



**GATOR DUST BOND - SAHARA BEIGE**  
**FOR NATURAL STONE JOINTS UP 1/2" TO 6"**  
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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## SECTION 1 - IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product name : Gator Dust Bond

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

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Recommended use: Polymeric stone dust for stone joints  
 Restrictions on use: N.A.

## SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

HAZARD CLASSIFICATIONS

DANGER

PRODUCT CLASSIFICATIONS



**Carcinogenicity** - Category 1A. Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure- Category 1.

**Hazard statement(s)**

May cause cancer. Causes damage to organs (lungs) through prolonged or repeated exposure.

**Precautionary statement(s)**

**Prevention:**

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

**Response:**

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice. Get medical advice if you feel unwell.

**Storage:**

Store locked up.

**Disposal:**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulations in force.

**Other hazards:**

No other effects shown.

See toxicological information, section 11



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**SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

CAS no.	Common name and synonyms	Concentration (W/W)
14808-60-7	Silica, crystalline (Quartz)	34-36%

**SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES**

If swallowed, irritation, any type of overexposure or symptoms of overexposure occur during use of the product or persists after use, immediately contact a POISON CENTER, an EMERGENCY ROOM or a PHYSICIAN; ensure that the product safety data sheet is available.

**Eye contact:** Check for and remove any contact lenses. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Get medical attention immediately.

**Skin contact:** In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Clean shoes thoroughly before reuse. Get medical attention immediately.

**Inhalation:** Move exposed person to fresh air. If not breathing, if breathing is irregular or if respiratory arrest occurs, provide artificial respiration or oxygen by trained personnel. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. Get medical attention immediately.

**Ingestion:** Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately.

**Symptoms:** Cough, breathing pain, eye redness. Recurrent bronchitis and permanent respiratory embarrassment.

**Effects (acute or delayed):** Dust from the product may cause mechanical irritation of the eyes and respiratory tract. May cause lung inflammation. May cause silicosis.

**Immediate medical attention and special treatment:** No specific treatment. Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large quantities have been ingested or inhaled.

**SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

**Suitable extinguishing media:** Use dry chemical, CO2, water spray (fog) or foam.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media:** Jets of water can facilitate the spread of fire.



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<b>Specific hazards arising from the hazardous product:</b>	No specific hazard.
<b>Hazardous combustion products:</b>	Carbon monoxide and dioxide.
<b>Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters:</b>	Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode.

**SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**Personal precautions:** No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Shut off all ignition sources. No flares, smoking or flames in hazard area. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8).

**Protective equipment and emergency procedures:** Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:** Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Dilute with water and mop up if water-soluble. Alternatively, or if water-insoluble, absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container. Use spark-proof tools and explosionproof equipment. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

**SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**Precautions for safe handling:** Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not ingest. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Use only with adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Do not enter storage areas and confined spaces unless adequately ventilated. Keep in the original container or an approved alternative made from a compatible material, kept tightly closed when not in use. Empty containers retain product residue and can be hazardous. Do not reuse container.

**Conditions for safe storage:** Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in a segregated and approved area. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see section 10) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.



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**Incompatibility:** Strong oxidizing agents.

**SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION**

No CAS	Common name and synonyms	IDHL mg/m3	TWA mg/m3	STEL mg/m3	CEIL mg/m3
14808-60-7	Silica, crystalline (Quartz)	50	0.1	Not available	Not available

**IDHL:** Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations  
**TWA :** Time Weighted Average  
**STEL:** Short -Term Exposure Limit  
**CEIL:** Ceiling Limit

**Appropriate engineering controls:** Use only with adequate ventilation. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure to airborne contaminants below any recommended or statutory limits. The engineering controls also need to keep gas, vapor or dust concentrations below any lower explosive limits. Use explosion-proof ventilation equipment.

**Individual protection measures:** Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

**Eyes:** DO NOT WEAR CONTACT LENSES Wear anti-splash safety goggles.

**Hands:** Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Considering the parameters specified by the glove manufacturer, check during use that the gloves are still retaining their protective properties.

**Respiratory:** If workers are exposed to concentrations above the exposure limit, they must use appropriate, certified respirators. Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.

**Others:** Wear protective clothing with long sleeves and appropriate safety shoes at all times.

**SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

**APPEARANCE**

Physical state : Solid  
 Colour: Sahara Beige  
 Odour: Odorless  
 Odour threshold: Not available



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pH :	Not applicable.
Melting/Freezing point:	>1500°C (2732°F)
Initial boiling point/boiling range:	>500°C (932°F)
Flash point:	Not applicable
Lower flammable/explosive limit:	Not applicable
Upper flammable/explosive limit:	Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature:	Not applicable
Evaporation rate:	Not applicable
Vapour pressure:	Not applicable
Vapour density:	Not applicable
Relative density:	1,401-2,000 kg/L à 20 °C (water = 1)
Solubility in water:	Insoluble
Partition coefficient - n-octanol/water:	Not applicable
Decomposition temperature:	Not available
Kinematic viscosity:	Not applicable

**SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

<b>Reactivity:</b>	Stable under recommended conditions of storage and handling.
<b>Chemical stability:</b>	The product is chemically stable under normal conditions of use.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions:</b>	No dangerous or polymerization reactions will not occur under normal conditions of use.
<b>Conditions to avoid:</b>	Keep away from incompatible products.
<b>Incompatible materials:</b>	<i>None known.</i>
<b>Hazardous decomposition products:</b>	Carbon monoxide and dioxide.

**SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

No CAS	Common name and synonyms	(1) LD oral	(2) LD skin	(3) LD skin	(4) LC gases	(5) LC vapours	(6) LC dusts-mist
14808-60-7	Silica, crystalline (Quartz)	>2000	Not available	>5000	Not applicable	Not applicable	>5.00

- (1) LD50 oral mg/kg  
 (2) LD50 skin mg/kg  
 (3) LD50 skin mg/kg  
 (4) LC50 inhalation ppmV 4h gases  
 (5) LC50 inhalation mg/l 4h vapours  
 (6) LC50 inhalation mg/l 4h dusts-mist

<b>Routes of exposure:</b>	This product is absorbed through the respiratory tract.
<b>Symptoms:</b>	Cough, breathing pain, eye redness. Recurrent bronchitis and permanent respiratory embarrassment.



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**Delayed and immediate effects:** Dust from the product may cause mechanical irritation of the eyes and respiratory tract. May cause lung inflammation. May cause silicosis.

No CAS	Common name and synonyms	IARC	ACGIH	Mutagenicity	Effect on reproduction
14808-60-7	Silica, crystalline (Quartz)	1	A2	No effects shown.	No effects shown.

**Cancer classification under IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

- Group 1: carcinogenic to humans.
- Group 2A: probably carcinogenic to humans.
- Group 2B: possibly carcinogenic to humans.
- Group 3: not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans.
- Group 4: probably not carcinogenic to humans.

**Cancer classification under ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)**

- Group A1: confirmed human carcinogen.
- Group A2: suspected human carcinogen.
- Group A3: confirmed animal carcinogen with unknown relevance to humans.
- Group A4: not classifiable as a human carcinogen.
- Group A5: not suspected as a human carcinogen.

**SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

No CAS	Common name and synonyms	%	Persistent	Bio-accumulation	Aquatic ecotoxicity
14808-60-7	Silica, crystalline (Quartz)	34-36	Yes	No	No

  

No CAS	Common name and synonyms	%	Ecotoxicity for aquatic organisms-Short term	Ecotoxicity for aquatic organisms-Long term	Environnemental effects
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**SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Disposal Method** : Methods of disposal: The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements.

**SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

	TDG	DOT	IMDG	IATA
UN number				
Proper shipping name	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
Transport hazardclass(es)				
Packing group				

**Other information**

**Marine pollutant:** No  
**IMDG:** Not applicable  
**Exemption for limited quantity:** Not applicable  
**Special precautions:** Not applicable  
**Others exemptions:** Not applicable

**SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION**

All ingredients are listed on the EINECS or in compliance with the inventory.  
 The customer is responsible for determining the PPE (personal protection equipment) code for this material.  
 The classification of the product and the SDS were developed in accordance with HPR.

No CAS	Common name and synonyms	%	DSL	NDSL	NPRI
14808-60-7	Silica, crystalline (Quartz)	34-36	X		

No CAS	Common name and synonyms	%	TSCA	PROP-65	Right to Know
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**SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION**

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