

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to GB/T 16483 and GB/T 17519



## Starblast™ Ultra Staurolite Sand Blasting Abrasives

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Starblast™ Ultra Staurolite Sand Blasting Abrasives  
SDS-Identcode : 130000030941

#### Manufacturer or supplier's details

Company : The Chemours Chemical (Shanghai) Co., Ltd.  
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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

#### Emergency Overview

Appearance : solid, dry, free flowing granules  
Colour : red brown  
Odour : odourless

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

#### GHS Classification

|| Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

#### GHS label elements

|| No hazard pictogram, no signal word, no hazard statement(s), no precautionary statement(s) required.

#### Physical and chemical hazards

Not classified based on available information.



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### Health hazards

Not classified based on available information.

### Environmental hazards

Not classified based on available information.

### 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	>= 70 -< 90
Quartz	14808-60-7	>= 1 -< 10

# Voluntarily-disclosed substance

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

- If inhaled : If inhaled, remove to fresh air.  
Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
- In case of skin contact : Wash with water and soap as a precaution.  
Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
- In case of eye contact : Flush eyes with water as a precaution.  
Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
- If swallowed : If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting.  
Get medical attention if symptoms occur.  
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  
Will not burn



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- Unsuitable extinguishing media : Not applicable  
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.  
Use water spray to cool unopened containers.  
Remove undamaged containers from fire area if it is safe to do so.  
Evacuate area.
- Special protective equipment for firefighters : Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.  
Use personal protective equipment.

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### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Follow safe handling advice (see section 7) and personal protective equipment recommendations (see section 8).
- 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.



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### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Handling

- 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
- Avoidance of contact : None.

#### Storage

- 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.
- Packaging material : Unsuitable material: None known.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
Quartz	14808-60-7	PC-TWA (Total dust)	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	CN OEL
Further information: G1 - Carcinogenic to humans				
		PC-TWA (Respirable dust)	0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	CN OEL
Further information: G1 - Carcinogenic to humans				
		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



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enclosure of the abrasive blasting operation. The enclosure should be exhaust ventilated.

### Personal protective equipment

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

Eye/face protection : Wear the following personal protective equipment:  
Safety glasses

Skin and body protection : Skin should be washed after contact.

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!

Hygiene measures : If exposure to chemical is likely during typical use, provide eye flushing systems and safety showers close to the working place.  
When using do not eat, drink or smoke.  
Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

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## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : solid, dry, free flowing granules

Colour : red brown

Odour : odourless

Odour Threshold : No data available

pH : No data available



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Melting point/freezing point : 1,370 °C

Initial boiling point and boiling range : No data available

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 characteristics  
Particle size : No data available

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### 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 products : No hazardous decomposition products are known.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Exposure routes : Skin contact  
Ingestion  
Eye contact

#### Acute toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

#### Product:

Acute inhalation toxicity : Remarks: The objective of the study was to compare the lung toxicity of a set of abrasive substitutes for silica dust (garnet, staurolite, coal slag, specular hematite, and treated sand) to that of blasting sand. Rats were intratracheally instilled with 2.5 or 10 mg/kg of the various test substances and pulmonary toxicity endpoints were measured at 4 weeks postexposure. The biomarkers included lung inflammation and cytotoxicity endpoints. In addition, the investigators measured alveolar macrophage activation. The results indicated that blasting sand produced evidence of pulmonary toxicity/inflammation and lung fibrosis. Garnet, staurolite, and treated sand exposures induced pulmonary hazard effects and inflammation that were viewed as similar to blasting sand, while coal slag instillation produced greater pulmonary damage and inflammation than blasting sand. In contrast, specular hematite did not significantly increase levels of inflammation and cytotoxicity and did not stimulate macrophage activation. [Hubbs AF et al., Toxicological Sciences volume 61: 135-143, 2001] The results of this study should be viewed as a preliminary, screening-type pulmonary toxicity study which utilized very high, overload doses. Subsequently, the NIOSH researchers followed up on the Hubbs et al., study with another lung toxicity screening study of blasting agents ["Comparative pulmonary toxicity

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of blasting sand and five substitute abrasive blasting agents” – DW Porter et al., J Toxicol Environ Health A 65:1121-40, 2002]. The additional test substances included steel grit, copper slag, nickel slag, crushed glass and olivine. The authors reported that steel grit produced less lung toxicity than blasting sand or any of the other abrasive blasting substitutes

### 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

#### **Quartz:**

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

#### **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Not classified based on available information.

#### **Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Not classified based on available information.

#### **Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

#### **Skin sensitisation**

Not classified based on available information.

#### **Respiratory sensitisation**

Not classified based on available information.

#### **Germ cell mutagenicity**

Not classified based on available information.

#### **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.



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**Carcinogenicity - Assessment** : Positive evidence from human epidemiological studies (inhalation)

### Reproductive toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

### 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:

#### 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:

#### Quartz:

### Ecotoxicology Assessment

Acute aquatic toxicity : No toxicity at the limit of solubility  
Chronic aquatic toxicity : No toxicity at the limit of solubility



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### Persistence and degradability

No data available

### Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

### Mobility in soil

No data available

### Other adverse effects

No data available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Disposal methods

- Waste from residues : Do not dispose of waste into sewer.  
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.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### International Regulations

#### UNRTDG

- UN number : Not applicable  
Proper shipping name : Not applicable  
Class : Not applicable  
Subsidiary risk : Not applicable  
Packing group : Not applicable  
Labels : Not applicable  
Environmentally hazardous : no

#### IATA-DGR

- UN/ID No. : Not applicable  
Proper shipping name : Not applicable  
Class : Not applicable  
Subsidiary risk : Not applicable  
Packing group : Not applicable  
Labels : Not applicable  
Packing instruction (cargo aircraft) : Not applicable  
Packing instruction (passenger aircraft) : Not applicable

#### IMDG-Code

- UN number : Not applicable

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Proper shipping name : Not applicable  
Class : Not applicable  
Subsidiary risk : Not applicable  
Packing group : Not applicable  
Labels : Not applicable  
EmS Code : Not applicable  
Marine pollutant : no

### Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

### National Regulations

#### GB 6944/12268

UN number : Not applicable  
Proper shipping name : Not applicable  
Class : Not applicable  
Subsidiary risk : Not applicable  
Packing group : Not applicable  
Labels : Not applicable  
Marine pollutant : no

### Special precautions for user

Not applicable

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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### National regulatory information

#### Law on the Prevention and Control of Occupational Diseases

#### Regulations on Safety Management of Hazardous Chemicals

Catalogue of Hazardous Chemicals : This product is not listed in the catalogue of hazardous chemicals and it does not meet the definition of hazardous chemicals and its principles of determination.

Identification of Major Hazard Installations for Hazardous Chemicals (GB 18218) : Not listed

Hazardous Chemicals for Priority Management under SAWS : Not listed

Catalogue of Specially Controlled Hazardous Chemicals : Not listed

List of Explosive Precursors : Not listed



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### Regulations on Labour Protection in Workplaces where Toxic Substances are Used

Catalogue of Highly Toxic Chemicals : Not listed

### Regulation of Environmental Management on the First Import of Chemicals and the Import and Export of Toxic Chemicals

China Severely Restricted Toxic Chemicals for Import and Export : Not listed

### Regulation on the Administration of Precursor Chemicals

Catalogue and Classification of Precursor Chemicals : Not listed

### Yangtze River Protection Law

This product does not contain any dangerous chemicals prohibited for inland river transport.

### Regulations of Ozone Depleting Substances Management

List of Controlled Ozone Depleting Substances Import and Export : Not listed

List of Controlled Ozone Depleting Substances : Not listed

### Environmental Protection Law

List of Priority Controlled Chemicals : Not listed

List of Key Controlled New Pollutants : Not listed

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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posure limits should be referenced.

This product contains Naturally Occurring Radioactive Materials (NORMs) at levels below U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission licensing requirements at 10 CFR 40. Many local jurisdictions are developing new regulations for the disposal of waste containing Naturally Occurring Radioactive Materials (NORM) or Technologically Enhanced Naturally Occurring Radioactive Materials (TENORM) above background levels. Consult and comply with current regulations.

For a total dust with aerodynamic diameter of 1  $\mu\text{m}$ , the calculated reference dust level is 6.9  $\text{mg}/\text{m}^3$ . For a total dust with aerodynamic diameter of 5  $\mu\text{m}$ , the calculated reference dust level is 10.8  $\text{mg}/\text{m}^3$ . For a total dust with aerodynamic diameter of 10  $\mu\text{m}$ , the calculated reference dust level is 15.9  $\text{mg}/\text{m}^3$ .

### 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/>

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### Full text of other abbreviations

ACGIH : USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)  
CN OEL : Occupational exposure limits for hazardous agents in the workplace - Chemical hazardous agents.

ACGIH / TWA : 8-hour, time-weighted average  
CN OEL / PC-TWA : Permissible concentration - 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 Con-

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centration 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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