

## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1. Product identifier

**Trade name or designation of the mixture** NO. 36 REFRACTORY CEMENT  
**Registration number** -  
**Synonyms** None.  
**Brand Code** 6003, 436C, 429B  
**Issue date** 07-November-2016  
**Version number** 01

### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

**Identified uses** For Industrial Use Only  
**Uses advised against** Users should be informed of the potential presence of respirable dust and respirable crystalline silica as well as their potential hazards. Appropriate training in the proper use and handling of this material should be provided as required under applicable regulations.

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Supplier

**Company name** HarbisonWalker International Limited  
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 UK  
**Division** United Kingdom  
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## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

The mixture has been assessed and/or tested for its physical, health and environmental hazards and the following classification applies.

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 as amended

<b>Health hazards</b>		
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2	H315 - Causes skin irritation.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2	H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.

**Hazard summary** Causes serious eye irritation. Causes skin irritation. Exposure to powder or dusts may be irritating to eyes, nose and throat. Prolonged exposure may cause chronic effects. Occupational exposure to the substance or mixture may cause adverse health effects.

### 2.2. Label elements

#### Label according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 as amended

**Contains:** Mullite

#### Hazard pictograms



**Signal word** Warning

#### Hazard statements

H315 Causes skin irritation.  
 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

## Precautionary statements

### Prevention

P264 Wash thoroughly after handling.  
P280 Wear eye protection/face protection.  
P280 Wear protective gloves.

### Response

P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.  
P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.  
P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.  
P362 + P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

### Storage

Store away from incompatible materials.

### Disposal

Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

### Supplemental label information

None.

### 2.3. Other hazards

None known.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2. Mixtures

#### General information

Chemical name	%	CAS-No. / EC No.	REACH Registration No.	INDEX No.	Notes
Aluminium Oxide (Non-Fibrous)	40 - 60	1344-28-1 215-691-6	01-2119529248-35-0134	-	
<b>Classification:</b>	-				
Mullite	10 - 20	1302-93-8 215-113-2	-	-	
<b>Classification:</b>	-				
Silicic acid, sodium salt	2.5 - 10	1344-09-8 215-687-4	-	-	
<b>Classification:</b>	Skin Irrit. 2;H315, Eye Irrit. 2;H319				

Other components below reportable levels 20 - 40

#### List of abbreviations and symbols that may be used above

#: This substance has been assigned Union workplace exposure limit(s).

M: M-factor

PBT: persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic substance.

vPvB: very persistent and very bioaccumulative substance.

All concentrations are in percent by weight unless ingredient is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume.

#### Composition comments

The full text for all H-statements is displayed in section 16.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### General information

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

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

##### Inhalation

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

##### Skin contact

Remove contaminated clothing. Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

##### Eye contact

Do not rub eyes. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

##### Ingestion

Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes. Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain.

**4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed** Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

**General fire hazards** Not available.

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

**Suitable extinguishing media** Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Not available.

**5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** Not available.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

**Special protective equipment for firefighters** Not available.

**Special fire fighting procedures** Not available.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**For non-emergency personnel** Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

**For emergency responders** Keep unnecessary personnel away. Use personal protection recommended in Section 8 of the SDS.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

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

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up. Collect dust using a vacuum cleaner equipped with HEPA filter. Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk.

Large Spills: Wet down with water and dike for later disposal. Shovel the material into waste container. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Small Spills: Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Minimise dust generation and accumulation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Do not breathe dust. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged exposure. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in original tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Not available.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

## Occupational exposure limits

### UK. EH40 Workplace Exposure Limits (WELs)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Aluminium Oxide (Non-Fibrous) (CAS 1344-28-1)	TWA	4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable dust.
Amorphous silica (CAS 7631-86-9)	TWA	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable dust.
		6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable dust.
Diiron trioxide (CAS 1309-37-1)	STEL	2.4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable dust.
		10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Fume.
Kaolin (CAS 1332-58-7)	TWA	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Fume.
		4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable.
		10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable
Quartz (SiO <sub>2</sub> ) (CAS 14808-60-7)	TWA	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable dust.
Titanium dioxide (CAS 13463-67-7)	TWA	0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable.
		4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable.
		10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Inhalable

### Biological limit values

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

### Recommended monitoring procedures

Follow standard monitoring procedures.

### Derived no effect levels (DNELs)

Not available.

### Predicted no effect concentrations (PNECs)

Not available.

### Exposure guidelines

Occupational exposure to nuisance dust (total and respirable) and respirable crystalline silica should be monitored and controlled. Occupational exposure to nuisance dust (total and respirable) and respirable crystalline silica should be monitored and controlled.

## 8.2. Exposure controls

### 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. If engineering measures are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of dust particulates below the OEL (occupational exposure limit), suitable respiratory protection must be worn. If material is ground, cut, or used in any operation which may generate dusts, use appropriate local exhaust ventilation to keep exposures below the recommended exposure limits. Eye wash facilities and emergency shower must be available when handling this product.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

#### General information

Use personal protective equipment as required. Personal protection equipment should be chosen according to the CEN standards and in discussion with the supplier of the personal protective equipment.

#### Eye/face protection

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

#### Skin protection

##### - Hand protection

Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.

##### - Other

Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing.

#### Respiratory protection

Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits.

#### Thermal hazards

Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.



### Hygiene measures

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.

### Environmental exposure controls

Environmental manager must be informed of all major releases.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### Appearance

<b>Physical state</b>	Solid.
<b>Form</b>	Powder.
<b>Colour</b>	Not available.
<b>Odour</b>	Not available.
<b>Odour threshold</b>	Not available.
<b>pH</b>	Not available.
<b>Melting point/freezing point</b>	Not available.
<b>Initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	Not available.
<b>Flash point</b>	Not available.
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not available.
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not available.

#### Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

<b>Flammability limit - lower (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Flammability limit - upper (%)</b>	Not available.

**Vapour pressure** Not available.

**Vapour density** Not available.

**Relative density** Not available.

#### Solubility(ies)

**Solubility (water)** Not available.

**Solubility (other)** Not available.

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

**Auto-ignition temperature** Not available.

**Decomposition temperature** Not available.

**Viscosity** Not available.

**Explosive properties** Not explosive.

**Oxidising properties** Not oxidising.

**9.2. Other information** No relevant additional information available.

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

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

**10.2. Chemical stability** Material is stable under normal conditions.

**10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

**10.4. Conditions to avoid** Contact with incompatible materials.

**10.5. Incompatible materials** Acids. Fluorine. Chlorine.  
Incompatibility is based strictly upon potential theoretical reactions between chemicals and may not be specific to industrial application exposure.

**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products** No hazardous decomposition products are known.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

**General information** Occupational exposure to the substance or mixture may cause adverse effects.

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

**Inhalation** Dust may irritate respiratory system. Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

**Skin contact** Causes skin irritation.

**Eye contact** Causes serious eye irritation.

**Ingestion** May cause discomfort if swallowed. However, ingestion is not likely to be a primary route of occupational exposure.

**Symptoms** Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes. Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain.

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity** Not known.

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Causes skin irritation.

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation** Causes serious eye irritation.

**Respiratory sensitisation** Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.

**Skin sensitisation** Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.

**Carcinogenicity** In 1997, IARC (the International Agency for Research on Cancer) concluded that crystalline silica inhaled from occupational sources can cause lung cancer in humans. However in making the overall evaluation, IARC noted that "carcinogenicity was not detected in all industrial circumstances studied. Carcinogenicity may be dependent on inherent characteristics of the crystalline silica or on external factors affecting its biological activity or distribution of its polymorphs." (IARC Monographs on the evaluation of the carcinogenic risks of chemicals to humans, Silica, silicates dust and organic fibres, 1997, Vol. 68, IARC, Lyon, France.) In June 2003, SCOEL (the EU Scientific Committee on Occupational Exposure Limits) concluded that the main effect in humans of the inhalation of respirable crystalline silica dust is silicosis. "There is sufficient information to conclude that the relative risk of lung cancer is increased in persons with silicosis (and, apparently, not in employees without silicosis exposed to silica dust in quarries and in the ceramic industry). Therefore, preventing the onset of silicosis will also reduce the cancer risk..." (SCOEL SUM Doc 94-final, June 2003) According to the current state of the art, worker protection against silicosis can be consistently assured by respecting the existing regulatory occupational exposure limits. Occupational exposure to respirable dust and respirable crystalline silica should be monitored and controlled. Risk of cancer cannot be excluded with prolonged exposure.

**Reproductive toxicity** Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure** Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure** Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.

**Aspiration hazard** Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible.

**Mixture versus substance information** No information available.

**Other information** Not available.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

**12.1. Toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met for hazardous to the aquatic environment.

**12.2. Persistence and degradability** No data is available on the degradability of this product.

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential** No data available.

**Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log Kow)** Not available.

**Bioconcentration factor (BCF)** Not available.

**12.4. Mobility in soil** No data available.

**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment** Not available.

**12.6. Other adverse effects** No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

**Residual waste** Not available.

**Contaminated packaging** Not available.

**EU waste code** Not available.

**Disposal methods/information**

This 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.

**SECTION 14: Transport information**

**ADR**

14.1. - 14.6.: Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**RID**

14.1. - 14.6.: Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**ADN**

14.1. - 14.6.: Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IATA**

14.1. - 14.6.: Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IMDG**

14.1. - 14.6.: Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code** Not applicable.

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

**15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

**EU regulations**

**Regulation (EC) No. 2037/2000 on substances that deplete the ozone layer, Annex I**

Not listed.

**Regulation (EC) No. 2037/2000 on substances that deplete the ozone layer, Annex II**

Not listed.

**Regulation (EC) No. 850/2004 on persistent organic pollutants, Annex I**

Not listed.

**Regulation (EU) No. 649/2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, Part 1 as amended**

Not listed.

**Regulation (EU) No. 649/2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, Part 2 as amended**

Not listed.

**Regulation (EU) No. 649/2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, Part 3 as amended**

Not listed.

**Regulation (EU) No. 649/2012 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex V as amended**

Not listed.

**Regulation (EC) No. 166/2006 Annex II Pollutant Release and Transfer Registry**

Not listed.

**Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Article 59(10) Candidate List as currently published by ECHA**

Not listed.

**Authorisations**

**Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Annex XIV Substances subject to authorization, as amended**

Not listed.

**Restrictions on use**

**Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 Annex XVII Substances subject to restriction on marketing and use**

Silicic acid, sodium salt (CAS 1344-09-8)

**Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Annex XIV Substances subject to authorization, as amended**

Not listed.

**Directive 2004/37/EC: on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to carcinogens and mutagens at work**

Not listed.

**Other EU regulations**

**Directive 2012/18/EU on major accident hazards involving dangerous substances, as amended**

Not listed.

<b>Other regulations</b>	The product is classified and labelled in accordance with Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 (CLP Regulation) as amended. This Safety Data Sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, as amended.
<b>National regulations</b>	Follow national regulation for work with chemical agents.
<b>15.2. Chemical safety assessment</b>	No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out.
<b>SECTION 16: Other information</b>	
<b>List of abbreviations</b>	Not available.
<b>References</b>	Not available.
<b>Information on evaluation method leading to the classification of mixture</b>	Not available.
<b>Full text of any H-statements not written out in full under Sections 2 to 15</b>	H315 Causes skin irritation. H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
<b>Revision information</b>	Product and Company Identification: Product and Company Identification Composition / Information on Ingredients: Disclosure Overrides Ecological Information: Ecotoxicity Transport Information: Material Transportation Information GHS: Classification
<b>Training information</b>	Not available.
<b>Disclaimer</b>	This information is based on our present knowledge on creation date. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.