

Safety Data Sheet



Section 1: Identification

Product identifier

- Product Name** • Reno NC FSCO
- Product Code** • 189400

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

- Recommended use** • Refractory applications

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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- Manufacturer** • 1-800-262-8200 - CHEMTREC

Section 2: Hazard Identification

United States (US)

According to: OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200 HCS

Classification of the substance or mixture

- OSHA HCS 2012** • Carcinogenicity 1A
 Specific Target Organ Toxicity Repeated Exposure 1

Label elements

OSHA HCS 2012

DANGER



- Hazard statements** • May cause cancer.
 Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

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 thoroughly after handling.
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
Wear protective gloves, clothing, and eye/face protection, .

Response • IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

Storage/Disposal • Dispose of content and/or container in accordance with local, regional, national, and/or international regulations.

Other hazards

OSHA HCS 2012

- Under United States Regulations (29 CFR 1910.1200 - Hazard Communication Standard), this product is considered hazardous.

Canada

According to: WHMIS

Classification of the substance or mixture

WHMIS

- Other Toxic Effects - D2A
Other Toxic Effects - D2B

Label elements

WHMIS



WHMIS

- Other Toxic Effects - D2A
Other Toxic Effects - D2B

Other hazards

WHMIS

- In Canada, the product mentioned above is considered hazardous under the Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS).

Section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

Substances

- Material does not meet the criteria of a substance.

Mixtures

Composition				
Chemical Name	Identifiers	%	LD50/LC50	Classifications According to Regulation/Directive
Amorphous/fused silica	CAS:60676-86-0	89.1% TO 95%	NDA	OSHA HCS 2012: Not Classified
Amorphous silica fume	CAS:69012-64-2	3% TO 8%	NDA	OSHA HCS 2012: STOT RE 1 (Lungs)
Cristobalite	CAS:14464-46-1	< 0.95%	NDA	OSHA HCS 2012: Carc. 1A
1-Propene, homopolymer	CAS:9003-07-0	< 0.15%	Ingestion/Oral-Rat LD50 • >8 g/kg	OSHA HCS 2012: WHMIS:
Magnesium oxide	CAS:1309-48-4	< 0.147%	NDA	OSHA HCS 2012: Not Classified
Quartz	CAS:14808-60-7	< 0.103%	NDA	OSHA HCS 2012: Carc. 1A; STOT RE 1 (Lungs)

Section 4: First-Aid Measures

Description of first aid measures

- Inhalation**
- Move victim to fresh air. Administer oxygen if breathing is difficult. Give artificial respiration if victim is not breathing. Get medical attention immediately.
- Skin**
- In case of contact with substance, immediately flush skin with running water for at least 20 minutes. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
- Eye**
- In case of contact with substance, immediately flush eyes with running water for at least 20 minutes. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
- Ingestion**
- Rinse mouth. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

- Refer to Section 11 - Toxicological Information.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

- Notes to Physician**
- All treatments should be based on observed signs and symptoms of distress in the patient. Consideration should be given to the possibility that overexposure to material other than this product may have occurred.

Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

Extinguishing media

- Suitable Extinguishing Media**
- Material is non-combustible. In case of fire use media as appropriate for surrounding fire.
- Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**
- None known.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

- Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards**
- None known.
- Hazardous Combustion Products**
- None known.

Advice for firefighters

- Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Structural firefighters' protective clothing will only provide limited protection. Wear chemical protective clothing that is specifically recommended by the manufacturer. It may provide little or no thermal protection.

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

- Personal Precautions**
- Isolate hazard area and deny entry to unauthorized and/or unprotected personnel. Do not walk through spilled material. Ensure adequate ventilation to remove vapors, fumes, dust etc. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment, avoid direct contact.
- Emergency Procedures**
- Ventilate closed spaces before entering. Isolate hazard area and deny entry to unauthorized and/or unprotected personnel.

Environmental precautions

- No specific actions or treatments recommended related to exposure to this material.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- Containment/Clean-up Measures**
- Avoid generating dust.
FOR SMALL SPILLS: Clean with a vacuum with a filtration system sufficient to remove

and prevent recirculation of crystalline silica (a vacuum equipped with a high-efficiency particulate air (HEPA) filter is recommended).

FOR LARGE SPILLS: Use a fine spray or mist to control dust creation and carefully scoop or shovel into clean dry container for later reuse or disposal.

If, an appropriate vacuum is unavailable, only wet-clean-up methods should be used (i.e. misting). Moisture should be added as necessary to reduce exposure to airborne respirable silica dust.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Precautions for safe handling

Handling

- Use good safety and industrial hygiene practices. Use only in well ventilated areas. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment, avoid direct contact. Wear long sleeves and/or protective coveralls. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Routine housekeeping should be instituted to ensure that dusts do not accumulate on surfaces. Contaminated clothing must be vacuumed before removal. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage

- Keep container closed. Store in a covered location. Store in a cool, dry place. Keep from freezing. Storage and work area should be periodically cleaned to minimize dust accumulation.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Control parameters

Exposure Limits/Guidelines						
	Result	ACGIH	Canada Ontario	Canada Quebec	Mexico	NIOSH
Quartz (14808-60-7)	TWAs	0.025 mg/m ³ TWA (respirable fraction)	0.10 mg/m ³ TWA (designated substances regulation, respirable, listed under Silica, crystalline)	0.1 mg/m ³ TWAEV (respirable dust)	0.1 mg/m ³ TWA LMPE-PPT (respirable fraction)	0.05 mg/m ³ TWA (respirable dust)
Magnesium oxide (1309-48-4)	TWAs	10 mg/m ³ TWA (inhalable fraction)	10 mg/m ³ TWA (inhalable)	10 mg/m ³ TWAEV (fume, as Mg)	10 mg/m ³ TWA LMPE -PPT (fume, as Mg)	Not established
Cristobalite (14464-46-1)	TWAs	0.025 mg/m ³ TWA (respirable fraction)	0.05 mg/m ³ TWA (designated substances regulation, respirable, listed under Silica, crystalline)	0.05 mg/m ³ TWAEV (respirable dust)	0.05 mg/m ³ TWA LMPE-PPT (respirable fraction)	0.05 mg/m ³ TWA (respirable dust)
Amorphous silica fume (69012-64-2)	TWAs	Not established	2 mg/m ³ TWA (respirable, listed under Silica fume)	2 mg/m ³ TWAEV (containing no Asbestos and <1% Crystalline silica, respirable dust)	2 mg/m ³ TWA LMPE- PPT; 10 mg/m ³ TWA LMPE-PPT (inhalable particulate); 3 mg/m ³ TWA LMPE-PPT (respirable particulate)	Not established
					0.1 mg/m ³ TWA	

Amorphous/fused silica (60676-86-0)	TWAs	Not established	0.1 mg/m3 TWA (respirable)	0.1 mg/m3 TWAEV (containing no Asbestos and <1% Crystalline silica, respirable dust)	LMPE-PPT; 10 mg/m3 TWA LMPE-PPT (inhalable particulate); 3 mg/m3 TWA LMPE-PPT (respirable particulate)	Not established
Exposure Limits/Guidelines (Con't.)						
		Result		OSHA		
Magnesium oxide (1309-48-4)		TWAs		15 mg/m3 TWA (fume, total particulate)		

Exposure Control Notations

Canada Ontario

- Cristobalite (14464-46-1): **Designated Substances:** (0.05 mg/m3 TWA (respirable fraction, listed under Silica, crystalline))
- Quartz (14808-60-7): **Designated Substances:** (0.10 mg/m3 TWA (respirable fraction, listed under Silica, crystalline))

Canada Quebec

- Quartz (14808-60-7): **Carcinogens:** (C2 carcinogen - effect suspected in humans)

ACGIH

- Cristobalite (14464-46-1): **Carcinogens:** (A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen)
- Quartz (14808-60-7): **Carcinogens:** (A2 - Suspected Human Carcinogen)
- Magnesium oxide (1309-48-4): **Carcinogens:** (A4 - Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen)

Exposure Limits Supplemental

OSHA

- Amorphous/fused silica (60676-86-0): **Mineral Dusts:** ((80)/(%) SiO2) mg/m3 TWA; 20 mppcf TWA)
- Cristobalite (14464-46-1): **Mineral Dusts:** ((1/2)(30)/(%)SiO2 + 2) mg/m3 TWA, total dust; (1/2)(250)/(%)SiO2 + 5) mppcf TWA, respirable fraction; (1/2)(10)/(%)SiO2 + 2) mg/m3 TWA, respirable fraction)
- Quartz (14808-60-7): **Mineral Dusts:** ((30)/(%)SiO2 + 2) mg/m3 TWA, total dust; (250)/(%)SiO2 + 5) mppcf TWA, respirable fraction; (10)/(%)SiO2 + 2) mg/m3 TWA, respirable fraction)

ACGIH

- Cristobalite (14464-46-1): **TLV Basis - Critical Effects:** (lung cancer; pulmonary fibrosis)
- Quartz (14808-60-7): **TLV Basis - Critical Effects:** (lung cancer; pulmonary fibrosis)

Exposure controls

Engineering Measures/Controls

- Good general ventilation 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. Adequate ventilation systems as needed to control concentrations of airborne contaminants below applicable threshold limit values. Ensure that dust handling systems (such as exhaust ducts, dust collectors, vessels and processing equipment) are designed in a manner to prevent the escape of dust into the work area (i.e., there is not leakage from the equipment). Collection systems must be designed and maintained to prevent the accumulation and recirculation of respirable silica into the workplace.

Personal Protective Equipment

Respiratory

- For limited exposure use an N95 dust mask. For prolonged exposure use an air-purifying respirator with high efficiency particulate air (HEPA) filters. Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or symptoms are experienced.

Eye/Face

- Wear protective eyewear (goggles, face shield, or safety glasses).

Hands

- Wear appropriate gloves.

Skin/Body

- Wear long sleeves and/or protective coveralls.

General Industrial Hygiene

- Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not remove dusts

Considerations

from clothing by blowing or shaking. Do not eat, drink or smoke during work. Wash thoroughly after handling. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Environmental Exposure Controls

- Follow best practice for site management and disposal of waste. Dispose of in an approved landfill.

Key to abbreviations

ACGIH = American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygiene

TWAEV = Time-Weighted Average Exposure Value

NIOSH = National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health

TWA = Time-Weighted Averages are based on 8h/day, 40h/week exposures

OSHA = Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Information on Physical and Chemical Properties

Material Description			
Physical Form	Solid	Appearance/Description	Gray granular dry powder with an earthy odor.
Color	Gray	Odor	Earthy
Particulate Size	600 µ	Odor Threshold	No data available
General Properties			
Boiling Point	No data available	Melting Point/Freezing Point	No data available
Decomposition Temperature	No data available	pH	No data available
Specific Gravity/Relative Density	= 2.53 Water=1	Water Solubility	Negligible < 0.1 %
Viscosity	No data available		
Volatility			
Vapor Pressure	No data available	Vapor Density	No data available
Evaporation Rate	No data available	VOC (Wt.)	0 %
VOC (Vol.)	0 %		
Flammability			
Flash Point	No data available	UEL	No data available
LEL	No data available	Autoignition	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available		
Environmental			
Octanol/Water Partition coefficient	No data available		

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity

- No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Chemical stability

- Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

- Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

Conditions to avoid

- No data available

Incompatible materials

- No data available

Hazardous decomposition products

- No data available

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

Information on toxicological effects

Components		
Cristobalite (< 0.95%)	14464-46-1	<p>Acute Toxicity: Inhalation-Human TLo • 16 mppcf 8 Hour(s) 17.9 Year(s)-Intermittent; <i>Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration:Fibrosis, focal (pneumoconiosis); Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration:Cough; Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration:Dyspnea;</i></p> <p>Multi-dose Toxicity: Inhalation-Mouse TLo • 43 mg/m³ 5 Hour(s) 9 Day(s)-Intermittent; <i>Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration:Pleural effusion; Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration:Other changes</i></p>

GHS Properties	Classification
Acute toxicity	OSHA HCS 2012 • Data lacking
Skin corrosion/Irritation	OSHA HCS 2012 • Data lacking
Serious eye damage/Irritation	OSHA HCS 2012 • Data lacking
Skin sensitization	OSHA HCS 2012 • Data lacking
Respiratory sensitization	OSHA HCS 2012 • Data lacking
Aspiration Hazard	OSHA HCS 2012 • Data lacking
Carcinogenicity	OSHA HCS 2012 • Carcinogenicity 1A
Germ Cell Mutagenicity	OSHA HCS 2012 • Data lacking
Toxicity for Reproduction	OSHA HCS 2012 • Data lacking
STOT-SE	OSHA HCS 2012 • Data lacking
STOT-RE	OSHA HCS 2012 • Specific Target Organ Toxicity Repeated Exposure 1

Route(s) of entry/exposure

- Inhalation, Skin, Eye, Ingestion

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure

- Any pre-existing conditions of the lungs. Disorders of the lungs.

Potential Health Effects

Inhalation

Acute (Immediate)

- Nuisance dust may affect the lungs but reactions are typically reversible.

Chronic (Delayed)

- Chronic overexposure to dust containing respirable sized crystalline silica can cause delayed lung injury (silicosis). Inhalation of dust containing crystalline silica pulmonary diseases such as asthma and lung disorder associated with smoking.

Skin

Acute (Immediate)

- Exposure to dust may cause mechanical irritation.

Chronic (Delayed)

- No data available.

Eye

Acute (Immediate)

- Excessive concentrations of nuisance dust in the workplace may reduce visibility and may cause unpleasant deposits in eyes.

Chronic (Delayed)

- No data available.

Ingestion

Acute (Immediate)

- Excessive concentrations of nuisance dust in the workplace may cause mechanical

- Chronic (Delayed) Carcinogenic Effects**
- irritation to mucous membranes.
 - No data available.
 - May cause cancer. IARC studies have shown sufficient evidence from animal studies to categorize crystalline silica as a group 1 carcinogen.

Key to abbreviations

TC = Toxic Concentration

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Toxicity

- Material data lacking.

Persistence and degradability

- Material data lacking.

Bioaccumulative potential

- Material data lacking.

Mobility in Soil

- Material data lacking.

Other adverse effects

- No studies have been found.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Waste treatment methods

- Product waste**
- Dispose of content and/or container in accordance with local, regional, national, and/or international regulations.

- Packaging waste**
- Dispose of content and/or container in accordance with local, regional, national, and/or international regulations.

Section 14 - Transport Information

	UN number	UN proper shipping name	Transport hazard class (es)	Packing group	Environmental hazards
DOT	NDA	Not Regulated	NDA	NDA	NDA
TDG	NDA	Not Regulated	NDA	NDA	NDA
IATA/ICAO	NDA	Not Regulated	NDA	NDA	NDA

- Special precautions for user**
- None specified.

- Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code**
- No data available

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

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

SARA Hazard Classifications • Chronic

State Right To Know				
Component	CAS	MA	NJ	PA
Amorphous/fused silica	60676-86-0	Yes	Yes	No
Cristobalite	14464-46-1	Yes	Yes	Yes
Quartz	14808-60-7	Yes	Yes	Yes

Inventory			
Component	CAS	Canada DSL	TSCA
Amorphous/fused silica	60676-86-0	Yes	Yes
Cristobalite	14464-46-1	Yes	Yes
Quartz	14808-60-7	Yes	Yes

Canada

Labor			
Canada - WHMIS - Classifications of Substances			
• Cristobalite	14464-46-1		D2A (In certain cases, this classification does not apply. For more information, consult the section Substance Specific Issues - Silica, crystalline, encapsulated on Health Canada's WHMIS Division website.)
• Amorphous/fused silica	60676-86-0		Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria D2A (In certain cases, this classification does not apply. For more information, consult the section Substance Specific Issues - Silica, crystalline, encapsulated on Health Canada's WHMIS Division website.)
• Quartz	14808-60-7		D2A (In certain cases, this classification does not apply. For more information, consult the section Substance Specific Issues - Silica, crystalline, encapsulated on Health Canada's WHMIS Division website.)
Canada - WHMIS - Ingredient Disclosure List			
• Cristobalite	14464-46-1	1 %	
• Amorphous/fused silica	60676-86-0	1 %	
• Quartz	14808-60-7	1 %	

United States - California

Environment			
U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List			
• Cristobalite	14464-46-1		Not Listed
• Amorphous/fused silica	60676-86-0		Not Listed
• Quartz	14808-60-7		carcinogen, initial date 10/1/88 (airborne particles of respirable size)

Other Information

- **WARNING:** This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.

Section 16 - Other Information

- Revision Date** • 01/May/2018
- Last Revision Date** • 19/April/2017
- Preparation Date** • 01/June/2009
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Key to abbreviations

NDA = No data available