological literature does not support the designation of Portland	
		cement as a suspected human carcinogen. Portland cement is not	
		classifiable as a human carcinogen (According to ACGIH A4: Agents that	
		cause concern that they could be carcinogenic for humans but which cannot	
		be assessed conclusively because of a lack of data. In vitro or animal studies	
		do not provide indications of carcinogenicity that are sufficient to classify	
		the agent with one of the other notations.). Portland cement contains over	
		90% clinker. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.	



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Reproductive toxicity	-	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met	No evidence from human experience
STOT /specific target organ toxicity/ -single exposure	3	Cement dust may irritate the throat and respiratory tract. Coughing, sneezing, and shortness of breath may occur following exposures in excess of occupational exposure limits.Overall, the pattern of evidence clearly indicates that occupational exposure to cement dust has produced deficits in respiratory function. However, evidence available at the present time is insufficient to establish with any confidence the dose-response relationship for these effects.	(1)
STOT / specific target organ toxicity/ - repeated exposure	-	There is an indication of COPD /chronic obstructive pulmonary disease/. The effects are acute and due to high exposures. No chronic effects or effects at low concentration have been observed. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.	(15)
Aspiration hazard	-	Not applicable as cements are not used as an aerosol.	

Portland cement clinker and common cements have the same toxicological and eco-toxicological properties.

Medical conditions aggravated by exposure

Inhaling cement dust may aggravate existing respiratory system disease(s) and/or medical conditions such as emphysema or asthma and/or existing skin and/or eye conditions.

12. Ecological information

a. Toxicity

The product is not hazardous to the environment. Ecotoxicological tests with Portland cement on Daphnia magna (water flea species) [Reference (4)] and Selenastrum coli (species of algae) [Reference (5)] have shown little toxicological impact. Therefore LC50 and EC50 values could not be determined [Reference (7)]. There is no indication of sediment phase toxicity [Reference (8)]. The addition of large amounts of cement to water may, however, cause a rise in pH and may, therefore, be toxic to aquatic life under certain circumstances

b. Persistence and degradability

Not relevant as cement is an inorganic material. After hardening, cement presents no toxicity risks

c. Bioaccumulative potentia

Not relevant as cement is an inorganic material. After hardening, cement presents no toxicity risks



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d. Mobility in soil

Not relevant as cement is an inorganic material. After hardening, cement presents no toxicity risks

e. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

According to Annex XIII of Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 – REACH cement is neither persistent, bioaccumulative toxin (PBT), nor very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB).

f. Other adverse effects

Not relevant.

- 13. Disposal considerations
- a. Waste treatment methods

Do not dispose of into sewage systems or surface waters.

<u>Product – cement that has exceeded its shelf life</u>; (and when demonstrated that it contains more than 0.0002% soluble Cr (VI)): shall not be used/sold other than for use in controlled closed and totally automated processes or should be recycled or disposed of according to local legislation or treated again with a reducing agent.

Product - unused residue or dry spillage; Pick up dry unused residue or dry spillage as is. Mark the containers. Possibly reuse depending upon shelf life considerations and the requirement to avoid dust exposure. In case of disposal, harden with water and dispose according to "Product – after addition of water, hardened".

Product – slurries; Allow to harden, avoid entry in sewage and drainage systems or into bodies of water (e.g. streams) and dispose of as explained below under "Product - after addition of water, hardened".

<u>Product - after addition of water, hardened;</u> Dispose of according to the local legislation. Avoid entry into the sewage water system. Dispose of the hardened product as concrete waste. Due to the inertisation, concrete **waste** is not a dangerous waste.

Packaging: Completely empty the packaging and process it according to local legislation.

EWC entry; 15 01 01 (waste paper and cardboard packaging).



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Cement is not covered by the international regulation on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID), therefore no classification is required. No special precautions are needed apart from those mentioned under Section 8.

- a. UN number; Not relevant
- b. UN proper shipping name; Not relevant
- c. Transport hazard class(es); Not relevant
- d. Packing group; Not relevant
- e. Environmental hazards; Not relevant
- f. Special precautions for user; Not relevant
- g. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code; Not relevant
- 15. Regulatory information
- a. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Cement is a mixture according to REACH and is not subject to registration. Cement clinker is exempt from registration (Art 2.7 (b) and Annex V.10 of REACH). Kiln dust from manufacture of cement clinker is registered under REACH and the exposure scenario is detailed in an Annex to this SDS.

By way of derogation, paragraphs 1 and 2 shall not apply to the placing on the market for, and use in, controlled closed and totally automated processes in which cement and cement-containing mixtures are handled solely by machines and in which there is no possibility of contact with the skin.

b. Chemical Safety Assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.



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16. Other Information

Classification according to Regulation 1272/2008 (CLP)

Hazard statements	H318	Causes serious eye damage
	H315	Causes skin irritation
	H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction
	H335	May cause respiratory irritation
Precautionary statements	P102	Keep out of reach of children
	P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
	P305+P351+P338+P310	If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a doctor/physician or a poison center.
	P302+P352+P333+P313	If on skin: Wash thoroughly with soap and water. If skin irritation or a rash occurs, Get medical advice/attention.
	P261+P304+P340+P312	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. If inhaled: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a doctor/ physician or a poison center if you feel unwell
	P501	Dispose of packaging according to statutory requirements.



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Classification according to Directive 67/548 (DSD)

Risk phrases	Xi	Irritant
	R37/38	Irritating to respiratory system and skin
	R41	Risk of serious damage to eyes
	R43	May cause sensitisation by skin contact
Safety advice	S2	Keep out of reach of children
	S22	Do not breathe dust
	S24/25	Avoid contact with skin and eyes
	S26	In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice
	S36/37/39	Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection
	S46	If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label

Indication of changes; This Safety Data Sheet is completely in compliance with Annex I of Regulation (EO) 453/20.05.2010 r, introducing a new format and requirements to preparation of SDS (Annex II of REACH).

Key data sources for this SDS:

Regulation № 13/ 30.12.2003 on workers' protection from risks associated with exposure to chemical agents at work;

Company instructions, reports, protocols.



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Legal fremework; Law of protection from the harmful impact of chemical substances and mixtures Ordinance on clasification, labelling and packaging of chemical substances and mixtures;

Regulation (EO) 1907/2006 (REACH)

Regulation (EO) №1272/2008 (CLP)

Regulation (EO) 453/20.05.2010 containing basic SDS requirementsegal

Abbreviations and acronyms;

- ADR/RID European Agreements on the transport of Dangerous goods by Road/Railway
- APF Assigned protection factor
- CAS Chemical Abstracts Service
- CLP Classification, labelling and packaging Regulation EC 1272/2008
- COPD Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
- DNEL Derived no-effect level
- EC50 Half maximal effective concentration
- ECHA European Chemical Agency
- EINECS European INventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances
- EPA Type of high efficiency air filter
- ES Exposure Scenario
- EWC European Waste Catalogue
- FF P Filtering facepiece against particles (disposable)
- FM P Filtering mask against particles with filter cartridge
- GefStoffV Gefahrstoffverordnung
- HEPA Type of high efficiency air filter
- H&S Health & Safety
- IATA International Air Transport Association
- IMDG International agreement on the Maritime transport of Dangerous Goods



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MEASE - Metals estimation and assessment of substance exposure, EBRC Consulting GmbH for Eurometaux /European metals association/

MS - Member state

OELV - Occupational exposure limit value

PBT - Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic

PNEC - Predicted no-effect concentration

PROC - Process category

RE – Repeated exposure

REACH - Registration, Evaluation and Authorization of Chemicals

RPE - Respiratory protective equipment

SCOEL - Scientific Committee on Occupational Exposure Limit Values

SDS - Safety Data Sheet

SE - Single exposure

STOT - Specific target organ toxicity

TLV-TWA - Threshold Limit Value-Time-Weighted Average

TRGS - Technische Regeln für Gefahrstoffe

VLE-MP - Exposure limit value-weighted average in mg by cubic meter of air

vPvB - Very persistent, very bioaccumulative

w/w - Weight by weight

WWTP - Waste water treatment plant

The information on this data sheet reflects the currently available knowledge and is reliable provided that the product is used under the prescribed conditions and in accordance with the application specified on the packaging and/or in the technical guidance literature. Any other use of the product, including the use of the product in combination with any other product or any other process, is the responsibility of the user.

The user is responsible for determining appropriate safety measures and for applying the legislation covering his/her own activities

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