# Safety Data Sheet

**Product Name CL021 White Rose** 

**Date** 02/21/2019

**Common Names** Pottey Clay, Dry Clay, Moist Clay

Company Clay Art Center

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**Emergency Number** 911

Pottery, Artware, Ceramic Building Materials **Product Use** 

### **Contains Crystalline Silica > 1% Respirable**

GHS label elements / **Hazard pictograms** 



**OSHA / HCS status** This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication

OSHA - Carcinogenicity (Inhalation) - Category 1A

Standard (29 CFR 1910. 1200)

Classification of the

substance or mixture

Specific organ toxicity (Repeated Exposure) (Resipratory tract through

inhalation ) - Category 1

**Signal Word Danger** 

**Hazard Statement** (H350) Cancer Hazard. Contains quartz (crystalline silica) which may cause

cancer. Risk of cancer depends upon duration and level of exposure to the dust

Not an acute hazard.

(H332) Prolonged inhalation of dust may cause lung injury. Inhalation of high concentrations of dust may cause mechanical irritation and discomfort of the

respiratory tract. Repeated exposure may have chronic effects.

Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Causes serious eye

damage.

(H316 + H320 + H335) Can cause skin, respiratory, and eye irratation.

**Precautionary** ( P261 ) Avoid breathing dust

( P280 ) Wear protective gloves, eye, and respiratory protection. **Statements** 

# Section 3 - Composition / Information on Ingredients

Substances / Mixtures: Newman Red Clay-The specific chemical identities are being withheld as a trade secret (29CFR1910.1200)

| Component                   | CAS#       | Approx % by Wt. |
|-----------------------------|------------|-----------------|
| Quartz (Crystalline Silica) | 14808-60-7 | 20%-40%         |
| Kaolin                      | 1332-58-7  | 30%-40%         |
| Titanium Dioxide            | 13463-67-7 | <2%             |
| Feldspar                    | 68476-25-5 | 5%-10%          |
| Nepheline Syenite           | 37244-96-5 | 10%-20%         |
| Wollastonite                | 13983-17-0 | <5%             |
| Bentonite                   | 1302-78-9  | <5%             |
| Pyrophyllite                | 12269-78-2 | <5%             |
| Mica/Illite                 | 12001-26-2 | <2%             |

### Section 4 - First Aid Measures

| Eye Contact | If eye contact occurs | , rinse immediately with | plenty of water. | If irritation persists, seek |
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medical attention.

**Skin Contact** If irritation occurs, wash thoroughly with water. If it persists, seek medical attention.

**Inhalation** Move victim to fresh air in well ventilated area. If coughing or irritation persist, seek

medical attention.

**Ingestion** Product may harden if ingested. May result in stomach and intestinal blockage. Drinking

gelatin solutions or large volumes of water may delay setting.

# Symptoms and Effects, both Acute and Delayed

**Eye Contact** Prolonged contact with large amounts of dust may cause mechanical irritation.

**Skin Contact** Prolonged contact with large amounts of dust may cause mechanical irritation.

**Inhalation** Inhalation of high concentrations of dry dust may cause mechanical irritation and

discomfort. Long term exposure may cause chronic effects ( see section 11 )

**Ingestion** Large quantities ingested may cause gastrointestinal irritation.

**Chronic Symptoms** Repeated or prolonged exposure to respirable crystalline silica dust may cause lung

damage in the form of silicosis. Symptoms will include shortness of breath, fever, fatigue,

loss of appetite, chest pain, dry non-productive cough.

General Fire Hazards Clay mixture in dry form is not flammable and does not support fire. The paper

bags or plastic bags and cardboard boxes containing the mixture are flammable.

**Extinguishing Media** Use appropiate extinguishing media for surrounding fire.

**Chemical Hazards** from Fire

Clay mixture does not contain hazardous decomposition products.

**Protective Actions** and Equipment for Fire-fighters

Clay mixture and packaging can become slippery when wet. Fire-Fighters

should wear appropiate protective equipment.

Clean - up Methods Vacuum up spilled material. Vacuums used for this purpose should be equipped with

HEPA filters.

**Protection Equipment** 

and Personal

**Personal Precautions** Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. When dry sweeping

use NIOSH approved respirators when dust levels exceed exposure limits.

**Enviromental Precautions** 

Clay is anatural mineral product mixture and will not cause adverse effects to the water

system other than turbidity from suspended particles.

**Emergency Procedures and Methods of** Containment

There are no emergency procedures required for this mixture. Place dry powder in

a sealed container for reuse or proper disposal.

**Precations for** Safe Handling

Use proper lifting techniques to avoid injury.

Recommendations on the Conditions for Safe Storage

Store in a clean, dry location. Do not store clay below freezing point.

# **Airborne Exposure Limits**

| Hazardous Ingrediant                                      | Wt. % Aprox.              | CAS#                                  | OSHA PEL* / ACGIH TLV  |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Quartz (Crystalline Silica)<br>Kaolin<br>Titanium Dioxide | 20%-40%<br>30%-40%<br><2% | 14808-60-7<br>1332-58-7<br>13463-67-7 | 0.1mg/m3 / 0.025 mg/m3 respirable<br>5mg/m3 / 2mg/m3 respirable<br>15mg/m3 / 3mg/m3 respirable |
| Feldspar<br>Nepheline Syenite                             | 5%-10%<br>10%-20%         | 68476-25-5<br>37244-96-5              | 15mg/m3 total dust<br>5mg/m3 / 2mg/m3 respirable<br>5mg/m3 / respirable                        |
| Wollastonite<br>Bentonite                                 | <5%<br><5%                | 13983-17-0<br>1302-78-9               | 15mg/m3 total dust<br>5mg/m3 / 0.025mg/m3 respirable<br>5mg/m3 / 3mg/m3 respirable             |
| Pyrophyllite  | <5%                       | 12269-78-2                            | 15mg/m3 / 10mg/m3 total dust<br>15mg/m3 total dust;<br>5mg/m3 respirable dust                  |
| Mica/Illite   | <2%                       | 12001-26-2                            | 3mg/m3 respirable  |

### **Engineering Measures**

Clay mixture in moist form poses no inhalation risk. Once clay mixture has dried, there may be dust generated by cleaning and working process. In the event dust is generated, use local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls as required to maintain exposures below applicable occupational exposre limits.

### Personal Protective Equipment ( PPE )

Dust is generated when working with dry clay mixture. To minimize exposure to dust and/or crystaline silica, cutting or sanding dry clay products should be conducted with sufficient vetalation. Respirable dust and quartz levels should be monitored regularly. Dust and quartz levels in excess of appropriate exposure limits should be reduced by feasable engineering controls. including ( but not limited to) wet sanding, wet suppresion, ventilation, and process enclosures. When such controls are not feasable, NIOSH/MSHA approved resirators must be worn as set forth at 29 CFR1910,134 and ANSI Z88.2-1080 "Practices for Respiratory Protection"

**Eyes** 

Wear approved safety googles. NIOSH recommends that contact lenses not be worn when working with crystalline silica dust.

**Skin and Body** 

Respiratory

It is a good industrial hygiene practice to minimize skin contact. For

### Section 9-- Physical and Chemical Prpperties

| Appearance<br>Color | Dry Powder, moist mud brick White | Evaporation Rate Solubility in Water at 100c | Not Applicable<br>None |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------|--|------------------------|
| Physical State      | Solid                             | Viscosity                                    | Not Applicable         |
| ph                  | 6-8                               | Flashpoint                                   | Not Applicable         |
| Odor                | low to none                       | <b>Boiling Point</b>                         | Not Applicable         |
| Odor Threshold      | Not Applicable                    | Flammability                                 | Not Applicable         |
| Melting Point       | Not Applicable                    | Vapor Pressure(mm HG)                        | Not Applicable         |
| Freezing Point      | Not Applicable                    | Vapor Density                                | Not Applicable         |
| Relative Density /  |                                   | Partrician coefficent                        | Not Applicable         |
| Specific Gravity    | 2.96 (H2O=1)                      | Auto Ignition Temp.                          | Not Applicable         |

# Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

**Reactivity** No dangerous reactions are known under normal conditions of use.

**Chemical Stability** Material is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous

Reactions

None Known

Incompatible Materials None Know

# Section 11-- Toxicological Information

| <b>Primary Route of Exposure</b> | Skin, Eye Contact, Inhalation and Ingestion. |
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Specific Organ Toxicity
Single Exposure

Target organs include Ears, Skin, respiratory system, and gastrointestinal.

**Specific Organ Toxicity Repeated Exposure** 

Cause damage to eyes, skin, respiratory system, and gastrointestinal tract through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Acute Short Term Exposure Effects

May cause eye irritation, skin irritation, respiratory tract irritation, and

gastrointestinal tract irritation. Inhalation of high concentrations of dry powder may cause mechanical irritation and discomfort. Long term exposure may

cause chronic effects.

Chronic Long Term Exposure Effects

Silica has been classified by OSHA as a human lung carcinogen. Repeated or prolonged exposure of respirable crysalline silica dust may cause lung damage in the form of silicosis. Effects of silicosis include bronchitis/chronic obstructive pulmonary disorder, increased susceptibility to tuberculisis, sclerderma ( a disease affecting skin, blood vessels, joints and skeletal muscles),and possible

renal disease. Acute silicosis can be fatal.

Related Symptoms Symptoms will include shortness of breath, fever, fatigue, loss of appetite, chest

pain, dry non-productive cough.

Medical Conditions
Aggravated by Exposure

Individuals with pre-existing allergies, eye disorders, skin disorders, respiratory disorders and/or gastrintestinal disorders may have increased susceptibility

to the effects of exposure.

## **OSHA, IARC, and NTP Carcinogen Classifications**

| Chemicals and Carcinogen Potential | CAS#       | OSHA | IARC   | NTP |
|------------------------------------|------------|------|--------|-----|
| Talc - Steatite                    | 14807-96-6 | No   | Yes-1  | No  |
| Crystalline Silica Quartz          | 14808-60-7 | Yes  | Yes-1  | Yes |
| Titanium Dixide                    | 13463-57-7 | No   | Yes-2b | No  |

# Section 12-- Ecological Information (non-mandatory)

| Ecotoxicity                                 | None | known |
|---|------|-------|
| Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BODS)            | None | Known |
| Chemical Oxygen Demand ( COD )              | None | Known |
| Products of Biodegradition                  | None | Known |
| Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation  | None | Known |
| Bioaccumulation Potential                   | None | Known |
| Potential to MKove from Soil to Groundwater | None | Known |
| Other Adverse Effects                       | None | Known |

# Section 13 -- Disposal Configurations (non-mandatory

| Personal Protection                                       | Refer to section 8 for proper PPE when disposing of waste material.   |
|---|---|
| Appropriate Disposal Containers                           | Standard waste disposal containers - no special requirements.   |
| Appropriate Disposal Methods                              | Disposal of this product should comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional or local authority requirements. |
| Physical and Chemical Properties that May Affect Disposal | Dry dust should be placed in a sealed container or in a manner that reduces or eliminates the release of the product.   |
| Swage Disposal  | Do not dispose of into sinks or toilets. Never dispose of this product  |

into a sewer system.

Special Precautions for Landfills or Incineration Activities

There are no special precautions for disposal in a landfill. This product

is non-combustible and is not suitable for incineration.

# Section 14 -- Transportation Information (non-mandatory)

| Regulatory  | UN Number   | UN Proper       | Transport        | Packing          | Bulk Transport   | Special          |
|---|---|-----------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Information   |   | Shipping Name   | Hazard Class     | Group Number     | Guidance         | Precautions      |
| DOT Classification<br>TDG Classification<br>ADR/RID Class<br>IMDG Class<br>IATA-DGR Class | Not Regulated<br>Not Regulated<br>Not Regulated<br>Not Regulated<br>Not Regulated | -<br>  -<br>  - | -<br>-<br>-<br>- | -<br>-<br>-<br>- | -<br>-<br>-<br>- | -<br>-<br>-<br>- |

# Section 15 -- Regulatory Information (non-mandatory)

**TSCA - Toxic Substance** Quartz and other chemicals are listed in the TSCA Substance Inventory.

California Prop. 65 Warning

This product contains a chemical known to the State Of California to cause cancer. ( Prop 65 - California Health and Safety Code Section 2549 Et Seq )

SARA / Title III (Emergency Planning and S Community Right to Know Act

This mixture contains no substance at or above the reporting threshold under section 313, based on available data

**Definitions** 

# Section 16 -- Other Information (non-mandatory) continued

Three types of TLVS for chemical substances as defined by the ACGIH are:

**TLV-TWA** Time weighted average - average exposure on the basis of an 8 h/day, 40h/week

work schedule.

**TLV - STEL** Short - term exposure limit - spot exposure for a duration of 15 minutes, that can

not be repeated more than 4 times per day, with at least 60 minutes between

exposure periods.

**TLV-C** Ceiling limit - absolute exposure limit that should not be exceeded at any time.

This SDS is in compliance with The Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS) and is subject to revision at any time without notice. Its current revision date is: 11/25/2016

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