



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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CH

Color Hardeners

## 1. IDENTIFICATION

### Product identifier

**Product Name** Color Hardeners

### Other means of identification

**Product Code** CH

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended Use** Restricted to professional users.

**Uses advised against** Consumer use

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### **Supplier Address**

Solomon Colors, Inc.  
4050 Color Plant Road  
Springfield, IL 62702

#### **Manufacturer Address**

Solomon Colors, Inc.  
4050 Color Plant Road  
Springfield, IL 62702

**Company Phone Number** 800-624-0261 (US & Canada); 217-522-3112 (Outside North America)

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

#### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Carcinogenicity	Category 1A
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	Category 2

### Label elements

#### **Emergency Overview**

#### **Danger**

#### **Hazard statements**

May cause cancer  
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure  
Corrosive



Overexposure to dust can cause chronic lung injury. Acute silicosis may develop in a short timewith heavy exposure. Silicosis can be progressive and may cause death.

**Appearance** Grey or colored powder

**Physical state** Powder

**Odor** No information available

**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use  
 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood  
 Use personal protective equipment as required  
 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

**Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

**Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

**Other Information**

**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Trade Secret
QUARTZ	14808-60-7	35 - 70	*
Portland Cement	65997-15-1	20 - 40	*
Yellow Iron Oxide	51274-00-1	1 - 5	*
Titanium Dioxide	13463-67-7	1 - 5	*
Red Iron Oxide	1309-37-1	1 - 5	*
Black Iron Oxide	1317-61-9	1 - 5	*

\*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

**Description of first aid measures**

**General advice**

In case of accident or unwellness, seek medical advice immediately (show directions for use or safety data sheet if possible).

**Eye contact**

Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.

**Inhalation** IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Ingestion** Rinse mouth. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Call a physician immediately.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

**Symptoms** No information available.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Note to physicians** Treat symptomatically.

**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

No information available.

**Explosion data**

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** None.

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** None.

**Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

**Personal precautions** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

**Environmental precautions**

**Environmental precautions** See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

**Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

**Methods for containment** Vacuum or sweep up material and place in a designated labeled waste container.

**Methods for cleaning up** With clean shovel place material into clean, dry container and cover loosely; move containers from spill area.

**Prevention of secondary hazards** Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**Precautions for safe handling**

**Advice on safe handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Use personal protective equipment as required. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

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

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

Incompatible materials

None known based on information supplied.

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**Control parameters**

**Exposure Guidelines**

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
QUARTZ 14808-60-7	TWA: 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction	(vacated) TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable dust : (30)/(%SiO <sub>2</sub> + 2) mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA total dust : (250)/(%SiO <sub>2</sub> + 5) mppcf TWA respirable fraction : (10)/(%SiO <sub>2</sub> + 2) mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA respirable fraction	IDLH: 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable dust TWA: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable dust
Portland Cement 65997-15-1	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> particulate matter containing no asbestos and <1% crystalline silica, respirable fraction	TWA: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction (vacated) TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust (vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction TWA: 50 mppcf <1% Crystalline silica	IDLH: 5000 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable dust
Titanium Dioxide 13463-67-7	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust (vacated) TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust	IDLH: 5000 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Red Iron Oxide 1309-37-1	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> fume TWA: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction (vacated) TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> fume and total dust Iron oxide (vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction regulated under Rouge	IDLH: 2500 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Fe dust and fume TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Fe dust and fume

**Appropriate engineering controls**

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Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

**Eye/face protection**

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Skin and body protection**

Wear protective gloves and protective clothing.

**Respiratory protection**

If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

**General Hygiene Considerations**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

**Physical state**  
**Appearance**  
**Color**

Powder  
Grey or colored powder  
No information available

**Odor**  
**Odor threshold**

No information available  
No information available

**Property**

**Values**

**Remarks • Method**

**pH**  
**Melting point/freezing point**  
**Boiling point / boiling range**  
**Flash point**

No information available  
No information available  
No information available  
No information available

<b>Evaporation rate</b>	No information available
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	No information available
<b>Flammability Limit in Air</b>	
<b>Upper flammability limit:</b>	No information available
<b>Lower flammability limit:</b>	No information available
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	No information available
<b>Vapor density</b>	No information available
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	No information available
<b>Water solubility</b>	No information available
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available
<b>Partition coefficient</b>	No information available
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	No information available
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	No information available
<b>Kinematic viscosity</b>	No information available
<b>Dynamic viscosity</b>	No information available
<b>Explosive properties</b>	No information available
<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	No information available

**Other Information**

<b>Softening point</b>	No information available
<b>Molecular weight</b>	No information available
<b>VOC Content (%)</b>	No information available
<b>Density</b>	No information available
<b>Bulk density</b>	No information available

**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**Reactivity**

No data available

**Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

None under normal processing.

**Conditions to avoid**

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

**Incompatible materials**

None known based on information supplied.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**

None known based on information supplied.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on likely routes of exposure

<b>Product Information</b>	No data available
<b>Inhalation</b>	No data available.
<b>Eye contact</b>	No data available.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	No data available.
<b>Ingestion</b>	No data available.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
QUARTZ 14808-60-7	= 500 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-
Titanium Dioxide 13463-67-7	> 10000 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-
Red Iron Oxide 1309-37-1	> 10000 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-
Black Iron Oxide 1317-61-9	> 10000 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-

### Information on toxicological effects

**Symptoms** No information available.

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Sensitization** No information available.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** No information available.

**Carcinogenicity** No information available.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
QUARTZ 14808-60-7	A2	Group 1	Known	X
Titanium Dioxide 13463-67-7	-	Group 2B	-	X
Red Iron Oxide 1309-37-1	-	Group 3	-	-

**Reproductive toxicity** No information available.

**STOT - single exposure** No information available.

**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available.

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

### Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

ATEmix (oral) 5119 mg/kg

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

#### Persistence and degradability

No information available.

#### Bioaccumulation

No information available.

#### Other adverse effects

No information available

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### Waste treatment methods

**Disposal of wastes** Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse container.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Not regulated

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### International Inventories

<b>TSCA</b>	Complies
<b>DSL/NDSL</b>	Complies
<b>EINECS/ELINCS</b>	Complies
<b>ENCS</b>	Does not comply
<b>IECSC</b>	Complies
<b>KECL</b>	Complies
<b>PICCS</b>	Does not comply
<b>AICS</b>	Complies

### Legend:

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory  
**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List  
**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances  
**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances  
**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances  
**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances  
**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances  
**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

### US Federal Regulations

#### SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

<b>Acute health hazard</b>	No
<b>Chronic Health Hazard</b>	No
<b>Fire hazard</b>	No
<b>Sudden release of pressure hazard</b>	No
<b>Reactive Hazard</b>	No

#### CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

#### CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

### US State Regulations

#### California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

Chemical Name	California Proposition 65
QUARTZ - 14808-60-7	Carcinogen
Titanium Dioxide - 13463-67-7	Carcinogen

#### U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
QUARTZ 14808-60-7	X	X	X
Portland Cement 65997-15-1	X	X	X
Titanium Dioxide 13463-67-7	X	X	X
Red Iron Oxide 1309-37-1	X	X	X



## 16. OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OF THE LAST REVISION

<u>NFPA</u>	Reactivity 0	Physical and Chemical	<u>HMIS</u>	Health hazards 0
Flammability 0	Physical hazards 0	Properties -	Personal protection X	

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**Revision Note**

No information available

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**End of Safety Data Sheet**