

Safety Data Sheet

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

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** ***ROMEX Trass Bed Compound***
- **Application of the substance / the mixture**
Concrete/Mortar admixtures
Binder
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
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2 Hazards identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**
Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.
Eye Dam. 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.
STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.
- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements**
The product is classified and labelled according to the Globally Harmonised System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS05 GHS07

- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**
Cement, portland, chemicals
- **Hazard statements**
Causes skin irritation.
Causes serious eye damage.
May cause respiratory irritation.
- **Precautionary statements**
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Wear protective gloves / eye protection / face protection.
Wash thoroughly after handling.
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.
Continue rinsing.
Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
Specific treatment (see on this label).
IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

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If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.

Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Store locked up.

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **Classification system**

· **NFPA-Ratings for USA:**



Health = 2

Flammability = 0

Reactivity = 0

· **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



Health = 2

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

· **Other hazards**

The product is alkaline

Concentration of soluble chromium(VI) < 0.0002% (annex XVII paragraph 47 of the EC Regulation 1907/2006)

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

· **Chemical characterisation: Mixtures**

· **Description:** Ready-to-use mortar containing Portland cement

· **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 65997-15-1

EINECS: 266-043-4

Cement, portland, chemicals

50-100%

· **Additional information** For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

4 First aid measures

· **Description of first aid measures**

· **General information**

Instantly remove any clothing soiled by the product.

Take affected persons into the open air.

· **After inhalation** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of symptoms.

· **After skin contact**

Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

In cases of strong skin irritation, consult a doctor.

· **After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult doctor.

· **After swallowing**

Rinse the mouth with water immediately

Do not induce vomiting; instantly call for medical help.

· **Information for doctor** No particular measures are known - treat according to symptoms.

· **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.

· **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No further relevant information available.

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5 Firefighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents**
The product is not flammable
Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents** Not applicable
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
- **Additional information**
Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.
Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter drains.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Wear protective clothing.
Avoid contact with eyes and skin.
- **Environmental precautions:**
Do not allow product to reach sewage system or water bodies.
Do not allow to enter the ground/soil.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Collect mechanically.
Avoid causing dust.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **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 information on disposal.
- **Protective Action Criteria for Chemicals**

· PAC-1:
None of the ingredients is listed.

· PAC-2:
None of the ingredients is listed.

· PAC-3:
None of the ingredients is listed.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling**
- **Precautions for safe handling**
The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals must be observed.
Prevent formation of dust.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** The product is not flammable
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers:** Store only in unopened original containers.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Store away from foodstuffs.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Protect from humidity and keep away from water.
- **Storage class** 13

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· **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

· **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.

· **Control parameters**

· **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

CAS: 65997-15-1 Cement, portland, chemicals (50-100%)

PEL Long-term value: 50 mppcf or 15* 5** mg/m³
*total dust **respirable fraction

REL Long-term value: 10* 5** mg/m³
*total dust **respirable fraction

TLV Long-term value: 1* mg/m³
E; *as respirable fraction

· **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the compilation were used as basis.

· **Exposure controls**

· **Personal protective equipment**

· **General protective and hygienic measures**

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and food.

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing

Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

· **Breathing equipment:**

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use breathing filter apparatus. In case of intensive or longer exposure use breathing apparatus that is independent of circulating air.

· **Recommended filter device for short term use:**



Filter P2

· **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves.

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**

Nitrile rubber, NBR

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** Value for the permeation: Level ≤ 6

· **As protection from splashes gloves made of the following materials are suitable:** Nitrile rubber, NBR

· **Not suitable are gloves made of the following materials:**

Leather gloves

Strong gloves

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· **Eye protection:**

Tightly sealed safety glasses.

· **Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

9 Physical and chemical properties

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**· **General Information**· **Appearance:**

· Form:	Powder
· Colour:	Grey
· Odour:	Odourless
· Odour threshold:	Not determined.

· **pH-value at 20 °C (68 °F):** >12· **Change in condition**

· Melting point/freezing point:	Not determined
· Initial boiling point and boiling range:	Not determined

· **Flash point:** Not applicable· **Inflammability (solid, gaseous)** Not determined.· **Ignition temperature:**· **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.· **Self-inflammability:** Product is not selfigniting.· **Explosive properties:** Product is not explosive.· **Critical values for explosion:**

· Lower:	Not determined.
· Upper:	Not determined.

· **Vapour pressure:** Not applicable.

· Density	Not determined
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not applicable.
· Evaporation rate	Not applicable.

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**· **Water:** Fully miscible· **Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:** Not determined.· **Viscosity:**

· dynamic:	Not applicable.
· kinematic:	Not applicable.

· **Solvent content:**· **Organic solvents:** 0.0 %· **Other information** No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

· **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.

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- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** Reacts with light alloys in the presence of moisture to form hydrogen
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** none, if stored and handled correctly.

11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity**

- **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

CAS: 65997-15-1 Cement, portland, chemicals

Dermal	LD50	2000 mg/kg (rab)
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- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation** Strong irritant with the danger of severe eye injury.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
The product shows the following dangers according to the calculation method of the General EC Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version:
Irritant

- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behaviour in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Ecotoxicological effects:** Not determined
- **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 bodies or sewage system.
Must not reach sewage water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralised.
Rinse off of bigger amounts into drains or the aquatic environment may lead to increased pH-values. A high pH-value harms aquatic organisms. In the dilution of the use-level the pH-value is considerably reduced, so that after the use of the product the aqueous waste, emptied into drains, is only low water-dangerous.
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

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· **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

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13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation** Must be specially treated under adherence to official regulations.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport information

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| · UN-Number | |
| · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | not regulated |
| · UN proper shipping name | |
| · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | not regulated |
| · Transport hazard class(es) | |
| · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | |
| · Class | not regulated |
| · Packing group | |
| · DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA | not regulated |
| · Environmental hazards: | Not applicable. |
| · Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| · Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code | Not applicable. |
| · Transport/Additional information: | Not dangerous according to the above specifications. |
| · UN "Model Regulation": | not regulated |

15 Regulatory information

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

· **New Jersey Right-to-Know List:**

All ingredients are listed.

· **New Jersey Special Hazardous Substance List:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Pennsylvania Right-to-Know List:**

All ingredients are listed.

· **Pennsylvania Special Hazardous Substance List:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

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· **MAK (German Maximum Workplace Concentration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **GHS label elements**

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· **Hazard pictograms**



GHS05 GHS07

· **Signal word** *Danger*

· **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**

Cement, portland, chemicals

· **Hazard statements**

Causes skin irritation.

Causes serious eye damage.

May cause respiratory irritation.

· **Precautionary statements**

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Wear protective gloves / eye protection / face protection.

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Continue rinsing.

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IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.

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Store locked up.

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **Directive 2012/18/EU**

· **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** None of the ingredients is listed.

· **National regulations**

· **Technical instructions (air):**

· **VOC USA** % 0,0 %

· **Water hazard class:** Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

· **Sara**

· **Section 355 (Extremely hazardous substances):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

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· **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information

These data are based on our present knowledge. However, they shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· **Department issuing data specification sheet:**

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· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

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)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

MAL-Code: Måleteknisk Arbejdshygiejnisk Luftbehov (Regulation for the labeling concerning inhalation hazards, Denmark)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety

OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2

Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1

STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 3

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