



HUBER ENGINEERED MATERIALS

# Safety Data Sheet

## Hubercarb® Q12-40

OSHA HCS 2024  
Canadian Workplace Hazardous Material Information System (WHMIS) 2015 rev 2022  
Mexico NOM-018-STPS-2000; NOM-018-STPS-2015  
GHS (Globally Harmonized System)

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

### 1.1. Product identifier

Product Name: Hubercarb® Q12-40  
Pure substance/mixture Substance

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

Recommended Use Filler. Functional additive.  
Uses advised against None known.

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

Company: Huber Carbonates, LLC  
3100 Cumberland Boulevard, Suite 600  
Atlanta, GA 30339 USA

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Internet [www.hubermaterials.com](http://www.hubermaterials.com)

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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 1  
GHS Classification Carcinogenicity category 1A  
Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure, category 1

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**Physical Hazards**

Not classified.

**Health Hazards**

Carcinogenicity category 1A  
Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure, category 1  
Lungs

**Environmental Hazard**

Not classified.

**2.2. Label elements****Symbols/Pictograms****Signal Word**

Danger

**Hazard Statements**

H350 - May cause cancer  
H372 - Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use  
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood  
Do not breathe dust  
Wash hands thoroughly after handling  
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

**Response**

Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell

**Storage**

Store locked up

**Disposal**

Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulations

**Additional Information:**

Not applicable.

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)** None known.

**Hazards associated with known or reasonably anticipated uses** None known.

**Unknown Acute Toxicity**

0% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

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## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Pure substance/mixture

Substance

| Chemical Name                | CAS NUMBER: | Weight-% |
|------------------------------|-------------|----------|
| Limestone                    | 1317-65-3   | 97 - 100 |
| Crystalline Silica, quartz * | 14808-60-7  | 0.2 - 2  |

Additional information

\* Naturally occurring, not intentionally added

## 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.

Ingestion

Rinse mouth thoroughly with water.

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.

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

Signs and symptoms may include coughing, gasping, choking and difficulty breathing.

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

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

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

**Suitable Extinguishing Media**

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

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**

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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, including any incompatibilities**

Keep container tightly closed and dry. Store away from incompatible materials.

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Occupational exposure limits

##### Limestone

|                                         |                                                                                        |
|-----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| OSHA                                    | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable fraction)<br>15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (total dust) |
| OSHA - Final PELs -TWA                  | 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA<br>5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA                                    |
| 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 - British Columbia - OEL - STELS | 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                                                                   |

##### Crystalline Silica, quartz \*

|                                                         |                                                                           |
|---------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| OSHA                                                    | TWA: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>OSHA Action level: 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |
| OSHA - Final PELs -TWA                                  | 50 µg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA                                                  |
| ACGIH                                                   | TWA: 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction                          |
| Canada                                                  | 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable particulate)                      |
| Canada - British Columbia - OEL - Designated Substances | ACGIH Category A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen                            |
| Canada - Ontario - OEL - TWA EVs                        | IARC Category 1 - Human Carcinogen                                        |
| Canada - Manitoba - OEL - TWA                           | 0.10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                                                    |
| Canada - Nova Scotia - OEL - TWA                        | 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable fraction)                         |
| Canada - Prince Edward Island - OEL - TWA               | 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable fraction)                         |
| Mexico                                                  | 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable fraction)                         |
|                                                         | Mexican Carcinogen Category: A2 (Suspected Human Carcinogen)              |
|                                                         | TWA (VLE-PPT): 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> .                                  |

**PNEC (Predicted No Effect Concentration)** No information available

**DNEL (Derived No Effect Level)** No information available

**Biological Limit Values** 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

|                                 |                                                                                                                  |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Eye/Face Protection</b>      | Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).                                                              |
| <b>Skin and Body Protection</b> | Wear suitable protective clothing.                                                                               |
| <b>Hand Protection</b>          | For operations where prolonged or repeated skin contact may occur, impervious gloves should be worn.             |
| <b>Respiratory Protection</b>   | When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators. |
| <b>Thermal hazards</b>          | None known. Wear suitable protective clothing.                                                                   |

**Hygiene Measures** Follow general hygiene considerations recognized as common good workplace

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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

**9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties****Appearance:**

|                                |                                         |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Physical State                 | Solid                                   |
| Color                          | White                                   |
| Odor                           | Odorless                                |
| pH:                            | 8.4 - 10.2 5% Water suspension          |
| Melting point / Freezing point | Not applicable                          |
| Boiling Point                  | Not applicable                          |
| Freezing Point                 | Not applicable                          |
| Flash Point                    | Not applicable                          |
| Flammability                   | Not applicable                          |
| Upper flammability limit:      | --                                      |
| Lower flammability limit:      | --                                      |
| Vapor Pressure                 | Not applicable                          |
| Relative Vapor Density         | Not applicable                          |
| Density                        | No data available                       |
| Relative Density               | 2.7 g/cm <sup>3</sup> @ 20°C            |
| Water Solubility               | 0.01 g/l (Practically insoluble) @ 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.                         |
| Kinematic viscosity            | Not applicable                          |
| Explosive Properties           | Not applicable                          |
| Oxidizing Properties           | Not applicable                          |
| Particle Characteristics       | See Technical Data Sheet                |
| VOC Content (%)                | Not applicable                          |

**9.2. Other information****9.2.1. Information with regard to physical hazard classes**

Not applicable

**9.2.2. Other safety characteristics**

Not applicable

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

**10.1. Reactivity**

None

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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.

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

#### Limestone

Oral LD50 6450 mg/kg Rat

#### Crystalline Silica, quartz \*

Oral LD50 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.                                                                                    |
| Chronic Effects                   | Extended inhalation at levels above the workplace limit value can cause irreversible damage to the lungs (silicosis). |
| Respiratory Sensitization         | 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.                                                     |

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| <b>Carcinogenicity</b>                                    | Crystalline silica (quartz) has been classified by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) as a known human carcinogen (Group 1). |
| <b>Target Organ Effects</b>                               | Respiratory system.                                                                                                                              |
| <b>Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure</b>   | No information available.                                                                                                                        |
| <b>Specific target organ toxicity - Repeated exposure</b> | Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled. Lungs.                                                                |

## Information on Likely Routes of Exposure

|                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Inhalation</b>                                                                   | Extended inhalation at levels above the workplace limit value can cause irreversible damage to the lungs (silicosis)                                                             |
| <b>Ingestion</b>                                                                    | Ingestion is not a likely route of exposure                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>Skin</b>                                                                         | Prolonged or repeated contact may dry skin and cause irritation                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Eyes</b>                                                                         | Avoid contact with eyes<br>Dust contact with the eyes can lead to mechanical irritation                                                                                          |
| <b>Aspiration hazard</b>                                                            | Not an expected route of exposure.                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics</b> | 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. |

## 11.2. Information on other hazards

|                                                |                                                                           |
|------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>11.2.1. Endocrine disrupting properties</b> | This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors |
| <b>11.2.2. Other information</b>               | Not applicable                                                            |

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

**12.1. Toxicity** Not considered to be harmful to aquatic life

### Limestone

**WGK Classification (AwSV)** 317. WGK: nwg

### Crystalline Silica, quartz \*

**WGK Classification (AwSV)** 849. WGK: nwg

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

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential** None.

**Partition coefficient** Not applicable

**Bioconcentration factor (BCF)** Not available.

**12.4. Mobility in soil** None.

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

**12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties** This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

**12.7. 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

**WGK Classification (AwSV)** 317. WGK: nwg

### Crystalline Silica, quartz \*

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WGK Classification (AwSV) 849. WGK: nwg

## SECTION 14: Transport information

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

|             |               |
|-------------|---------------|
| TDG -Canada | Not regulated |
| DOT         | Not regulated |
| IATA        | Not regulated |
| IMDG/IMO    | Not regulated |
| ICAO        | Not regulated |

14.1. UN number or ID 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 user Not applicable

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments  
Not applicable

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### Global Inventories

#### Pure substance/mixture

#### Substance

| Chemical Name                | CAS NUMBER: | EC No     | Australia (AIC) | Canada (DSL) | China (IECSC) | Japan                 | S. Korea (KECL) | Mexico | Thailand (TECI) | New Zealand | Taiwan | Philippines (PICCS) | TSCA: United States |
|------------------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------|--------|-----------------|-------------|--------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Limestone                    | 1317-65-3   | 215-279-6 | Y               | Y (NDSL)     | Y             | (1)-122(E NCS)(ISH L) | KE-21996        | Y      | 55-1-01412      | Y           | Y      | Y                   | A                   |
| Crystalline Silica, quartz * | 14808-60-7  | 238-878-4 | Y               | Y            | Y             | (1)-548(E NCS)(ISH L) | KE-29983        | Y      | 55-1-01942      | Y           | Y      | Y                   | A                   |

X / Y: Complies ; A: Active ; - / N: Exempt / Not Listed

### US Federal Regulations

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## EPA

### SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

Carcinogenicity

### CWA (Clean Water Act)

Not listed

### CAA (Clean Air Act)

Not listed

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

| Chemical Name                | CAS NUMBER: | California Proposition 65 | Massachusetts | Minnesota | New Jersey | Pennsylvania |
|------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|---------------|-----------|------------|--------------|
| Limestone                    | 1317-65-3   | N                         | Y             | Y         | sn 4001    | Y            |
| Crystalline Silica, quartz * | 14808-60-7  | Y                         | Y             | Y         | sn 1660    | Y            |

Y: Listed ; N: Not Listed

### 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 \*

H350; H372

## SECTION 16: Other information

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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

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)  
IATA (International Air Transport Association)  
IMDG (International Maritime Dangerous Goods)  
IUCLID (International Uniform Chemical Information Database)  
WHMIS (Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System)  
DOT (Department of Transportation)

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OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)  
TWA (Time-Weighted Average)  
CLP (The Classification, Labeling and Packaging of Substances and Mixtures 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)  
RQ (Reportable Quantity) (RQ/% in mixture)  
STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)  
TLV® (Threshold Limit Value)  
DNEL (Derived No Effect Level)  
SVHC (Substances of Very High Concern)  
BOD (Biochemical oxygen demand)  
COD (Chemical oxygen demand)  
ICAO (International Civil Aviation Organization)  
IMDG (International Maritime Dangerous Goods)  
ADR (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)  
RID (Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail)  
SCBA (Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus) Positive Pressure  
GHS (Globally Harmonized System)  
SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986)  
TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act)

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