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**Section 1 – Product Identification**

IDENTITY: *Product Name:* **AQUAFIN-IC ADMIX-Powder-NR**

*Chemical Characterization:* **Cement – Preparation**  
*Product Use Description:* **Cementitious crystalline concrete admixture**

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Recommended use of the chemical and restriction on use: Refer to the product technical data sheet.  
For industrial and professional users.

**Section 2 – Hazards Identification**

**GHS Classification:**

|                                |  |
|--------------------------------|--|
| Skin irritation, Category 2    | H315: Causes skin irritation (alkaline when moistened) |
| Serious eye damage, Category 1 | H318: Causes serious eye damage                        |
| Respiratory system; Category 3 | H335: May cause respiratory irritation                 |
| Carcinogenity, Category 1A     | H350: May cause cancer                                 |

**GHS Label element:**

**Hazard Pictograms**



GHS05



GHS07



GHS08

Signal Word: **Danger**

**Hazard Statements:**

H315: Causes skin irritation (alkaline when moistened).  
H318: Causes serious eye damage.  
H335: May cause respiratory irritation.  
H350: May cause cancer.

**Precautionary Statements:**

**Prevention:**

P264: Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
P280: Wear eye protection/face protection.  
P280: Wear protective gloves.  
P281: Use protective equipment as required.

**Response:**

P302 + P352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.  
P304 + P340: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.  
P305 + P351 + P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P308 + P313: IF exposed or concerned, get medical advice/attention.  
P332 + P313: IF skin irritation occurs, get medical advice/attention.

P362: Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

**Storage:**

P403 + P232: Store in a well-ventilated place. Protect from moisture.

**Disposal:**

P501: Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal site.

P502: Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information on recovery/recycling.

**Section 3 – Composition / Information on Ingredients**

| <b>Hazardous Components</b>                   | <b>CAS No.</b> | <b>TLV</b>             | <b>PEL</b>            | <b>Weight %</b> |
|---|----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Portland Cement                               | 65997-15-1     | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   | 25 - 60         |
| Calcium Dihydroxide                           | 1305-62-0      | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   | 2.5 - 10        |
| AQ-IC.1                                       | Trade Secret   |                        |                       | 10 - 40         |
| Crystalline Quartz Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> ) | 14808-60-7     | 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 10 - 40         |

- The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret in accordance with paragraph (i) of §1910.1200.

**Section 4 – First Aid Measures**

**After Inhalation:** Remove subject to fresh air. Administer oxygen if difficulty with breathing. Consult a physician.

**After Ingestion:** Immediately seek medical attention. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. If conscious, drink plenty of water.

**After Skin Contact:** Instantly wash skin with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes. Wash clothing before reuse. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.

**After Eye Contact:** Rinse opened eye with plenty of running water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Consult physician.

**Section 5 – Fire Fighting Measures**

**Extinguishing Media:** Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), extinguishing powder, water fog, alcohol-resistant foam.

**Special Fire Fighting Procedures:** As in any fire, wear full protective gear and NIOSH-approved self-contained breathing apparatus with full face-piece operated in the pressure demand or other positive pressure mode.

**Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:** No unusual fire or explosion hazards. Material can splatter above 212°F (100°C).

**Section 6 – Accidental Release Measures**

**Person-related Safety Precautions:** Avoid causing dust. Avoid eye and skin contact.

**Environmental precautions:** Prevent material from reaching sewage and drainage systems or bodies of water.

**Methods for Cleaning up:** Use dry cleanup methods that do not disperse dust into the air. With water, material hydrates to a solid harmless waste. Wear personal protective equipment. Emergency procedures are not required.

**Section 7 – Handling and Storage**

**Handling:** Avoid causing dust. Avoid eye and skin contact. Keep out of reach of children.

**Storage:** Store in a cool, dry enclosed area off the ground in tightly closed containers. Protect against wetness and water. No special measures required against explosion and fires. Store away from foodstuffs.

**Section 8 – Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**

**Engineering Controls:** Use with adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Washing of the skin in the working area must be possible. Eye-wash bottle must be available.

**Respiratory Protection:** Wear a properly fitted NIOSH approved respirator in poorly ventilated areas and/or if high dust concentrations are encountered.

**Skin Protection:** When installing, wear appropriate protective rubber or plastic gloves to prevent hand-skin exposure. Wear appropriate impervious clothing to prevent skin exposure (long sleeve shirt and long pants).

**Eye Protection:** Wear tightly sealed safety glasses with side shields or goggles. Face shield as necessary.

**Work/Hygienic Practices:** Wash hands before breaks and after work, and before eating, drinking or smoking.

**Section 9 – Physical and Chemical Properties**

**Physical State:** Powder  
**Appearance/Color:** Cement / gray  
**Odor:** Weak, characteristic  
**Solubility in water:** Fully miscible  
**Boiling Point:** N/A  
**Melting Point:** >1,000°C (>1,832°F)  
**Flash Point:** Not combustible  
**Auto ignition:** N/A  
**Bulk Density:** approx. 1.09 kg/dm<sup>3</sup>  
**pH (in water):** 11 – 13.5 (Alkaline)  
**VOC Concentration:** 0 g/l

**Section 10 – Stability and Reactivity**

**Chemical Stability:** Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Avoid contact with humidity. Product hydrates (hardens) and becomes unusable.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur.

**Incompatibilities:** None known.

### Section 11 – Toxicological Information

**Acute Inhalation Toxicity:**

| Product                    | Type | Value             |
|----------------------------|------|-------------------|
| Silica, crystalline quartz | LC50 | no data available |
| Portland cement            | LC50 | no data available |

**Acute Oral Toxicity:**

|                            |             |             |
|----------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Silica, crystalline quartz | LC50 (Oral) | 1,300 mg/kg |
| Portland cement            | LC50 (Oral) | 2,000 mg/kg |

**Acute Dermal Toxicity**

|                            |               |                   |
|----------------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Silica, crystalline quartz | LC50 (Dermal) | no data available |
| Portland cement            | LC50 (Dermal) | no data available |

**Primary Irritant Effect:**

- On the skin: Irritant for skin and mucous membranes
- On the eye: Irritant effect
- Sensitization: No sensitizing effect known.

### Section 12 – Ecological Information

**Ecological Information:** The unused product is slight water pollutant. Large quantities may be toxic to fish. Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities to reach into waterways or drains.

### Section 13 – Disposal Considerations

**Waste Disposal Method:** Dispose of in a manner consistent with federal, state and local regulations. Do not dispose together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

**Unused Residue or Dry Spillage:** Pick up dry material. Possibly reuse depending on amount of contamination. Prevent dust exposure. In case of disposal, harden with water and dispose in accordance to local regulations.

**Slurries:** Allow to harden and dispose of as described above.

**Container disposal:** Completely emptied packaging can be given for recycling.

### Section 14 – Transport Information

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| <b>RCRA Hazard Class:</b>                        | Non-hazardous |
| <b>USDOT (Domestic Surface)</b>                  | Not regulated |
| <b>IMDG (Ocean) Hazard Class or Division:</b>    | Not regulated |
| <b>IATA/ICAO (Air) Hazard Class or Division:</b> | Not regulated |
| <b>TDG (Canada):</b>                             | Not regulated |
| <b>UN Number:</b>                                | Not listed    |

### Section 15 – Regulatory Information

**SARA 311/312 (RTK): Hazard Categories:** Acute Health: YES  
 Chronic Health: YES

**SARA Section 313 Notification:** This product does not contain any ingredients regulated under Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986 or CFR 372.

**CERCLA:** No CERCLA chemicals exist in this product above reportable concentrations.

**TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification:** There are no reportable TSCA 12(b) Chemicals in this product.

| <u>State Regulations:</u> | <u>State RTK</u> | <u>CAS Number</u> | <u>Chemical name</u>        |
|---------------------------|------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
|                           | MA, NJ, PA       | 65997-15-1        | Cement, Portland, chemicals |
|                           | MA, NJ, PA       | 14808-60-7        | Silica, crystalline quartz  |

**California Proposition 65:** Warning – This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm:  
CAS 14808-60-7: Silica, crystalline quartz.

### Section 16 – Other Information

(Hazard Rating: 0 = Minimal; 1 = Slight; 2 = Moderate; 3 = Serious; 4 = Severe; \* = Chronic)

**HMIS III rating:**

Health: 2\* Flammability: 0 Physical hazard: 0

**Abbreviations and acronyms:**

USDOT: United States Department of Transportation.  
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods.  
IATA: International Air Transport Association.  
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (Division of the American Chemical Society).  
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent.  
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent.

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