

# HEALTH AND SAFETY PRODUCT DATA SHEET

## SANDSTONE

### 1. Identification of Product

Sandstone Products

### 5. Fire Fighting Measures

Not applicable.

### 2. Composition of Ingredients

Natural Stone Products are produced from naturally occurring rock, sand and gravel deposits and consist of combinations of various minerals including quartz.

### 6. Accidental Release Measures

Avoid contact with skin.  
Tidy up product using appropriate equipment.

### 3. Hazard Identification

Breaking Natural Stone Products can create dust, if inhaled in excessive quantities over extended periods. Respirable dust can constitute a long-term hazard.  
Breaking Natural Stone Products, unless adequately controlled, can project particles at high velocity, with consequent risk of impact damage and/or injury, particularly to exposed areas of the body and eyes.  
Lifting and manual handling of large quantities can cause injury, and should be handled accordingly.

### 7. Handling and Storage

Avoid contact with dust.  
Always follow safe lifting and manual handling procedures.  
The preferred method of handling is by mechanical means. Where storage of material is necessary in public areas accessed by the public, adequate notices, signs and markings should be used.

### 4. First Aid Measures

First Aid treatment is as follows:

**Eye Contact:**

Immediately rinse under running water and consider medical attention.

**Cuts/Abrasions:**

Cuts / Abrasions from handling should be cleaned and treated, using the normal first-aid method. Wounds must receive prompt medical attention.

In all doubtful cases, medical advice must be obtained.

### 8. Exposure Controls

Although not classed as dangerous these products should be handled in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices. Whilst handling products, protective gloves and boots should be worn.

During cutting or similar activity, overalls/eye/face protection should be worn, use dust masks. Respiratory protective equipment to BS 2901 Type B with extraction equipment.

### 8.1. Hand Protection

Wear suitable protective gloves.

### 8.5. Footwear

Wear footwear with protective toecaps when working with the products.

### 8.2. Skin Protection

Avoid contact with skin.

### 9. Physical & Chemical Properties

The bricks can be abrasive and the dust contains calcium silicates.

### 8.3. Eye Protection

Wear goggles to protect eye contact from flying particles when crushing, drilling, cutting or breaking products.

### 10. Stability & Reactivity

Not applicable.

### 8.4. Masks

Wear dust masks when crushing, drilling, cutting or breaking products.

### 11. Toxicological Information

No risk upon observation of safety instructions 6, 7 & 8 above.

**12. Ecological Information**

Have no ecological effect.

**16. Other**

The information contained in this sheet is correct to the best of our knowledge at the date of issue. It is intended as a guide of safety requirements only and it is not a specification or guarantee of specific properties. We recommend customers ensure that the product is entirely suitable for their purposes.

No liability can be accepted for any loss, injury or damage resulting from its use.

**13. Disposal Considerations**

Natural Stone Products may be recycled or placed in an approved landfill.

**14. Transportation**

Ensure security and safety of load at all times.

**15. Regulatory Information**

Not applicable.

