

# Safety Data Sheet

May be used to comply with  
OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard,  
29 CFR 1910.1200. Standard must be  
Consulted for specific requirements

# U.S. Department of Labor

Occupational Safety and Health Administration  
(Non-Mandatory Form)  
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<b>Identity</b> (As used on Label and List) <b>Orton Pyrometric Cones / Bars / TempCheks / Cone Plaques labeled P9000 S-4 50, P9000 L-3 50, P9000 L-4 50</b> <b>Cone boxes are labeled as SSB, LRB, SRB, PCB or BRB followed by the identification number</b>	Note: Blank spaces are not permitted. If any item is not applicable, or no information is available, the space must be marked to indicate that.
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## Section 1 – Product Identification

<b>Manufacturer's Name</b> The Edward Orton Jr. Ceramic Foundation	<b>Emergency Telephone Number</b> (614) 895-2663
<b>Address</b> (Number, Street, City, State, & Zip Code) 6991 Old 3C Highway, P.O. Box 2760, Westerville OH 43086 – 2760	<b>Telephone Number for Information</b> (614) 895-2663
<b>Date Prepared</b> 8/8/22	<b>Signature of Preparer</b> (Optional)

## Section 2 – Hazardous Ingredients/Identity Information

Hazardous Components (Specific Chemical Identity: Common Name(s))	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	Other Limits Recommended	(%) (Optional)
Cone Plaques, Tempchek, Pyrometric Cone and Bar Numbers				
022, 021, 020, 019, 018, 017, 016, 015, 014, 013,				
012, 011, 010, 09, 08, 07, 06, 05½, 05, 04, 03, 02,				
01, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 5½, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 12½, 13,				
13½, 14, 14½, 15, 15½, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23,				
26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 31½, 32, 32½, 33, 34, 35, 36				
37, 38, 39, 40, 41 ( Contain 2-65% Silica)				
Silica as dust	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	0.025mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (respirable dust)		



### DANGER

May cause cancer by inhalation.

Causes Damage to lungs through prolonged or repeated exposure by inhalation.

### Response:

If exposed or concerned: get medical advice

### Disposal:

Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulation

### Prevention

Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product

Do not breath dust

### Section 3 – Physical/Chemical Characteristics

<b>Boiling Point</b>	N/A	<b>Specific Gravity (H<sub>2</sub>O = 1)</b>	1.8 – 2.0
<b>Vapor Pressure (mmHg)</b>	N/A	<b>Melting Point</b>	N/A
<b>Vapor Density ( Air = 1)</b>	N/A	<b>Evaporation Rate (Butyl Acetate = 1)</b>	N/A
<b>Solubility in Water</b>			
Nil			
<b>Appearance and Color</b>			
Solid-Shape of pyramid or rectangular shape – some products contain organic colors for aid in identification			

### Section 4 – Fire And Explosion Hazard Data

<b>Flash Point (Method Used)</b>	<b>Flammable Limits</b>	<b>LEL</b>	<b>UEL</b>
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Extinguishing Media</b>			
N/A			
<b>Special Fire Fighting Procedures</b>			
All products except those labeled PCB contain 4-6% organic material that will combust above 300°F			
<b>Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards</b>			
N/A			

### Section 5 – Reactivity Data

<b>Stability</b>	<b>Unstable</b>		<b>Conditions to Avoid -None</b>
	<b>Stable</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid)</b>			
N/A			
<b>Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts</b>			
N/A			
<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	<b>May Occur</b>		<b>Conditions to Avoid - none</b>
	<b>Will not Occur</b>	<b>X</b>	

### Section 6 – Health Hazard Data

<b>Route(s) of Entry:</b>	<b>Inhalation?</b>	<b>Skin?</b>	<b>Ingestion?</b>
	N/A	None Anticipated	None Anticipated
<b>Health Hazards (Acute and Chronic)</b>			
Product is non-hazardous when used as intended. Product should not be ground into dust or ingested.			
Product may contain crystalline silica, which may cause cancer, when inhaled, based on animal testing.			
<b>Carcinogenicity:</b>	<b>NTP?</b>	<b>IARC Monographs?</b>	<b>OSHA Regulated?</b>
	No	No	No
<b>Signs and Symptoms of Exposure</b>			
N/A			
<b>Medical Conditions Generally Aggravated by Exposure</b>			
N/A			
<b>Emergency and First Aid Procedures</b>			
If swallowed, get professional medical help			

## Section 7 – Precautions for Safe Handling and Use

### Steps to be taken in Case Material is Released or Spilled

No specific precautions

### Waste Disposal Method

Disposal must meet existing federal, state, and local environmental control for low soluble glass frit - titanium dioxide – silica

### Precautions to Be Taken in Handling and Storing

Keep out of reach of children. Wash hands after handling.

### Other Precautions

Organic components may produce harmful gases during firing, if not fully oxidized. Also other gases may be produced during firing, therefore, provide adequate ventilation to kiln or kiln area.

## Section 8 – Control Measures

### Respiratory Protection (Specify Type)

N/A

<b>Ventilation</b>	<b>Local Exhaust</b> N/A	<b>Special</b> N/A
	<b>Mechanical (General)</b> N/A	<b>Other</b> N/A
<b>Protective Gloves</b> N/A	<b>Eye Protection</b> N/A	
<b>Other Protective Clothing or Equipment</b> No special requirements		
<b>Work/Hygienic Practices</b> Wash hands after handling		

## Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

**Appearance:** Pyrometric Cones are three sided elongated pyramids 1” to 2” long. Cone plaques are rectangular clay forms ranging in Length, width, and height between 3”-4”x1”x1/2” . TempChek are ceramic disks 1 1/8” in diameter by 1/4” thick.

**Odor:** none

**Vapor Pressure:** none

**PH:** neutral

**Melting point:** above 1000°F

**Freezing point:** none

**Flammability:** none

## Section 10 – Stability and Reactivity

**Reactivity:** None

**Chemical Stability:** Stable

## Section 11 – Toxicological Information

Not toxic

**Section 12 – Ecological Information**

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None available

**Section 13 – Disposal Considerations**

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No precautions known

**Section 14 – Transport Information**

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Non-hazardous

**Section 15 – Regulatory Information**

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**California Proposition 65:** Crystalline silica (airborne particles of respirable size) is classified as a substance known to the state of California to be a carcinogen

**Section 16 – Other Information**

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Product resources found at [www.ortonceramic.com](http://www.ortonceramic.com)