1. Identification

Product identifier: EMPIRE C
Other means of identification:
Brand Code: 6019
Recommended use: For Industrial or Professional Use Only
Recommended restrictions: Avoid dry cutting, blasting, or dust generation. Users should be informed of the potential presence of respirable dust and respirable crystalline silica as well as their potential hazards. Appropriate training in the proper use and handling of this material should be provided as required under applicable regulations.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information
Manufacturer
Company name: HarbisonWalker International
Address: 1305 Cherrington Parkway, Suite 100
Moon Township, Pennsylvania 15108 US
Telephone: General Phone: 412-375-6600
Website: www.thinkHWI.com
Emergency phone number: Not available.

2. Hazard(s) identification

Classified hazards: This item is defined as an article per OSHA, REACH, and WHMIS and is therefore exempt from labeling. A Safety Data Sheet is available.

This item is not Classified as hazardous. However, individual customer processes (such as grinding, sawing, or blasting) may result in the formation of dust that may present health hazards. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection.

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Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC): This item is defined as an article per OSHA, REACH, and WHMIS and is therefore exempt from labeling. A Safety Data Sheet is available.

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3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

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Crystalline silica may be present at low concentrations; most of this is encapsulated in the coarse aggregate or as part of the clays or sands.
4. First-aid measures

**Inhalation**
Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

**Skin contact**
Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

**Eye contact**
Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

**Ingestion**
Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

**Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed**
Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

**Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
Treat symptomatically.

**General information**
Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

5. Fire-fighting measures

**Suitable extinguishing media**
Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**
Not available.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**
Not applicable.

**Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters**
Not available.

6. Accidental release measures

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Keep unnecessary personnel away. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**
Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Following product recovery, flush area with water. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

**Environmental precautions**
Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage

**Precautions for safe handling**
Keep formation of airborne dusts to a minimum. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

**US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)**

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### US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards

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**Biological limit values**

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

**Exposure guidelines**

Occupational exposure to nuisance dust (total and respirable) and respirable crystalline silica should be monitored and controlled.

**Appropriate engineering controls**

Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

**Eye/face protection**

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Skin protection**

**Hand protection**

Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.

**Other**

Wear suitable protective clothing.
Respiratory protection
Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits.

Thermal hazards
Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations
Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance
Physical state
Solid.

Form
Brick or Cast Shape

Color
Not available.

Odor
Not available.

Odor threshold
Not available.

pH
Not available.

Melting point/freezing point
Not available.

Initial boiling point and boiling range
Not available.

Flash point
Not available.

Evaporation rate
Not available.

Flammability (solid, gas)
Not available.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower (%)
Not available.

Flammability limit - upper (%)
Not available.

Explosive limit - lower (%)
Not available.

Explosive limit - upper (%)
Not available.

Vapor pressure
Not available.

Vapor density
Not available.

Relative density
Not available.

Solubility(ies)
Solubility (water)
Not available.

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)
Not available.

Auto-ignition temperature
Not available.

Decomposition temperature
Not available.

Viscosity
Not available.

Other information

Explosive properties
Not explosive.

Oxidizing properties
Not oxidizing.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity
The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

Chemical stability
Material is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions
No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid
Contact with incompatible materials.
Strong oxidizing agents. Incompatibility is based strictly upon potential theoretical reactions between chemicals and may not be specific to industrial application exposure.

Hazardous decomposition products
No hazardous decomposition products are known.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure
- **Inhalation**: No adverse effects due to inhalation are expected.
- **Skin contact**: No adverse effects due to skin contact are expected.
- **Eye contact**: Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.
- **Ingestion**: Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics
Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Information on toxicological effects
- **Acute toxicity**: Not available.
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**: Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.
- **Serious eye damage/eye irritation**: Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization
- **Respiratory sensitization**: Not a respiratory sensitizer.
- **Skin sensitization**: This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.

Germ cell mutagenicity
No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity
In 1997, IARC (the International Agency for Research on Cancer) concluded that crystalline silica inhaled from occupational sources can cause lung cancer in humans. However in making the overall evaluation, IARC noted that "carcinogenicity was not detected in all industrial circumstances studied. Carcinogenicity may be dependent on inherent characteristics of the crystalline silica or on external factors affecting its biological activity or distribution of its polymorphs." (IARC Monographs on the evaluation of the carcinogenic risks of chemicals to humans, Silica, silicates dust and organic fibres, 1997, Vol. 68, IARC, Lyon, France.) In June 2003, SCOEL (the EU Scientific Committee on Occupational Exposure Limits) concluded that the main effect in humans of the inhalation of respirable crystalline silica dust is silicosis. "There is sufficient information to conclude that the relative risk of lung cancer is increased in persons with silicosis (and, apparently, not in employees without silicosis exposed to silica dust in quarries and in the ceramic industry). Therefore, preventing the onset of silicosis will also reduce the cancer risk..." (SCOEL SUM Doc 94-final, June 2003) According to the current state of the art, worker protection against silicosis can be consistently assured by respecting the existing regulatory occupational exposure limits. Occupational exposure to respirable dust and respirable crystalline silica should be monitored and controlled. Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity
- Amorphous Silica (CAS 7631-86-9): Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.
- Cristobalite (CAS 14464-46-1): Carcinogenic to humans.
- Quartz (SiO2) (CAS 14808-60-7): Carcinogenic to humans.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1052)
- Cristobalite (CAS 14464-46-1): Cancer
- Quartz (SiO2) (CAS 14808-60-7): Cancer

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens
- Cristobalite (CAS 14464-46-1): Known To Be Human Carcinogen.
- Quartz (SiO2) (CAS 14808-60-7): Known To Be Human Carcinogen.

Reproductive toxicity
This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

- **Developmental effects**: 0
- **Developmental effects - EU category**: 0
- **Embryotoxicity**: 0
10. Reproductivity
Quartz (SiO2) Not classified.
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
Aspiration hazard Not an aspiration hazard.

12. Ecological information
Ecotoxicity The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.
Persistence and degradability No data is available on the degradability of any ingredients in the mixture.
Bioaccumulative potential No data available.
Mobility in soil No data available.
Other adverse effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

13. Disposal considerations
Disposal instructions This product, in its present state, when discarded or disposed of, is not a hazardous waste according to Federal regulations (40 CFR 261.4 (b)(4)). Under RCRA, it is the responsibility of the user of the product to determine, at the time of disposal, whether the product meets RCRA criteria for hazardous waste.
Hazardous waste code Since this product is used in several industries, no Waste Code can be provided by the supplier. The Waste Code should be determined in arrangement with your waste disposal partner or the responsible authority.
Waste from residues / unused products Not available.
Contaminated packaging Not available.

14. Transport information
DOT Not regulated as dangerous goods.
IATA Not regulated as dangerous goods.
IMDG Not regulated as dangerous goods.
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.

15. Regulatory information
US federal regulations This product is not known to be a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200. All chemical substances in this product are listed on the TSCA chemical substance inventory where required.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D) Not regulated.
CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4) Not listed.
SARA 304 Emergency release notification Not regulated.
OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1052)
Cristobalite (CAS 14464-46-1) Cancer
Quartz (SiO2) (CAS 14808-60-7) Cancer
Cristobalite (CAS 14464-46-1) lung effects
Quartz (SiO2) (CAS 14808-60-7) lung effects
Cristobalite (CAS 14464-46-1) immune system effects
Quartz (SiO2) (CAS 14808-60-7) immune system effects
Cristobalite (CAS 14464-46-1) kidney effects
Quartz (SiO2) (CAS 14808-60-7) kidney effects
Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)
SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance
Not listed.
SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical
No (Exempt)
SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

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Other federal regulations
Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List
Not regulated.
Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)
Not regulated.
Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)
Not regulated.

US state regulations
California Proposition 65

WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including Quartz (SiO2), which is known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Carcinogenic substance
Quartz (SiO2) (CAS 14808-60-7) Listed: October 1, 1988
Titanium Dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7) Listed: September 2, 2011

US. California. Candidate Chemicals List. Safer Consumer Products Regulations (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 22, 69502.3, subd. (a))
Cristobalite (CAS 14464-46-1)
Quartz (SiO2) (CAS 14808-60-7)

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A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

Issue date: 05-22-2015
Version #: 01
Disclaimer: This information is based on our present knowledge on creation date. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.