



## Geotex® 10-20

OSHA HazCom Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200(g) and GHS Rev 03 Canadian Workplace Hazardous Material Information System (WHMIS) 2015 Mexico NOM-018-STPS-2000; NOM-018-STPS-2015 Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

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# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product Name: Geotex® 10-20

Pure substance/mixture Substance

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

**Recommended Use** Filler. Functional additive.

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

Company:	Huber Carbonates, LLC 3100 Cumberland Boulevard, Suite 600 Atlanta, GA 30339 USA
	Tel: +1 678 247-7300
Internet	www.hubermaterials.com
E-mail	hubermaterials@huber.com
1.4. Emergency telephone number	CHEMTREC: +1 800 424 9300 or International +1 703 527 3887

## **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

## 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

OSHA Regulatory Status	Carcinogenicity category 1A Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure, category 2
GHS Classification	Carcinogenicity category 1A Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure, category 2
Physical Hazards	Not classified

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Health Hazards	Carcinogenicity category 1A Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure, category 2 Respiratory system
Environmental Hazard	Not classified
2.2. Label elements	
Symbols/Pictograms	
Signal Word Hazard Statements	Danger H350 - May cause cancer H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure
Precautionary Statements	
Prevention	Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Do not breathe dust Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
Response	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention
Storage	Store locked up
Disposal	Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulations
Additional Information:	Not applicable.
Hazards not otherwise classifi	ed None known

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# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

Pure substance/mixture

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Chemical Name	CAS Number	TSCA: United States	Canada (DSL)	Mexico	REACH registration number	OSHA Regulatory Status	WHMIS	Weight-%
Limestone	1317-65-3	Y	Y	Y	Exempt	Not classified	H350; H372	97 - 100
Crystalline Silica, quartz (impurity)	14808-60-7	Y	Y	Y	Exempt	Carcinogenicity category 1A Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure, category 2	H350; H372	0.1 - 0.3

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X / Y: Complies - / N: Not Listed Exempt,,

# **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**General Advice** When in doubt or if symptoms are observed, get medical advice.

**Eye Contact** In case of eye contact, remove contact lens and rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

- **Skin Contact** Wash with plenty of soap and water.
- Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Ingestion
- Inhalation If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

Aspiration hazard Not an expected route of exposure.

Signs and symptoms may include coughing, gasping, choking and difficulty 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and breathing. delayed

medical attention and special treatment needed

4.3. Indication of any immediate IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Treatment should be symptomatic and supportive. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

# **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

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Suitable Extinguishing Media Water spray (fog). Foam. Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide (CO2).

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media None known.

**5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** Do not breathe dust.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing.

**Fire-fighting measures** In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

# **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Keep unauthorized personnel away. Use personal protection recommended in Section 8. Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation.
For non-emergency personnel	Keep unauthorized personnel away.
For emergency responders	Keep unauthorized personnel away. Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.
6.2. Environmental precautions	Avoid runoff to waterways and sewers.
6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up	Large Spill: Do not dry sweep dust. Wet dust with water before sweeping or use a vacuum to collect dust Small Spill: Vacuum or sweep material and place in a disposal container
6.4. Reference to other sections	Section 8: Exposure controls and personal protection. See Section 13 for additional waste treatment information.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not breathe dust. Use personal protective equipment as required. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, Keep container tightly closed and dry. Store away from incompatible materials.

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including any incompatibilities

# **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

## 8.1. Control parameters

## **Occupational exposure limits**

Limestone

OSHA	5 mg/m³ TWA (respirable fraction) 15 mg/m³ TWA (total dust)
	15 mg/m² TWA (lotal dust)
ACGIH	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total Dust, 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Respirable Dust
Canada	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Canada - BC TWA	3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirable fraction); 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (total dust)
Crystalline Silica, quartz (impuri	tv)
OSHA	TWA: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	OSHA Action level: 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
ACGIH	TWA: 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction
NIOSH	0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable dust)
Canada	0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable particulate)
Canada - BC TWA	0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable fraction)
Canada - Manitoba - OEL - TWA	0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable fraction)
Canada - Newfoundland & Labrador -	0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable fraction)
OEL - TWA	
Canada - Nova Scotia - OEL - TWA	0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable fraction)
Canada - Prince Edward Island - OEL	<ul> <li>- 0.025 mg/m<sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable fraction)</li> </ul>
TWA	
Mexico	0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable fraction)

Biological Limit Values: No information available

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) No information available

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC) No information available

## 8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering Measures	Provide a good standard of controlled ventilation (10 to 15 air changes per hour).
Personal protective equipment	
Eye/Face Protection	Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).
Skin and Body Protection	Wear suitable protective clothing.
Hand protection	For operations where prolonged or repeated skin contact may occur, impervious gloves should be worn.
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Respiratory Protection	When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators.
Thermal hazards	None known. Wear suitable protective clothing.
Hygiene Measures	Follow general hygiene considerations recognized as common good workplace practices. The worker should wash daily at the end of each work shift, and prior to eating, drinking, smoking, etc.
Environmental Exposure Controls	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

# **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

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Appearance:	
Physical State	Solid
Color	White
Odor	Odorless
Odor Threshold	No information available
pH:	8.4 - 10.2 5% Water suspension
Melting point / Freezing point	Not applicable
Boiling Point	Not applicable
Flash Point:	Not applicable.
Evaporation Rate	Not applicable.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable
Upper flammability limit:	
Lower flammability limit:	
Vapor Pressure	Not applicable
Vapor Density	Not applicable
Relative Density	2.7 g/cm3 @ 20°C
Water Solubility	1.3 g/l, 20° C
Solubility in other solvents	No information available
Partition coefficient	Not applicable
Autoignition Temperature	Not applicable
Decomposition Temperature	1292 - 1652 °F (700 - 900 °C)
Viscosity	Not applicable.
Explosive Properties	Not applicable
Oxidizing Properties	Not applicable
VOC Content (%)	Not applicable

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

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10.2. Chemical stability	Stable
10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions	No specific hazard known
10.4. Conditions to avoid	Incompatible materials
10.5. Incompatible materials	Strong acids
10.6. Hazardous decomposition products	None known

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

General Information	Users are advised to consider national Occupational Exposure Limits or other equivalent values.
Information on Likely Routes of	Exposure
Inhalation	Extended inhalation at levels above the workplace limit value can cause irreversible damage to the lungs (silicosis)
Skin	Contact with dust can cause mechanical irritation or drying of the skin
Eyes	Avoid contact with eyes Dust contact with the eyes can lead to mechanical irritation
Ingestion	Ingestion is not a likely route of exposure
Aspiration hazard	Not an expected route of exposure.
Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics	Contact with dust can cause mechanical irritation or drying of the skin. Dust may cause mechanical irritation to eyes. May cause irritation. Mucous Membrane. respiratory tract.
11.1. Information on toxicologic	cal effects
Limestone Oral LD50	6450 mg/kg Rat
<u>Crystalline Silica, quartz (impur</u> Oral LD50	<u>ity)</u> 500 mg/kg Rat Mouse
ACGIH IARC	Group 2A - Probably Carcinogenic to Humans Group 1 - Carcinogenic to Humans
Acute Toxicity	Users are advised to consider national Occupational Exposure Limits or other equivalent values
Chronic Toxicity	Potential occupational carcinogen.

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Chronic Effects	Extended inhalation at levels above the workplace limit value can cause irreversible damage to the lungs (silicosis).
<b>Respiratory Sensitization</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Skin Sensitization	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Mutagenicity	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Reproductive Effects	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Carcinogenicity	Crystalline silica (quartz) has been classified by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) as a known human carcinogen (Group 1).
Target Organ Effects	Respiratory system.
Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure	No information available.
Specific target organ toxicity - Repeated exposure	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled. Lungs.

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

12.1. Ecotoxicity Not

Not considered to be harmful to aquatic life.

Limestone WGK Classification (VwVwS) 317: WGK: nwg Crystalline Silica, quartz (impurity) WGK Classification (VwVwS) 849 WGK: nwg

**12.2. Persistence and** Not readily biodegradable. **degradability** 

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential None.

Partition coefficient	Not applicable
Bioconcentration factor (BCF)	Not available.

**12.4. Mobility in soil** None.

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**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB** This substance does not meet the criteria for classification as PBT or vPvB. **assessment** 

12.6. Other adverse effects None known

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

## 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal Methods	Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.
Contaminated Packaging	Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.
Waste codes	Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used
Limestone European Waste Catalog	10130414 217: WCK: pwg

WGK Classification (VwVwS) 317: WGK: nwg

Crystalline Silica, quartz (impurity)

WGK Classification (VwVwS) 849 WGK: nwg

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

## Mode of Transportation (Road, Water, Air, Rail)

TDG -Canada	Not regulated
DOT	Not regulated
ΙΑΤΑ	Not regulated
IMDG/IMO	Not regulated
ICAO	Not regulated

- 14.1. UN number None
- 14.2. UN proper shipping name None
- 14.3. Transport hazard class(es) None
- 14.4. Packing group None
- 14.5. Environmental hazards No
- 14.6. Special precautions for Not applicable

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14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable

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# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

## **Global Inventories**

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REACH Australia Chemical Name China CAS EC No Canada Japan S. Korea Mexico New Philippine Taiwan TSCA: s (PICCS) Number (IECSC) Zealand registrati (AICS) (DSL) (KECL) United on States number 1317-65-3 215-279-6 Υ (1)-122(EN KE-21996 Υ Limestone Exempt Y Y Y Υ Υ Y CS)(ISHL) (1)-548(EN CS)(ISHL) Crystalline Silica, 14808-60- 238-878-4 Υ Y Y KE-29983 Y Y Υ Y Υ Exempt 7 quartz (impurity)

Legend

X / Y: Complies - / N: Not Listed Exempt

## **US Federal Regulations**

<u>EPA</u>

CERCLA	
Limestone	
CERCLA	Not Listed
SARA 311/312 Hazardous	Not Listed
Categorization	
Crystalline Silica, quartz (impurity)	
CERCLA	Not Listed
SARA 304	Listed
SARA 313	Listed

## SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

Crystalline Silica, quartz (impurity)	
Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	Yes

#### CWA (Clean Water Act) Not listed

#### CAA (Clean Air Act) Not listed

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

	Chemical Name	CAS Number	California Proposition 65	California CPR	Massachusetts	Minnesota	New Jersey	Pennsylvania
[	Limestone	1317-65-3			Y	Y		Y

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Crystalline Silica, quartz	14808-60-7	Y	Y	Y	Y	Ý
(impurity)						

## California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65)

This product can expose you to crystalline silica, which is known to the State of California to cause cancer.

## CANADA

#### WHMIS:

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) and the SDS contains all the information required by the HPR

#### Limestone H350; H372 Crystalline Silica, quartz (impurity)

H350; H372

9	SECTION 16: Other information
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Reason for Version	OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor).
Training Advice	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
Abbreviations and acronyms	International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) International Air Transport Association (IATA) International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG) International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID) Workplace Hazardous Materials Information Database (IUCLID) Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) status and classification EPA SARA Title III Section 312 (40 CFR 370) Hazard Classification DOT (Department of Transportation) OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor) TWA - Time-Weighted Average Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) The Classification, Labeling and Packaging of Substances and Mixtures (CLP) Regulation (EC 1272/2008) PPE - Personal Protection Equipment NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health TDG (Transport of Dangerous Goods) Canada CERCLA (Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act) Reportable Quantity (RQ) (RQ/% in mixture) STEL - Short Term Exposure Limit TLV® - Threshold Limit Value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern for Authorization: Land transport (ADR/RID) Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD) Chemical oxygen demand (COD) ICAO (air) (IMDG) International Maritime Dangerous Goods Positive Pressure Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA)

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Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC) Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

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