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

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** CRL Silica Free Quartz
- **Product Code:** QZxxxxJSF
- **Registration number** Not applicable; Product is an article.
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
- **Product category** PC0 Other
- **Application of the substance / the mixture**
 - Cladding
 - Flooring
 - Worktops
- **Uses advised against** Any use not specified above.
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Supplier:**
 - C.R. Laurence of Europe
 - Charles Babbage Avenue
 - Kingsway Business Park
 - Rochdale
 - OL16 4NW
 - Tel: +44 (0) 1706 863600
 - Email: crl@crlaurence.co.uk
- **Further information obtainable from:** Product safety department.
- **1.4 Emergency telephone number:**
 - Members of the public seeking specific information on poisons should contact:
 - In England and Wales: NHS 111 - dial 111
 - In Scotland: NHS 24 - dial 111

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to GB-CLP** The product is not classified, according to the GB CLP regulation.
- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to GB-CLP** Not applicable
- **Hazard pictograms** Not applicable
- **Signal word** Not applicable
- **Hazard statements** Not applicable
- **2.3 Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

- **3.2 Mixtures**
- **Description:** The product as supplied is an article. However, on cutting it may release respirable dust.
- **Dangerous components:** Not applicable

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

- **4.1 Description of first aid measures**
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact:**
Check for and remove any contact lenses.
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing:**
Wash mouth out with water
If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- **Information for doctor:** Treat symptomatically and supportively.
- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**
No further relevant information available.
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** Water with full jet
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:**
Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.
Do not inhale explosion gases or combustion gases.
Wear fully protective suit.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Use respiratory protective device against the effects of fumes/dust/aerosol.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Pick up mechanically.
Send for recovery or disposal in suitable receptacles.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**
Do not dry clean dust covered objects and floors. Wash thoroughly with plenty of water.
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.

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- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Store in cool, dry conditions.
- **Storage class:** 13
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**
The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.
- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.
- **8.2 Exposure controls**
- **Appropriate engineering controls** No further data; see section 7.
- **Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**
The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals.
Do not breathe dust
Do not eat or drink while working.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
- **Respiratory protection:**
During dust-raising work: Use respiratory equipment with particle filter, type P2. The use of filtering respirators should be limited to max. 3 hours per day.
- **Hand protection**
The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation
- **Material of gloves**
The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.
- **Penetration time of glove material**
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye/face protection**



Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166.
Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

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· **Body protection:**



Protective work clothing

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

· **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· Physical state	Solid
· Colour:	Various colours
· Odour:	Odourless
· Odour threshold:	Not determined.
· Melting point/freezing point:	Undetermined.
· Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	Undetermined.
· Flammability	Not determined.
· Lower and upper explosion limit	
· Lower:	Not determined.
· Upper:	Not determined.
· Flash point:	Not applicable.
· Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
· pH	Not applicable.
· Viscosity:	
· Kinematic viscosity	Not applicable.
· Dynamic:	Not applicable.
· Solubility	
· water:	Insoluble.
· Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)	Not determined.
· Vapour pressure:	Not applicable.
· Density and/or relative density	
· Density:	Not determined.
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not applicable.

· **9.2 Other information**

· Appearance:	
· Form:	Solid
· Important information on protection of health and environment, and on safety.	
· Ignition temperature:	Product is not self-igniting.
· Explosive properties:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
· Solvent content:	
· Solids content:	100.0 %
· Change in condition	
· Evaporation rate	Not applicable.

· **Information with regard to physical hazard classes**

· Explosives	Not applicable
· Flammable gases	Not applicable

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· Aerosols	Not applicable
· Oxidising gases	Not applicable
· Gases under pressure	Not applicable
· Flammable liquids	Not applicable
· Flammable solids	Not applicable
· Self-reactive substances and mixtures	Not applicable
· Pyrophoric liquids	Not applicable
· Pyrophoric solids	Not applicable
· Self-heating substances and mixtures	Not applicable
· Substances and mixtures, which emit flammable gases in contact with water	Not applicable
· Oxidising liquids	Not applicable
· Oxidising solids	Not applicable
· Organic peroxides	Not applicable
· Corrosive to metals	Not applicable
· Desensitised explosives	Not applicable

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** Strong oxidising agents.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **11.2 Information on other hazards**

- **Endocrine disrupting properties**

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SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties**
The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.
- **12.7 Other adverse effects**
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Recommended Hierarchy of Controls:
 - Minimise waste;
 - Reuse if not contaminated;
 - Recycle, if possible; or
 - Safe disposal (if all else fails).
 Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
 Contact waste processors for recycling information.
 Used, degraded or contaminated product may be classified as hazardous waste. Anyone classifying hazardous waste and determining its fate must be qualified in accordance with state and international legislation.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

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|---|-----------------|
| · 14.1 UN number or ID number
· ADR/RID/ADN, IMDG, IATA | Not applicable |
| · 14.2 UN proper shipping name
· ADR/RID/ADN, IMDG, IATA | Not applicable |
| · 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)
· ADR/RID/ADN, ADN, IMDG, IATA
· Class | Not applicable |
| · 14.4 Packing group
· ADR/RID/ADN, IMDG, IATA | Not applicable |
| · 14.5 Environmental hazards: | Not applicable. |

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| · 14.6 Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| · 14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments | Not applicable. |
| · UN "Model Regulation": | Not applicable |

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

- **Regulated explosives precursors**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Regulated poisons**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Reportable explosives precursors**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Reportable poisons**

None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Control Of Major Accident Hazards Regulations 2015 (COMAH)**
- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** None of the ingredients are listed.
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

This Safety Data Sheet is supplied on a voluntary basis.

- **Department issuing SDS:** Product safety department.

- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

- *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**