

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



## Starblast™ XL

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Starblast™ XL

SDS-Identcode : 130000030940

#### Manufacturer or supplier's details

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

Recommended use : Abrasive blasting  
Sand blasting

Restrictions on use : For industrial use only.

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### GHS Classification

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

#### GHS label elements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

#### Other hazards which do not result in classification

None known.

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

#### Components

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)
Staurolite#	12182-56-8	$\geq 70$ - $< 90$
Leucoxene	12173-81-8	$\geq 1$ - $< 5$
Quartz	14808-60-7	$\geq 0.1$ - $< 1$

#: Voluntarily-disclosed substance

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### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

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| If inhaled  | : | If inhaled, remove to fresh air.<br>Get medical attention if symptoms occur.  |
| In case of skin contact                                     | : | Wash with water and soap as a precaution.<br>Get medical attention if symptoms occur.                                   |
| In case of eye contact                                      | : | Flush eyes with water as a precaution.<br>Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.                    |
| If swallowed  | : | If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting.<br>Get medical attention if symptoms occur.<br>Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. |
| Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed | : | irritant effects  |
| Protection of first-aiders                                  | : | No special precautions are necessary for first aid responders.  |
| Notes to physician  | : | Treat symptomatically and supportively.   |

### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

- |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| Suitable extinguishing media                  | : | Not applicable<br>Will not burn   |
| Unsuitable extinguishing media                | : | Not applicable<br>Will not burn   |
| Specific hazards during fire-fighting         | : | Exposure to combustion products may be a hazard to health.  |
| Hazardous combustion products                 | : | No hazardous combustion products are known  |
| Specific extinguishing methods                | : | Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.<br>Use water spray to cool unopened containers.<br>Remove undamaged containers from fire area if it is safe to do so.<br>Evacuate area. |
| Special protective equipment for firefighters | : | Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.<br>Use personal protective equipment.  |

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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| Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures | : | Follow safe handling advice (see section 7) and personal protective equipment recommendations (see section 8). |
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- Environmental precautions : Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.  
Retain and dispose of contaminated wash water.  
Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.
- Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal.  
Local or national regulations may apply to releases and disposal of this material, as well as those materials and items employed in the cleanup of releases. You will need to determine which regulations are applicable.  
Sections 13 and 15 of this SDS provide information regarding certain local or national requirements.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

- Technical measures : See Engineering measures under EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION section.
- Local/Total ventilation : Use only with adequate ventilation.
- Advice on safe handling : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice, based on the results of the workplace exposure assessment
- Conditions for safe storage : Keep in properly labelled containers.  
Store in accordance with the particular national regulations.
- Materials to avoid : No special restrictions on storage with other products.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
Leucoxene	12173-81-8	TWA	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Titanium dioxide)	ACGIH
Quartz	14808-60-7	TWA (Respirable particulate matter)	0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Silica)	ACGIH

**This substance(s) is not bioavailable and therefore does not contribute to a dust inhalation hazard.**

Quartz

- Engineering measures** : If using this product as an abrasive blast agent in confined areas, airborne dust levels should be controlled by physical enclosure of the abrasive blasting operation. The enclosure should be exhaust ventilated.

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### Personal protective equipment

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| Respiratory protection   | : | If adequate local exhaust ventilation is not available or exposure assessment demonstrates exposures outside the recommended guidelines, use respiratory protection.  |
| Filter type              | : | Particulates type   |
| Hand protection          | : |   |
| Material                 | : | Protective gloves   |
| Remarks                  | : | Choose gloves to protect hands against chemicals depending on the concentration and quantity of the hazardous substance and specific to place of work. For special applications, we recommend clarifying the resistance to chemicals of the aforementioned protective gloves with the glove manufacturer. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday. Breakthrough time is not determined for the product. Change gloves often! |
| Eye protection           | : | Wear the following personal protective equipment:<br>Safety glasses   |
| Skin and body protection | : | Skin should be washed after contact.  |
| Hygiene measures         | : | If exposure to chemical is likely during typical use, provide eye flushing systems and safety showers close to the working place.<br>When using do not eat, drink or smoke.<br>Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.  |

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### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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|---|---|-----------------------------------|
| Appearance                              | : | solid, dry, free flowing granules |
| Colour                                  | : | red brown                         |
| Odour                                   | : | odourless                         |
| Odour Threshold                         | : | No data available                 |
| pH                                      | : | No data available                 |
| Melting point/freezing point            | : | 1,370 °C                          |
| Initial boiling point and boiling range | : | No data available                 |

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Flash point	:	Not applicable
Evaporation rate	:	Not applicable
Flammability (solid, gas)	:	Will not burn  Not expected to form explosive dust-air mixtures.
Upper explosion limit / Upper flammability limit	:	No data available
Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit	:	No data available
Vapour pressure	:	Not applicable
Relative vapour density	:	Not applicable
Relative density	:	3.7
Solubility(ies) Water solubility	:	insoluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	:	Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature	:	No data available
Decomposition temperature	:	The substance or mixture is not classified self-reactive.
Viscosity Viscosity, kinematic	:	Not applicable
Explosive properties	:	Not explosive
Oxidizing properties	:	The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.
Particle size	:	No data available

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	:	Not classified as a reactivity hazard.
Chemical stability	:	Stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	:	None known.
Conditions to avoid	:	None known.
Incompatible materials	:	None.
Hazardous decomposition	:	No hazardous decomposition products are known.

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### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure : Skin contact  
Ingestion  
Eye contact

#### Acute toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

#### Components:

##### Staurolite:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 5,000 mg/kg  
Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): > 5 mg/l  
Exposure time: 4 h  
Test atmosphere: dust/mist  
Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit): > 2,000 mg/kg

##### Leucoxene:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 2,000 mg/kg  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 401  
Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

##### Quartz:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 5,000 mg/kg

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Not classified based on available information.

#### Components:

##### Leucoxene:

Species : Rabbit  
Result : No skin irritation  
Remarks : Based on data from similar materials

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Not classified based on available information.

#### Components:

##### Leucoxene:

Species : Rabbit  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 405  
Result : No eye irritation  
Remarks : Based on data from similar materials

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### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

#### Skin sensitisation

Not classified based on available information.

#### Respiratory sensitisation

Not classified based on available information.

#### Components:

##### Leucoxene:

Test Type	: Buehler Test
Exposure routes	: Skin contact
Species	: Guinea pig
Method	: OECD Test Guideline 406
Result	: negative
Remarks	: Based on data from similar materials

### Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified based on available information.

#### Components:

##### Leucoxene:

Genotoxicity in vitro	: Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro Method: OECD Test Guideline 473 Result: negative Remarks: Based on data from similar materials
Genotoxicity in vivo	: Test Type: Mammalian erythrocyte micronucleus test (in vivo cytogenetic assay) Species: Mouse Application Route: Intraperitoneal injection Result: negative Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

### Carcinogenicity

Not classified based on available information.

#### Components:

##### Quartz:

Species	: Humans
Application Route	: inhalation (dust/mist/fume)
Result	: positive
Remarks	: This substance(s) is not bioavailable and therefore does not contribute to a dust inhalation hazard.

Carcinogenicity - Assessment	: Positive evidence from human epidemiological studies (inhalation)
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### Reproductive toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

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### STOT - single exposure

Not classified based on available information.

### STOT - repeated exposure

Not classified based on available information.

### Components:

#### Quartz:

Exposure routes	: inhalation (dust/mist/fume)
Target Organs	: Lungs
Assessment	: Shown to produce significant health effects in animals at concentrations of 0.02 mg/l/6h/d or less.

### Repeated dose toxicity

### Components:

#### Leucoxene:

Species	: Rat
NOAEL	: > 100 mg/kg
Application Route	: Ingestion
Exposure time	: 90 Days
Remarks	: Based on data from similar materials

#### Quartz:

Species	: Humans
LOAEL	: 0.053 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Application Route	: inhalation (dust/mist/fume)
Remarks	: This substance(s) is not bioavailable and therefore does not contribute to a dust inhalation hazard.

### Aspiration toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

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## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

### Components:

#### Leucoxene:

Toxicity to fish	: LC50 (Cyprinodon variegatus (sheepshead minnow)): > 100 mg/l Exposure time: 96 h Remarks: Based on data from similar materials
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	: LC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): > 100 mg/l Exposure time: 48 h Remarks: Based on data from similar materials



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### Quartz:

#### Ecotoxicology Assessment

Acute aquatic toxicity : No toxicity at the limit of solubility

Chronic aquatic toxicity : No toxicity at the limit of solubility

#### Persistence and degradability

No data available

#### Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

#### Mobility in soil

No data available

#### Other adverse effects

No data available

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## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Disposal methods

Waste from residues : Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.  
If not otherwise specified: Dispose of as unused product.

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## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### International Regulations

#### UNRTDG

Not regulated as a dangerous good

#### IATA-DGR

Not regulated as a dangerous good

#### IMDG-Code

Not regulated as a dangerous good

#### Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable for product as supplied.

#### Special precautions for user

Not applicable

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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

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## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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### Further information

Sources of key data used to compile the Safety Data Sheet : Internal technical data, data from raw material SDSs, OECD eChem Portal search results and European Chemicals Agency, <http://echa.europa.eu/>

### Full text of other abbreviations

ACGIH : USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)

ACGIH / TWA : 8-hour, time-weighted average

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ANTT - National Agency for Transport by Land of Brazil; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; Nch - Chilean Norm; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NOM - Official Mexican Norm; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative; WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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