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## PRODUCT/ COMPANY INFORMATION

**Product Name:** Coante

**Areas of Usage:** Coante is designed for flooring, cladding, kitchen-bathroom countertops, stairs and other similar applications.

**Company Name:** Ermaş Madencilik Turizm Sanayi ve Ticaret A.Ş.

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## HAZARD DEFINITIONS

Coante finished products are not harmful to health. However, crystalline silica powder (SiO<sub>2</sub>), which occurs in fabrication and / or installation operations (such as cutting, grinding and polishing), can pose a health risk on respiratory system and lungs due to prolonged and repeated inhalation.



H372 Causes damage to respiratory system and organs through prolonged or repeated exposure through inhalation.

P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

P264 Wash your hands after use.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P284 Wear respiratory protective equipment.



P314 Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

P501 Dispose according to the relevant local regulations.

## COMPOSITION INFORMATION

Raw Material	CAS #	By Weight (%)
Crystalline silica and quartz	14808-60-7	70-93
Crystoballite	14464-46-1	70
Polyester resin	NA	7-15
Soda-lime glass	NA	0-17
Other additives*	NA	≤ 5
Titanium dioxide	13463-67-7	≤ 5
Inorganic pigments	NA	≤ 5

\*Special formulation compounds used for bonding, accelerating and hardening during the manufacturing process of Coante slabs.

## FIRST AID MEASURES

This section mentions the measures that can be taken for crystalline silica powder ( $\text{SiO}_2$ ), which occurs in manufacturing and / or installations operations (such as cutting, grinding and polishing).

**Inhalation:** Take the person to fresh air. Seek medical help if coughing and other symptoms do not subside.

**Contact with skin:** Wash the contacted area. There is no risk of skin contact.

**Contact with eyes:** Immediately wash the eye thoroughly with water. If irritation persists seek medical attention.

**Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting. If conscious, have the victim drink plenty of water and call a doctor if discomfort is experienced.

## FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

**Fire Resistance Category:** Bfl, s1

**Extinguishing Media:** Water, Dry Chemical,  $\text{CO}_2$  and Foam

**Fire Fighting Procedures:** Keep personnel away and upwind of fire. Use protective equipment specially manufactured for fire.

## ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

There is no release of exposures. However, dust and other components occurring during the manufacturing and installations stages should be removed with suitable filtration methods.

## HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Safe Handling:** Coante slabs do not need special measures for handling. However, gloves, safety shoes, helmet, safety glasses and equipment that comply with occupational safety and health regulations should be used for handling.

**Storage:** It should be stored safely in a suitable closed and surrounded environment. Product should not be exposed to impact directly.

## TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Coante finished products are not harmful to health. However, crystalline silica powder ( $\text{SiO}_2$ ), which occurs in production and / or assembly operations (such as cutting, grinding and polishing), can pose a health risk.

**Emergency call:** 114 (only in Turkey) National Poison Information Service

## STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Chemical Stability:** Coante products are chemically stable at room temperature and storage conditions.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Low hydrocarbon emissions may occur when exposed to temperatures of  $150^\circ\text{C}$  and above. Fume and dust may occur.

## EXPOSURE CONTROLS/ PERSONAL PROTECTION

Coante finished products are not harmful to health. However, crystalline silica powder ( $\text{SiO}_2$ ), which occurs in manufacturing and / or installation operations (such as cutting, grinding and polishing), can pose a health risk. The resulting dust should not exceed personal exposure limits according to the relevant legislation. Dusts that may occur in the working environment should be removed with suitable HEPA filters. When processing the products, equipment that can provide measures to reduce dust output should be used. Cutting should be done via machinery and tools involving the use of water.

### Permissible Exposure Limit

Personal exposure limits are given in local legislation R.G 05.11.2013:28812 (Anti-dust regulation) which is prepared according to the OSHA 1910.1000 standard. For the other countries local regulations should be checked.

### Personal Protection

Respiratory protection: Appropriate equipment should be used according to EN 143: 2000+ AC: 2002 standard

Eye/Face Protection: Appropriate equipment should be used according to EN 166: 2001 and OSHA 1910.133 standards.

Skin Protection: Appropriate equipment should be used according to the EN388: 2003 standard.

Exposure Limits		(TWA, Time-weighted average)
Quartz (Respirable)		$\frac{10\text{mg}/\text{m}^3}{\% \text{SiO}_2 + 2}$
Quartz (Total)		$\frac{30\text{mg}/\text{m}^3}{\% \text{SiO}_2 + 2}$
Cristoballite: $\frac{1}{2}$ of the quartz value calculated with the formula is used.		
Tridymite: $\frac{1}{2}$ of the quartz value calculated with the formula is used.		

## PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical Appearance	Solid
Appearance	Colored engineered stone
Odor	Odorless
pH	Not applicable
Apparent Density	2.27-2.40 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Water Solubility	not soluble
Melting / Boiling Point	not applicable
Vapor Pressure	not applicable
% Volatiles	not applicable
Viscosity	not applicable
Flash Point	not applicable
Flammable Limits in Air (% by Volume)	not applicable
Auto-ignition Temperature	not applicable
Decomposition Temperature	not applicable

## ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Coante products do not harm the environment. Coante products have GREENGUARD GOLD certificate since they do not have volatile organic compound emissions to the environment.

## DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Must be disposed according to local legislation R.G 02.04.2015:29314. Local legislation must be considered for other countries.

## LEGISLATION INFORMATION

This document has been prepared according to R.G.13.12.2014: 29204 regulation.

## TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

Coante product is not classified as dangerous according to aerial, land and sea transport regulations.

Road and rail (ADR/RID) /IMO/ICAO /US DOT	Not restricted
Sea transport IMDG/IMO	Not restricted
Air transport ICAO/IATA	Not restricted

ADR: The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road  
RID: The Regulation concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail  
IMO: International Maritime Organization  
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization  
US DOT: United States Department of Transportation  
IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods  
IATA: International Air Transport Association

### OTHER INFORMATION

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