



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of: REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, as retained in UK law by (SI 2019/758 as amended)

**BOSTIK RAPID SETTING CEMENT**  
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## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1. Product identifier

Product Name BOSTIK RAPID SETTING CEMENT

Pure substance/mixture Mixture

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

Recommended use Building and construction work

Uses advised against None known

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

#### Company Name

Bostik Limited  
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ST16 3EH  
Stafford UK  
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E-mail address SDS.box-EU@bostik.com

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

United Kingdom Bostik: +44 (1785) 272650 (9am to 5pm Mon-Fri)  
NHS: 111

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GB CLP (SI 2020/1567 as amended)

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2 - (H315)
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1 - (H318)
Skin sensitisation	Category 1 - (H317)
Specific target organ toxicity — single exposure	Category 3 - (H335)

### 2.2. Label elements

Contains Portland Cement



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**Signal word**  
Danger

## Hazard statements

H315 - Causes skin irritation.  
H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction.  
H318 - Causes serious eye damage.  
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation.

## Precautionary Statements - EU (§28, 1272/2008)

P101 - If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand  
P102 - Keep out of reach of children  
P261 - Avoid breathing dust  
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area  
P280 - Wear protective gloves and eye/face protection  
P302 + P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap  
P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor  
P333 + P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention  
P362 + P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse  
P405 - Store locked up  
P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

## Additional information

Cement product for which the amount of chromium VI was decreased to < 0,0002 % by a reduction agent (related to the total dry weight).

## 2.3. Other hazards

When cement reacts with water a strong alkaline solution is produced. Prolonged contact with wet cement or wet concrete may cause serious burns because they develop without pain being felt e.g. when kneeling in wet cement even when wearing trousers. Frequent inhalation of large quantities of cement dust over a long period of time increases the risk of developing lung disease. Product dust may be irritating to eyes, skin and respiratory system. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

## PBT & vPvB

This mixture contains no substance considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating or toxic (PBT). This mixture contains no substance considered to be very persistent nor very bioaccumulating (vPvB).

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Not applicable

### 3.2 Mixtures

Chemical name	EC No (EU Index No)	CAS No	Weight-%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]	Specific concentration limit (SCL)	REACH registration number
Portland Cement	266-043-4	65997-15-1	40 - <80	STOT SE 3 (H335) Skin Irrit. 2 (H315) Eye Dam. 1 (H318) Skin Sens. 1 (H317)	-	[5]

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Quartz	238-878-4	14808-60-7	>25 - <40	[B]	-	[5]
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NOTE [5] - This substance is exempted from registration according to the provisions of Article 2(7)(a) and Annex V of REACH

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP] - Notes  
[B] - Substance with a Community workplace exposure limit

**Full text of H- and EUH-phrases: see section 16**

This product does not contain candidate substances of very high concern at a concentration  $\geq 0.1\%$  (Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 59)

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

<b>General advice</b>	If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Do not rub affected area. Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Consult an ophthalmologist.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Brush off loose particles from skin. Remove material from skin immediately. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Rinse mouth. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a doctor.
<b>Self-protection of the first aider</b>	Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8).

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

<b>Symptoms</b>	Burning sensation. Itching. Rashes. Hives. Causes serious eye damage. Irritating to skin. Inhalation of dust in high concentration may cause irritation of respiratory system. When cement reacts with water a strong alkaline solution is produced. Prolonged contact with wet cement or wet concrete may cause serious burns because they develop without pain being felt e.g. when kneeling in wet cement even when wearing trousers.
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### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

<b>Note to doctors</b>	May cause sensitisation in susceptible persons. Treat symptomatically.
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## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

<b>Suitable Extinguishing Media</b>	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>	Full water jet.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

<b>Specific hazards arising from the</b>	Product is or contains a sensitiser. May cause sensitisation by skin contact.
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## 5.3. Advice for firefighters

**Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters** Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

**Personal precautions** Avoid generation of dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required.

**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

**For emergency responders** Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** Prevent product from entering drains. Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil.

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

**Methods for containment** Cover powder spill with plastic sheet or tarp to minimise spreading and keep powder dry. Prevent dust cloud.

**Methods for cleaning up** Do not dry sweep dust. Wet dust with water before sweeping or use a vacuum to collect dust. Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE). Carefully shovel or sweep up spilled material and place in suitable container. Avoid generating dust.

**Prevention of secondary hazards** Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

**Reference to other sections** See section 8 for more information. See section 13 for more information.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on safe handling** Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid generation of dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protection equipment. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

**General hygiene considerations** Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

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

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store locked up. Keep out of the reach of children. Keep the packing dry and well sealed to prevent contamination and absorption of humidity.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

**Specific use(s)**  
Building and construction work.

**Risk Management Methods (RMM)** The information required is contained in this Safety Data Sheet.

**Other information** Observe technical data sheet.

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Exposure Limits

Chemical name	European Union	United Kingdom
Portland Cement 65997-15-1	-	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 30 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 12 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Quartz 14808-60-7	TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 0.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Dust RR-12364-8	-	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 30 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 12 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) No information available

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

### 8.2. Exposure controls

**Engineering controls** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Vapours/aerosols must be exhausted directly at the point of origin.

#### Personal protective equipment

##### Eye/face protection

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles). Eye protection must conform to standard EN 166.

##### Hand protection

Wear protective gloves. Gloves must conform to standard EN 374. Ensure that the breakthrough time of the glove material is not exceeded. Refer to glove supplier for information on breakthrough time for specific gloves. The breakthrough time of the gloves depends on the material and the thickness as well as the temperature. For operations where prolonged or repeated skin contact may occur, impervious gloves should be worn. Gloves should be replaced regularly and if there is any sign of damage to the glove material. Gloves made of plastic or rubber.

##### Skin and body protection

Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear appropriate personal protective clothing to prevent skin contact.

##### Respiratory protection

No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required. Avoid generation of dust. Possible nuisance dust.

##### Recommended filter type:

Wear a respirator conforming to EN 140 with Type P2/P3 filter or better.

Environmental exposure controls No information available.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

**Physical state** Solid  
**Appearance** Powder  
**Colour** Grey  
**Odour** No information available.  
**Odour threshold** No information available

**Property** **Values** **Remarks • Method**  
**Melting point / freezing point** Not applicable . °C

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<b>Initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	Not applicable . °C	
<b>Flammability</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Flammability Limit in Air</b>		None known
<b>Upper flammability or explosive limits</b>	No data available	
<b>Lower flammability or explosive limits</b>	No data available	
<b>Flash point</b>	Not applicable . °C	
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>		None known
<b>pH</b>	No data available	
<b>pH (as aqueous solution)</b>	13	solution (25 %)
<b>Kinematic viscosity</b>	Not applicable . mm <sup>2</sup> /s	
<b>Dynamic viscosity</b>	.	
<b>Water solubility</b>	No data available. Cement based products react and solidify in contact with water	
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Partition coefficient</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Vapour pressure</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Relative density</b>	1.5	
<b>Bulk Density</b>	No data available	
<b>Density</b>	No data available	
<b>Relative vapour density</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Particle characteristics</b>		
<b>Particle Size</b>	No information available	
<b>Particle Size Distribution</b>	No information available	
<b>9.2. Other information</b>		
<b>Solid content (%)</b>	100	
<b>Softening Point</b>	Not relevant	
<b>VOC content</b>		No data available

9.2.1. Information with regards to physical hazard classes  
Not applicable

9.2.2. Other safety characteristics  
No information available Not applicable .

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### **10.1. Reactivity**

**Reactivity** Product cures with moisture.

### **10.2. Chemical stability**

**Stability** Keep away from Incompatible materials. Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### **Explosion data**

**Sensitivity to mechanical impact** None.

**Sensitivity to static discharge** None.

### **10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions**

**Possibility of hazardous reactions** None under normal processing.

### **10.4. Conditions to avoid**

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**Conditions to avoid** Product cures with moisture.

## 10.5. Incompatible materials

**Incompatible materials** Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidising agents. Acids. Aluminium.

## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

**Hazardous decomposition products** None under normal use conditions. Stable under recommended storage conditions.

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### 11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

##### Product Information

<b>Inhalation</b>	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes serious eye damage. May cause irreversible damage to eyes.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause sensitisation by skin contact. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause allergic reactions with susceptible persons. (based on components). Causes skin irritation.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

#### Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

**Symptoms** Redness. Burning. May cause blindness. Itching. Rashes. Hives. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes.

#### Acute toxicity

##### Numerical measures of toxicity

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

ATEmix (oral)	>5000 mg/kg
ATEmix (dermal)	>5000 mg/kg
ATEmix (inhalation-gas)	>20000 ppm
ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)	>5 mg/l
ATEmix (inhalation-vapour)	>20 mg/l

##### Component Information

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Portland Cement	LD50 >2000 mg/Kg (Rattus)	LD50 >2000 mg/Kg	-
Quartz	>2000 mg/kg (Rattus)	-	-

#### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes skin irritation.

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<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes burns. Causes serious eye damage.
<b>Respiratory or skin sensitisation</b>	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>STOT - single exposure</b>	May cause respiratory irritation.
<b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

## 11.2. Information on other hazards

### 11.2.1. Endocrine disrupting properties

**Endocrine disrupting properties** No information available.

### 11.2.2. Other information

**Other adverse effects** No information available.

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### 12.1. Toxicity

**Ecotoxicity**

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

**Persistence and degradability** No information available.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** There is no data for this product.

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

**Mobility in soil** No information available.

### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

**PBT and vPvB assessment** The product does not contain any substance(s) classified as PBT or vPvB above the

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threshold of declaration.

## 12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

Endocrine disrupting properties No information available.

## 12.7. Other adverse effects

No information available.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations as applicable.
Contaminated packaging	Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the product itself.
European Waste Catalogue	17 09 04 mixed construction and demolition wastes other than those mentioned in 17 09 01, 17 09 02 and 17 09 03 10 13 06 particulates and dust (except 10 13 12 and 10 13 13) Cured product can be treated as construction waste. In the management of larger quantities consult with local authorities and local waste disposal company 10 13 14 waste concrete and concrete sludge
Other information	Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### Land transport (ADR/RID)

14.1 UN number or ID number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not regulated
14.5 Environmental hazards	Not applicable
14.6 Special precautions for user	
Special Provisions	None

### IMDG

14.1 UN number or ID number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not regulated
14.5 Marine pollutant	NP
14.6 Special precautions for user	
Special Provisions	None
14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments	
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code	Not applicable

### Air transport (ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR)

14.1 UN number or ID number	Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4 Packing group	Not regulated
14.5 Environmental hazards	Not applicable

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**14.6 Special precautions for user**  
Special Provisions None

## Section 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

#### European Union

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

Check whether measures in accordance with Directive 94/33/EC for the protection of young people at work must be taken.

Take note of Directive 92/85/EC on the protection of pregnant and breastfeeding women at work

#### Registration, Evaluation, Authorization, and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) Regulation (EC 1907/2006)

##### SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation:

This product does not contain candidate substances of very high concern at a concentration  $\geq 0.1\%$  (Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 59)

##### EU-REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Substances subject to Restriction

This product contains one or more substance(s) subject to restriction (Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), Annex XVII).

Chemical name	CAS No	Restricted substance per REACH Annex XVII
Portland Cement	65997-15-1	47.

**47** where product supplied with reducing agent the packaging must be marked with the storage conditions and storage period appropriate to maintaining the activity of the reducing agent to keep the content of soluble chromium VI below 2mg/Kg.

##### Substance subject to authorisation per REACH Annex XIV

This product does not contain substances subject to authorisation (Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), Annex XIV)

##### Ozone-depleting substances (ODS) regulation (EC) 1005/2009

Not applicable

##### Persistent Organic Pollutants

Not applicable

#### National regulations

### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Chemical Safety Assessments have been carried out by the Reach registrants for substances registered at  $>10$  tpa. No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for this mixture

## SECTION 16: Other information

### Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

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## **Full text of H-Statements referred to under section 3**

H315 - Causes skin irritation  
H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction  
H318 - Causes serious eye damage  
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

## **Legend**

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)
STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Ceiling Limit Value
*	Skin designation
SVHC	Substance(s) of Very High Concern
PBT	Persistent, Bioaccumulative, and Toxic (PBT) Chemicals
vPvB	Very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative (vPvB) Chemicals
STOT RE	Specific target organ toxicity - Repeated exposure
STOT SE	Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure
EWC	European Waste Catalogue
ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG)
IATA	International Air Transport Association (IATA)
RID	Regulations concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail

## **Key literature references and sources for data**

No information available

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## **Indication of changes**

**Revision note** Not applicable.  
**Training Advice** No information available  
**Further information** No information available

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