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### **SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product Name(s): Five Star® Cementitious Underwater Grout

Five Star® Cementitious Underwater High Strength Grout

Synonyms: FSM UWHS, FS UW Cement Grout

Product Use: For use in grouting underwater structures in both freshwater and salt

water environments.

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### **SECTION 2: HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION-GHS INFORMATION**

Classification: Acute Oral Toxicity – Category 4

Skin Corrosion/Irritation – Category 1
Acute Toxicity – Dermal, Category 5
Sensitization – Dermal, Category 1
Eye Damage/Irritation – Category 1
Sensitization – Respiratory, Category 1

Specific Target Organ Systemic Toxicity (Single Exposure) - Cat 3

Carcinogenicity - Category 1A

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure) - Cat 2

Label Elements/Hazard Pictograms:







Signal Word: Danger

**Hazard Statements:** H302 Harmful if swallowed

H313 May be harmful in contact with skin

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction

H318 Causes serious eye damage

H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if

inhaled

H335 May cause respiratory irritation

H350 May cause cancer

H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated

exposure



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Precautionary
Statements/Prevention:

P260, Do not breathe dust, fume, gas, mist, vapors, or spray.

P264, Wash thoroughly after handling.

P270, Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P272, Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the

workplace.

P280, Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and

face protection.

P284, Wear respiratory protection.

**Response:** P330, P331 If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting

P361, P353 If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated

clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

P340, If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for

breathing.

P351, If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing,

P338.

P310, Immediately call a poison center or doctor.

P333, If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention,

P313.

P342 If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a poison center or doctor, P310. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse, P363.

**Storage:** Store locked up.

**Disposal:** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with applicable regional,

national, and local laws and regulations.

**Hazards Not Otherwise** 

Classified: Not Applicable

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS				
Hazardous Ingredient(s)	Common Name/Synonyms	CAS No.	% wt/wt	
Hydraulic Cement	Not Available	65997-15-1	45-60	
Quartz	Silicon Dioxide, Silica Sand	14808-60-7	40-55	

#### **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

**Inhalation:** If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for

breathing.

If experiencing respiratory symptoms call poison center or doctor.

**Eye Contact:** If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for at least 30 minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately

call a poison center or doctor.



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**Skin Contact:** If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse

skin with water/shower for at least 15 minutes. Immediately call a poison center or doctor if irritation develops. Wash contaminated clothing

before reuse.

**Ingestion:** If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a

poison center or doctor. If vomiting occurs naturally, have victim lean forward to reduce the risk of aspiration. Never give anything by mouth

to an unconscious person.

**General Advice:** In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately

(show the label or SDS where possible).

**Note to Physicians:** Symptoms may not appear immediately. Treat symptomatically.

### **SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

Flammability and Explosion

**Information:** Not flammable or combustible by OSHA/WHMIS criteria.

**Sensitivity to Mechanical** 

**Impact:** This material is not sensitive to mechanical impact.

Sensitivity to Static

Discharge:

This material is sensitive to static discharge at temperatures at or above

the flash point.

**MEANS OF EXTINCTION** 

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Small Fire: Dry chemical, CO2, or water spray.

Large Fire: Dry chemical, CO2, alcohol-resistant foam or water spray. Move containers from fire area if you can do it without risk. Dike fire-

control water for later disposal; do not scatter the material.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing** 

Media:

Not Available

Product of Combustion:

Non-combustible

Protection of Firefighters: As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-

demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**Emergency Procedures:** Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep

people from spill. Avoid dust formation.

**Personal Precautions:** Avoid inhalation of dust. Do not get into eyes, on skin, or clothing.

**Environmental Precautions:** The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

**Methods for Containment:** Cover powder spill with plastic sheet or tarp to minimize spreading.

Collect this material into a disposal container by sucking or sweeping up.



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**Methods for Cleanup:** Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

**Other Information:** See Section 13 for disposal considerations.

#### **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**Handling:** Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid

dust formation. Do not breathe dust. Prevent contact with skin, eyes,

and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling.

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

Store locked up.

### **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### **Exposure Guidelines**

Component	CAS No.	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL
Hydraulic cement	65997-15-1	TWA: 1mg/m <sup>3</sup> particulate matter containing no asbestos and <1% crystalline silica, respirable fraction	TWA: 15 mg/m³ total dust TWA: 5 mg/m³ respirable fraction (vacated) TWA: 10 mg/m³ total dust (vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m³ respirable fraction TWA: 50 mppcf, <1% Crystalline silica
Quartz*	14808-60-7	TWA: 0.025mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction	TWA: 0.050 mg/m <sup>3</sup> AL: 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit TLV: Threshold Limit Value AL: Actionable Level

**Engineering Controls:** Not normally required.

## PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

**Eye/Face Protection:** Tightly fitting safety goggles

**Hand Protection:** Impervious gloves. Impervious clothing.

**Skin and Body Protection:** Impervious gloves. Impervious 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 according to established industrial hygiene and safety practices.

<sup>\*</sup>Respirable (< 6 micron) fraction for product is <0.1%



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SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES				
Appearance:	Gray, finely ground solid powder			
Color:	Gray			
Odor:	None			
Odor Threshold:	None			
Physical State:	Solid, powder			
pH:	12 when mixed with water			
Melting Point / Freezing Point:	>1832°F (1000°C)			
Initial Boiling Point:	>3632°F (2000°C)			
Boiling Point:	Not Applicable			
Flash Point:	Not Applicable			
Evaporation Rate:	Not Applicable			
Flammability (solid, gas):	Not Applicable			
Lower Flammability Limit:	Not Applicable			
Upper Flammability Limit:	Not Applicable			
Vapor Pressure:	Not Applicable			
Vapor Density:	Not Applicable			
Relative Density:	2.7 - 3.1			
Solubility:	Negligible			
Partition Coefficient: n-Octanol/Water:	Not Applicable			
Auto-ignition Temperature:	Not Applicable			
Decomposition Temperature:	Not Available			
Viscosity:	Not Applicable			
Percent Volatile, wt.%:	0			
VOC Content, wt.%:	0			
Density:	2.7 – 3.1 g/cc			
Coefficient of Water/Oil Distribution:	Not Applicable			

### **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**Chemical Stability:** Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous** 

**Reactions:** None under normal processing.



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**Conditions to Avoid:** Exposure to water prior to mixing and placing – product may harden

on contact with water.

**Incompatible Materials:** Strong acids.

#### **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### Information on likely routes of exposure

**Product information** 

**Inhalation:** Irritating to respiratory system. Irritating to mucous membranes.

**Eye contact:** Risk of serious damage to eyes.

**Skin contact:** Irritating to skin. May cause allergic skin reaction. May cause alkali

burns.

**Ingestion:** Harmful if swallowed.

#### **Component information:**

Chemical Name	Chemical Name LD50 Oral		LC50 Inhalation	
Hydraulic Cement	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	

Chemical Name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Quartz	500 – 22,500 mg/kg (Rat)	Not Established	Not Established*

<sup>\*</sup>LCL50: 0.3 mg/m3 / 10Y (Human)

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and

toxicological characteristics: No information available.

### Delayed and immediate effects and also chronic effects from short and long term exposure

**Sensitization:** May cause sensitization by skin contact.

**Mutagenic Effects:** No information available.

**Carcinogenicity:** The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient

as a carcinogen. Crystalline silica (quartz) has been classified by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) as a known human  ${\cal L}$ 

carcinogen (Group 1). May cause cancer by inhalation.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Quartz	A2*	Group 1	Known	X

<sup>\*</sup>The respirable fraction as a whole is less than 0.1% and anticipated usage would generate far less than 0.1% as a respirable quantity above exposure guidelines as noted in Section 8.



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ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial

Hygienists):

A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen

IARC: (International Agency for Research on Cancer):

Group 1 - Carcinogenic to Humans

**NTP: (National Toxicity** 

Program):

Known Carcinogen

OSHA: (Occupational Safety &

Health Administration):

X - Present

**Reproductive Toxicity:** No information available.

**STOT - single exposure:** May cause respiratory irritation.

STOT - repeated exposure: Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure if

inhaled. Lungs.

Chronic Toxicity: Inhalation overexposure to free crystalline silica may cause delayed

lung injury including silicosis, a disabling and potentially fatal lung

disease.

**Aspiration Hazard:** No information available.

**Numerical measures of toxicity - Product** 

The following values are calculated based on chapter

**3.1 of the GHS document:** LD 50 Oral: 500 mg/kg; Acute toxicity estimate

### **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Toxicity:** The environmental impact of this product has not been fully

investigated.

**Aquatic Toxicity:** The environmental impact of this product has not been fully

investigated. Portland cement contains up to about 3-5% calcium

oxide.

Calcium Oxide (1305-78-8):

• 96 hour LC50 freshwater fish – Species: Cyprinus carpio

=1070 mg/l (static)

 Chronic 46 day NOEC freshwater fish – Species: Oreochromis niloticus juvenile (fledgling, hatchling, weanling) = 100 mg/l

Persistence and

**Degradability:** 

No information available.

**Bio-accumulative Potential:** Does not accumulate in organisms

**Mobility in Soil:** No further relevant information available

**Ecotoxical Effects** 

Remark: No information available



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Additional Ecological

**Information** No information available

General Notes: This statement was deduced from products with a similar structure or

composition. Due to available data on eliminability/decomposition and bio-accumulation potential prolonged term damage of the environment cannot be excluded. Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system. Addition of water to cement creates an alkaline pH of between 12-13. Cured product is inert. Common to concrete construction around waterways, particular concern should be given to best practices to avoid/minimize spillage/discharge to the nearby environment as best as possible. In the case of significant spillage in confined or restricted areas, pH may

increase to a level toxic to fish and aquatic organisms.

**PBT Assessment:** Not Available

**vPvB Assessment:** Not Available

Other Adverse Effects: No further relevant information available

#### **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### **Waste Treatment Methods**

**Recommendation:** This material as supplied is not a hazardous waste according to Federal

regulations (40CFR261). This material could become a hazardous waste if it is mixed with or otherwise comes in contact with a hazardous waste, if chemical additions are made to this material, or if the material is

processed or otherwise altered.

**Uncleaned Packaging** 

**Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations. Do not re-use

empty containers.

#### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**US DEPARTMENT of** 

TRANSPORTION (DOT) Proper

Shipping Name: Not Regulated

Class: Not Applicable
UN #: Not Applicable

Packing Group: Not Applicable

CANADA Transportation of Dangerous Gods (TDG) Proper

Shipping Name: Not Regulated

Class: Not Applicable

**UN #:** Not Applicable



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Packing Group: Not Applicable

INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORTATION Proper

Shipping Name (ICAO/IATA): Not Regulated
Class: Not Applicable
UN#: Not Applicable
Packing Group: Not Applicable

WATER TRANSPORTATION

**Proper Shipping Name** 

(IMO/IMDG): Not Regulated

Class: Not Applicable

UN #: Not Applicable

Packing Group: Not Applicable

Marine Pollutant: Not Applicable

#### **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**CHEMICAL INVENTORIES** 

**US (TSCA):** The components of this product are in compliance with the chemical

notification requirements of TSCA.

**CANADA (DSL):** The components of this product are in compliance with the chemical

notification requirements of NSN Regulations under CEPA, 1999.

**WHMIS:** Class D2A – Very toxic material causing other toxic effects.

Class E - Corrosive material

U.S. FEDERAL REGULATIONS 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  ${\sf Act}$  and

Title 40 of the CFR, Part 372.

**UNITED STATES:** This SDS has been prepared to meet the US OSHA Hazard Communication

Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200

SARA 311/312 Hazard

Categories

Acute health hazard – Yes Chronic Health hazard – Yes

Fire Hazard - No

Sudden Release of Pressure - No

Reactive Hazard - No



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US STATE Right to Know Regulations

Chemical Name	NJ	МА	PA	IL	RI
Hydraulic Cement	X	x	x		X
Quartz	X	X	х		X

**California** This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals.

California Prop 65: Chemical Name: Quartz CAS-No: 14808-60-7 CA Prop. 65: Carcinogen

#### **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

HMIS Rating:	Health	Flammability	Physical Hazard	Personal Protection	
	1	0	1	E, X	

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