SAFETY DATA SHEET



1. Identification

Product identifier OPTIMUM XL127; OPTIMUM XL127 CH

Other means of identification

Brand Code 381A, 331C

Synonyms PHANTUM XL127 CLA

Recommended use For Industrial or Professional Use Only

Recommended restrictions None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Manufacturer

Company name HarbisonWalker International

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Moon Township, Pennsylvania 15108 US

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2. Hazard(s) identification

Classified hazards

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Label elements

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Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)

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3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Magnesium Oxide	1309-48-4	00 00
		80 - 90
Aluminium	7429-90-5	2.5 - 10
Graphite	7782-42-5	2.5 - 10
Calcium Oxide	1305-78-8	1 - 2.5
Aluminium Oxide (Non-Fibrous)	1344-28-1	0.1 - 1
Carbon Black	1333-86-4	0.1 - 1
Phenol	108-95-2	0.1 - 1
Ethane-1,2-diol	107-21-1	0 - 0.1
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	0 - 0.1
Other components below reportable levels		2.5 - 10

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*Designates that a specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Skin contact Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Eye contact

Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Ingestion Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation. Most important

symptoms/effects, acute and

delayed

Indication of immediate medical attention and special

treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

General information Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Not available.

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical

Not applicable.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters Not available.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Keep unnecessary personnel away. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

Environmental precautions Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store in original tightly closed container. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10

of the SDS).

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

This mixture has no ingredients that have PEL, TLV, or other recommended exposure limit. Occupational exposure limits

US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Туре	Value	Form
Aluminium (CAS 7429-90-5)	PEL	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
Calcium Oxide (CAS 1305-78-8)	PEL	5 mg/m3	
Carbon Black (CAS 1333-86-4)	PEL	3.5 mg/m3	
Graphite (CAS 7782-42-5)	PEL	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
, ,		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
Magnesium Oxide (CAS 1309-48-4)	PEL	15 mg/m3	Total particulate.
US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.	1000)		
Components	Туре	Value	Form
Aluminium (CAS 7429-90-5)	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
,		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
		50 mppcf	Total dust.
		15 mppcf	Respirable fraction.
Graphite (CAS 7782-42-5)	TWA	15 mppcf	·

US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910. Components	, Туре	Value	Form
Magnesium Oxide (CAS 1309-48-4)	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction
•		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
		50 mppcf	Total dust.
		15 mppcf	Respirable fraction
US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values	i		
Components	Туре	Value	Form
Aluminium (CAS 7429-90-5)	TWA	1 mg/m3	Respirable fraction
Calcium Oxide (CAS 1305-78-8)	TWA	2 mg/m3	
Carbon Black (CAS 1333-86-4)	TWA	3 mg/m3	Inhalable fraction.
Graphite (CAS 7782-42-5)	TWA	2 mg/m3	Respirable fraction
Magnesium Oxide (CAS 1309-48-4)	TWA	10 mg/m3	Inhalable fraction.
US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chem	ical Hazards		
Components	Туре	Value	Form
Aluminium (CAS 7429-90-5)	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable.
		5 mg/m3	Welding fume or pyrophoric powder
		10 mg/m3	Total
Calcium Oxide (CAS 1305-78-8)	TWA	2 mg/m3	
Carbon Black (CAS 1333-86-4)	TWA	0.1 mg/m3	
Graphite (CAS 7782-42-5)	TWA	2.5 mg/m3	Respirable.

Biological limit values

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

The resin binder in this product was specifically engineered to have low toxicity, with minimal **Exposure guidelines** free-phenol (less than 100ppm in this refractory product) and no free-formaldehyde. Under certain conditions, thermal decomposition products may still include carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide,

formaldehyde, phenol and aromatic and/or aliphatic compounds.

Appropriate engineering

controls

Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) 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.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles). Eye/face protection

Skin protection

Hand protection Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.

Other Wear suitable protective clothing.

Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels Respiratory protection

exceeding the exposure limits.

Thermal hazards Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.





General hygiene considerations

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Physical state Solid. **Form** Solid. Color Not available.

Not available. Odor **Odor threshold** Not available. Not available. Not available. Melting point/freezing point Initial boiling point and boiling Not available.

range

Not available. Flash point **Evaporation rate** Not available. Not available. Flammability (solid, gas) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower

Not available.

Flammability limit - upper

(%)

Not available.

Not available. Explosive limit - lower (%) Explosive limit - upper (%) Not available.

Not available. Vapor pressure Vapor density Not available. Relative density Not available.

Solubility(ies)

Solubility (water) Not available. Partition coefficient Not available. (n-octanol/water)

Auto-ignition temperature Not available. **Decomposition temperature** Not available. Not available. **Viscosity**

Other information

Explosive properties Not explosive. Not oxidizing. Oxidizing properties

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

Chemical stability Material is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid Contact with incompatible materials. Refractories containing crystalline silica may, after service. contain more or less crystalline silica. Care must be taken to avoid and/or control dust from

demolition. If in doubt of the proper protection, seek advice from a safety professional.

The organic binder in this product falls into a class known as phenolic resin. Refractory products using this type of binder are supplied in two forms, (1) shaped products such as brick and (2) monolithics/specialties such as refractory plastics and rams. The hazards associated with phenolic resin are different in the two forms. For pre-cured shapes (brick), the binder has been reacted or polymerized by heat to its solid form prior to shipment. On decomposition by heating, where there is sufficient air and heating rate, the gaseous products are mostly carbon dioxide and water. Under low or limited oxygen supply, decomposition products during heat-up and early service may include phenol, as well as aromatic and/or aliphatic derivatives. After a campaign in service, this refractory product should be completely coked and in that condition the material for disposal would be carbon and an inorganic oxide. During field installation of non-cured unshaped products (monolithics), there is a possibility of exposure to trace amounts of phenol by skin contact and inhalation. After the product has been heated to high temperatures in service, it will have

similar decomposition characteristics to pre-cured shapes.

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.

Incompatibility is based strictly upon potential theoretical reactions between chemicals and may

not be specific to industrial application exposure.

Hazardous decomposition

products

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

InhalationNo adverse effects due to inhalation are expected.Skin contactNo adverse effects due to skin contact are expected.Eye contactDirect contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Ingestion Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity Not available.

Skin corrosion/irritation Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Respiratory sensitization Not a respiratory sensitizer.

Skin sensitization This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.

Germ cell mutagenicityNo data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are

mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Carbon Black (CAS 1333-86-4) 2B Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

Not listed

US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not regulated.

Reproductive toxicityThis product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

Not classified.

Aspiration hazard Not an aspiration hazard.

12. Ecological information

EcotoxicityThe product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the

possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Persistence and degradability Bioaccumulative potential

Mobility in soil No data available.

Other adverse effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation

No data is available on the degradability of this product.

potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructionsThis product, in its present state, when discarded or disposed of, is not a hazardous waste

according to Federal regulations (40 CFR 261.4 (b)(4)). Under RCRA, it is the responsibility of the user of the product to determine, at the time of disposal, whether the product meets RCRA criteria

for hazardous waste.

Hazardous waste codeSince this product is used in several industries, no Waste Code can be provided by the supplier.

The Waste Code should be determined in arrangement with your waste disposal partner or the

responsible authority.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Not available.

Contaminated packaging Not available.

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14. Transport information

DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to

Not applicable.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and

the IBC Code

15. Regulatory information

US federal regulations This product is not known to be a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard

Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200. All chemical substances in this product are listed

on the TSCA chemical substance inventory where required.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

Not listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not regulated.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories Immediate Hazard - No

Delayed Hazard - No Fire Hazard - No Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous

No

chemical

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Chemical name	CAS number	% by wt.	
Aluminium	7429-90-5	2.5 - 10	

Other federal regulations

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act

(SDWA)

Not regulated.

US state regulations

California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): This material is not known to contain any chemicals currently listed as carcinogens or reproductive toxins.

US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Carcinogenic substance

Carbon Black (CAS 1333-86-4) Listed: February 21, 2003 Formaldehyde (CAS 50-00-0) Listed: January 1, 1988

US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Developmental toxin

Ethane-1,2-diol (CAS 107-21-1) Listed: June 19, 2015

US. California. Candidate Chemicals List. Safer Consumer Products Regulations (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 22, 69502.3, subd. (a))

Aluminium (CAS 7429-90-5) Carbon Black (CAS 1333-86-4) Magnesium Oxide (CAS 1309-48-4)

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International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	No
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	No
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances	Yes

(PICCS) Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory

16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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This information is based on our present knowledge on creation date. However, this shall not Disclaimer

constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid

contractual relationship.

Revision information Product and Company Identification: Product and Company Identification

Transport Information: Material Transportation Information

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Yes

^{*}A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s) A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).