ARDEX K 523
by ARDEX Engineered Cements

Health Product Declaration v2.2
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HPD UNIQUE IDENTIFIER: 23436
CLASSIFICATION: 03 54 16 Hydraulic Cement Underlayment
PRODUCT DESCRIPTION: ARDEX K 523™ is a pourable, polishable, self-leveling topping for fast-track resurfacing of indoor concrete. ARDEX K 523 can be installed from a minimum thickness of 3/8″ (9 mm) up to a maximum thickness of 2″ (5 cm). With black and white aggregates, ARDEX K 523 provides a polished, “aggregate-exposed” surface. Polishing can proceed in as little as 24 hours.

Section 1: Summary

Basic Method / Product Threshold

CONTENT INVENTORY

Inventory Reporting Format
- ○ Nested Materials Method
- ◉ Basic Method

Threshold Disclosed Per
- ○ Material
- ◉ Product

Threshold level
- ○ 100 ppm
- ◉ 1,000 ppm
- ○ Per GHS SDS
- ○ Other

Residuals/Impurities
- ◉ Considered
- ○ Partially Considered
- ○ Not Considered

Explanation(s) provided for Residuals/Impurities?
- ◉ Yes ○ No

All Substances Above the Threshold Indicated Are:

Characterized ○ Yes Ex/SC ◉ Yes ○ No
% weight and role provided for all substances.

Screened ○ Yes Ex/SC ◉ Yes ○ No
All substances screened using Priority Hazard Lists with results disclosed.

Identified ○ Yes Ex/SC ◉ Yes ○ No
All substances disclosed by Name (Specific or Generic) and Identifier.

CONTENT IN DESCENDING ORDER OF QUANTITY

Summary of product contents and results from screening individual chemical substances against HPD Priority Hazard Lists and the GreenScreen for Safer Chemicals®. The HPD does not assess whether using or handling this product will expose individuals to its chemical substances or any health risk. Refer to Section 2 for further details.

MATERIAL | SUBSTANCE | *RESIDUAL OR IMPURITY*
GREENSCREEN SCORE | HAZARD TYPE

ARDEX K 523 [QUARTZ LT-1 | CAN HIGH-ALUMINA CEMENT LT-UNK LIMESTONE; CALCIUM CARBONATE LT-UNK CALCIUM SULFATE, 1_2-HYDRATE, POWDER LT-UNK ETHYLENE VINYL ACETATE POLYMER (EVA) LT-UNK PORTLAND CEMENT LT-P1 | END | CAN]

Number of Greenscreen BM-4/BM3 contents ... 0

Contents highest concern GreenScreen Benchmark or List translator Score ... LT-1

Nanomaterial ... No

INVENTORY AND SCREENING NOTES:

The exact percentages of the ingredients are withheld by the manufacturer for proprietary purposes.

VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUND (VOC) CONTENT

VOC Content data is not applicable for this product category.

CERTIFICATIONS AND COMPLIANCE *See Section 3 for additional listings.*

VOC emissions: UL/GreenGuard Gold Certified

CONSISTENCY WITH OTHER PROGRAMS

Pre-checked for LEED v4 Material Ingredients Option 1

Third Party Verified?
- ○ Yes
- ◉ No

PREPARER: Self-Prepared
VERIFIER:
VERIFICATION #:

SCREENING DATE: 2020-03-13
PUBLISHED DATE: 2021-01-18
EXPIRY DATE: 2023-03-13

Section 2: Content in Descending Order of Quantity

This section lists contents in a product based on specific threshold(s) and reports detailed health information including hazards. This HPD uses the inventory method indicated above, which is one of three possible methods:

- *Basic Inventory method with Product-level threshold.*
- *Nested Material Inventory method with Product-level threshold*
- *Nested Material Inventory method with individual Material-level thresholds*

Definitions and requirements for the three inventory methods and requirements for each data field can be found in the HPD Open Standard version 2.2, available on the HPDC website at: www.hpd-collaborative.org/hpd-2-2-standard

ARDEX K 523

PRODUCT THRESHOLD: 1000 ppm RESIDUALS AND IMPURITIES CONSIDERED: Yes

RESIDUALS AND IMPURITIES NOTES: ARDEX uses quarry-extracted ingredients, such as quartz, cement, limestone, and gypsum. As a result, suppliers of these ingredients indicate that raw materials may contain residual earthen material, such as sand, in extremely small quantities. These materials are listed on suppliers' Safety Data Sheets (SDS) and they are accounted for on the Safety Data Sheets of ARDEX products.

OTHER PRODUCT NOTES:

QUARTZ ID: 14808-60-7

HAZARD SCREENING METHOD: **Pharos Chemical and Materials Library** HAZARD SCREENING DATE: **2020-03-13**

%: **30.0000 - 60.0000** GS: **LT-1** RC: **None** NANO: **No** SUBSTANCE ROLE: **Filler**

HAZARD TYPE	AGENCY AND LIST TITLES	WARNINGS
CAN	IARC	Group 1 - Agent is Carcinogenic to humans
CAN	US CDC - Occupational Carcinogens	Occupational Carcinogen
CAN	CA EPA - Prop 65	Carcinogen - specific to chemical form or exposure route
CAN	IARC	Group 1 - Agent is carcinogenic to humans - inhaled from occupational sources
CAN	US NIH - Report on Carcinogens	Known to be Human Carcinogen (respirable size - occupational setting)
CAN	MAK	Carcinogen Group 1 - Substances that cause cancer in man
CAN	GHS - New Zealand	6.7A - Known or presumed human carcinogens
CAN	GHS - Japan	Carcinogenicity - Category 1A [H350]
CAN	GHS - Australia	H350i - May cause cancer by inhalation

SUBSTANCE NOTES: The exact percentages of the blended cements, additives, and aggregates are withheld by the manufacturer as trade secrets.

HIGH-ALUMINA CEMENT ID: 65997-16-2

HAZARD SCREENING METHOD: **Pharos Chemical and Materials Library** HAZARD SCREENING DATE: **2020-03-13**

%: **10.0000 - 30.0000** GS: **LT-UNK** RC: **None** NANO: **No** SUBSTANCE ROLE: **Binder**

HAZARD TYPE	AGENCY AND LIST TITLES	WARNINGS
None found		No warnings found on HPD Priority Hazard Lists

SUBSTANCE NOTES: The exact percentages of the blended cements, additives, and aggregates are withheld by the manufacturer as trade secrets.

LIMESTONE; CALCIUM CARBONATE

ID: 1317-65-3

HAZARD SCREENING METHOD: **Pharos Chemical and Materials Library** HAZARD SCREENING DATE: **2020-03-13**

%: **10.0000 - 30.0000** GS: **LT-UNK** RC: **None** NANO: **No** SUBSTANCE ROLE: **Filler**

HAZARD TYPE	AGENCY AND LIST TITLES	WARNINGS
None found		No warnings found on HPD Priority Hazard Lists

SUBSTANCE NOTES: The exact percentages of the blended cements, additives, and aggregates are withheld by the manufacturer as trade secrets.

CALCIUM SULFATE, 1_2-HYDRATE, POWDER

ID: 7778-18-9

HAZARD SCREENING METHOD: **Pharos Chemical and Materials Library** HAZARD SCREENING DATE: **2020-03-13**

%: **5.0000 - 10.0000** GS: **LT-UNK** RC: **None** NANO: **No** SUBSTANCE ROLE: **Binder**

HAZARD TYPE	AGENCY AND LIST TITLES	WARNINGS
None found		No warnings found on HPD Priority Hazard Lists

SUBSTANCE NOTES: 7778-18-9

ETHYLENE VINYL ACETATE POLYMER (EVA)

ID: 24937-78-8

HAZARD SCREENING METHOD: **Pharos Chemical and Materials Library** HAZARD SCREENING DATE: **2020-03-13**

%: **1.0000 - 5.0000** GS: **LT-UNK** RC: **None** NANO: **No** SUBSTANCE ROLE: **Viscosity modifier**

HAZARD TYPE	AGENCY AND LIST TITLES	WARNINGS
None found		No warnings found on HPD Priority Hazard Lists

SUBSTANCE NOTES: 7778-18-9

PORTLAND CEMENT

ID: 65997-15-1

HAZARD SCREENING METHOD: **Pharos Chemical and Materials Library** HAZARD SCREENING DATE: **2020-03-13**

%: **1.0000 - 5.0000** GS: **LT-P1** RC: **None** NANO: **No** SUBSTANCE ROLE: **Binder**

HAZARD TYPE	AGENCY AND LIST TITLES	WARNINGS
END	TEDX - Potential Endocrine Disruptors	Potential Endocrine Disruptor
CAN	MAK	Carcinogen Group 3B - Evidence of carcinogenic effects but not sufficient for classification

SUBSTANCE NOTES: The exact percentages of the ingredients have been withheld by the manufacturer as trade secrets.

Section 3: Certifications and Compliance

This section lists applicable certification and standards compliance information for VOC emissions and VOC content. Other types of health or environmental performance testing or certifications completed for the product may be provided.

VOC EMISSIONS — **UL/GreenGuard Gold Certified**

CERTIFYING PARTY: Third Party
APPLICABLE FACILITIES: All ARDEX manufacturing facilities.
CERTIFICATE URL: https://spot.ul.com/main-app/products/detail/5fe8f5e5bb5338e72ba021ec?page_type=Products%20Catalog

ISSUE DATE: 2020-10-05

EXPIRY DATE:

CERTIFIER OR LAB: UL Environment

CERTIFICATION AND COMPLIANCE NOTES:

Section 4: Accessories

This section lists related products or materials that the manufacturer requires or recommends for installation (such as adhesives or fasteners), maintenance, cleaning, or operations. For information relating to the contents of these related products, refer to their applicable Health Product Declarations, if available.

WATER — HPD URL: **No HPD Available**

CONDITION WHEN RECOMMENDED OR REQUIRED AND/OR OTHER NOTES:
Mix each bag of ARDEX K 521 with clean, potable water in accordance with the technical data sheet.

Section 5: General Notes

Refer to the GHS Formatted Safety Data Sheet (SDS) and the Technical Data Sheet for additional information regarding the proper mixing and application of this product. Information can be found at www.ardexamericas.com.

Section 6: References

MANUFACTURER INFORMATION

MANUFACTURER: **ARDEX Engineered Cements**
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KEY

Hazard Types

AQU Aquatic toxicity
CAN Cancer
DEV Developmental toxicity
END Endocrine activity
EYE Eye irritation/corrosivity
GEN Gene mutation
GLO Global warming
LAN Land toxicity
MAM Mammalian/systemic/organ toxicity
MUL Multiple
NEU Neurotoxicity
NF Not found on Priority Hazard Lists
OZO Ozone depletion
PBT Persistent, bioaccumulative, and toxic
PHY Physical hazard (flammable or reactive)
REP Reproductive
RES Respiratory sensitization
SKI Skin sensitization/irritation/corrosivity
UNK Unknown

GreenScreen (GS)

BM-4 Benchmark 4 (prefer-safer chemical)
BM-3 Benchmark 3 (use but still opportunity for improvement)
BM-2 Benchmark 2 (use but search for safer substitutes)
BM-1 Benchmark 1 (avoid - chemical of high concern)
BM-U Benchmark Unspecified (due to insufficient data)
LT-P1 List Translator Possible 1 (Possible Benchmark-1)
LT-1 List Translator 1 (Likely Benchmark-1)
LT-UNK List Translator Benchmark Unknown (the chemical is present on at least one GreenScreen Specified List, but the information contained within the list did not result in a clear mapping to a LT-1 or LTP1 score.)
NoGS No GreenScreen.

Recycled Types

PreC Pre-consumer recycled content
PostC Post-consumer recycled content
UNK Inclusion of recycled content is unknown
None Does not include recycled content

Other Terms:

GHS SDS Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals Safety Data Sheet

Inventory Methods:

Nested Method / Material Threshold Substances listed within each material per threshold indicated per material
Nested Method / Product Threshold Substances listed within each material per threshold indicated per product
Basic Method / Product Threshold Substances listed individually per threshold indicated per product

Nano Composed of nano scale particles or nanotechnology
Third Party Verified Verification by independent certifier approved by HPDC
Preparer Third party preparer, if not self-prepared by manufacturer
Applicable facilities Manufacturing sites to which testing applies

The Health Product Declaration (HPD) Open Standard provides for the disclosure of product contents and potential associated human and environmental health hazards. Hazard associations are based on the HPD Priority Hazard Lists, the GreenScreen List Translator™, and when available, full GreenScreen® assessments. The HPD Open Standard v2.1 is not:

- *a method for the assessment of exposure or risk associated with product handling or use,*
- *a method for assessing potential health impacts of: (i) substances used or created during the manufacturing process or (ii) substances created after the product is delivered for end use.*

Information about life cycle, exposure and/or risk assessments performed on the product may be reported by the manufacturer in appropriate Notes sections, and/or, where applicable, in the Certifications section.

The HPD Open Standard was created and is supported by the Health Product Declaration Collaborative (the HPD Collaborative), a customer-led organization composed of stakeholders throughout the building industry that is committed to the continuous improvement of building products through transparency, openness, and innovation throughout the product supply chain.

The product manufacturer and any applicable independent verifier are solely responsible for the accuracy of statements and claims made in this HPD and for compliance with the HPD standard noted.