

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SCHÖNOX® QUARZSAND



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

#### 1.1 Product identifier

Trade name : SCHÖNOX® QUARZSAND  
Substance name : Quartz (SiO<sub>2</sub>)  
EC-No. : 238-878-4

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

Product use : Additive for cementous products

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

Company name of supplier : Sika Nederland B.V.  
Zonnebaan 56  
3542 EG Utrecht  
Nederland  
Telephone : +31-30-2410120  
Telefax : +31-30-2414482  
E-mail address of person responsible for the SDS : EHS@nl.sika.com

#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

+31-57-0854201

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### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

##### Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Not a hazardous substance or mixture according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.

#### 2.2 Label elements

##### Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Not a hazardous substance or mixture according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.

#### 2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

Ecological information: The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

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Toxicological information: The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1 Substances

##### Components

Chemical name	CAS-No. EC-No.	Concentration (% w/w)	M-Factor, SCL, ATE
Substances with a workplace exposure limit :			
Quartz (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	14808-60-7 238-878-4	100	

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

- General advice : No hazards which require special first aid measures.
- If inhaled : Move to fresh air.
- In case of skin contact : Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately.  
Wash off with soap and plenty of water.
- In case of eye contact : Remove contact lenses.  
Keep eye wide open while rinsing.
- If swallowed : Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.  
Rinse mouth with water.  
Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages.  
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

#### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

- Symptoms : See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.
- Risks : No known significant effects or hazards.

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### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treatment : Treat symptomatically.

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## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : In case of fire, use water/water spray/water jet/carbon dioxide/sand/foam/alcohol resistant foam/chemical powder for extinction.

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous combustion products : No hazardous combustion products are known

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters : In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Further information : Standard procedure for chemical fires.

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## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions : For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions : No special environmental precautions required.

### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For personal protection see section 8.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling : For personal protection see section 8. No special handling advice required. Follow standard hygiene measures when handling chemical products

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Advice on protection against fire and explosion : Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

Hygiene measures : When using do not eat or drink. When using do not smoke.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage areas and containers : Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store in accordance with local regulations.

Advice on common storage : No special restrictions on storage with other products.

Further information on storage stability : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Specific use(s) : Consult most current local Product Data Sheet prior to any use.

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Occupational Exposure Limits

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters *	Basis *
Quartz (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	14808-60-7	TLV-8hr (Respirable dust)	0,075 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Silica)	NL WG
Further information: Carcinogenic substances, based on the threshold limit effect				

\*The above mentioned values are in accordance with the legislation in effect at the date of the release of this safety data sheet.

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Engineering measures

Maintain air concentrations below occupational exposure standards.  
Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

#### Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection : Safety glasses

Hand protection : Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard must be worn at all times when handling chemical products. Reference number EN 374. Follow manufacturer specifications.

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- Skin and body protection : Protective clothing (e.g. Safety shoes acc. to EN ISO 20345, long-sleeved working clothing, long trousers). Rubber aprons and protective boots are additionally recommended for mixing and stirring work.
- Respiratory protection : In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection. 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. Ensure adequate ventilation. This can be achieved by local exhaust extraction or by general ventilation. (EN 689 - Methods for determining inhalation exposure). This applies in particular to the mixing / stirring area. In case this is not sufficient to keep the concentrations under the occupational exposure limits then respiration protection measures must be used.

### Environmental exposure controls

- General advice : No special environmental precautions required.

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- Physical state : solid  
Appearance : Crystalline product  
Colour : dark yellow

- Odour : odourless

- Melting point/ range / Freezing point : No data available

- : Not applicable

- Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available

### Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

- Upper explosion limit / Upper flammability limit : No data available

- Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit : No data available

- Flash point : Not applicable

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Auto-ignition temperature : No data available

Decomposition temperature : No data available

pH : Not applicable

### Viscosity

Viscosity, dynamic : Not applicable

Viscosity, kinematic : Not applicable

### Solubility(ies)

Water solubility : insoluble

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : No data available

Vapour pressure : No data available

Density : ca. 2,6 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (20 °C)

Relative vapour density : No data available

Particle characteristics : No data available

## 9.2 Other information

No data available

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions : No hazards to be specially mentioned.

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### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid : No data available

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid : No data available

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

#### Acute toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Not classified based on available information.

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Not classified based on available information.

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

##### Skin sensitisation

Not classified based on available information.

##### Respiratory sensitisation

Not classified based on available information.

##### Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified based on available information.

##### Carcinogenicity

Not classified based on available information.

##### Reproductive toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

##### STOT - single exposure

Not classified based on available information.

##### STOT - repeated exposure

Not classified based on available information.

##### Aspiration toxicity

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### 11.2 Information on other hazards

#### Endocrine disrupting properties

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

No data available

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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### 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

**Product:**

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### 12.7 Other adverse effects

**Product:**

Additional ecological information : There is no data available for this product.



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### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

- Product : The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible.  
Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way.  
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.  
Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.
- European Waste Catalogue : 17 01 07 mixtures of concrete, bricks, tiles and ceramics other than those mentioned in 17 01 06

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### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### 14.1 UN number or ID number

- ADR : Not regulated as a dangerous good  
IMDG : Not regulated as a dangerous good  
IATA : Not regulated as a dangerous good

#### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

- ADR : Not regulated as a dangerous good  
IMDG : Not regulated as a dangerous good  
IATA : Not regulated as a dangerous good

#### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

- ADR : Not regulated as a dangerous good  
IMDG : Not regulated as a dangerous good  
IATA : Not regulated as a dangerous good

#### 14.4 Packing group

- ADR : Not regulated as a dangerous good  
IMDG : Not regulated as a dangerous good  
IATA (Cargo) : Not regulated as a dangerous good  
IATA (Passenger) : Not regulated as a dangerous good

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### 14.5 Environmental hazards

Not regulated as a dangerous good

### 14.6 Special precautions for user

Not applicable

### 14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable for product as supplied.

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

International Chemical Weapons Convention (CWC) : Not applicable  
Schedules of Toxic Chemicals and Precursors

REACH Information: All substances contained in our Products are  
- registered by our upstream suppliers, and/or  
- registered by us, and/or  
- excluded from the regulation, and/or  
- exempted from the registration.

REACH - Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, mixtures and articles (Annex XVII) : Not applicable

REACH - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation (Article 59). : None of the components are listed (=> 0.1 %).

REACH - List of substances subject to authorisation (Annex XIV) : Not applicable

Regulation (EC) on substances that deplete the ozone layer : Not applicable

Regulation (EU) 2019/1021 on persistent organic pollutants (recast) : Not applicable

Netherlands. Substances of very high concern (ZZS-list) : Quartz (SiO<sub>2</sub>)

Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and the Council concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals : Not applicable

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Seveso III: Directive 2012/18/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances.

Not applicable

Volatile organic compounds : Law on the incentive tax for volatile organic compounds (VOCV)  
no VOC duties

### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for this substance by the supplier.

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## SECTION 16: Other information

### Full text of other abbreviations

NL WG	:	Netherlands. Law on Labour conditions - Occupational Exposure Limits
NL WG / TLV-8hr	:	Time Weighted Average
ADR	:	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
CAS	:	Chemical Abstracts Service
DNEL	:	Derived no-effect level
EC50	:	Half maximal effective concentration
GHS	:	Globally Harmonized System
IATA	:	International Air Transport Association
IMDG	:	International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
LD50	:	Median lethal dosis (the amount of a material, given all at once, which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals)
LC50	:	Median lethal concentration (concentrations of the chemical in air that kills 50% of the test animals during the observation period)
MARPOL	:	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973 as modified by the Protocol of 1978
OEL	:	Occupational Exposure Limit
PBT	:	Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic
PNEC	:	Predicted no effect concentration
REACH	:	Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency
SVHC	:	Substances of Very High Concern
vPvB	:	Very persistent and very bioaccumulative

### Further information

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