# **Lehigh Cement Company**

WHITE CEMENT DIVISION WACO PLANT P. 0. BOX 2576 WACO, TX 76702-2576 264-776-7162 LABORATORY TEST REPORT

Attn.:			Reference			
Cement Type	WHITE TYPE 1	C	arfTruck #	Date	Mar-07	
Silo #	2					
CHEMICAL %	ASTM	C-150 STANDAR	D REQUIREMENT PHYSICAL	S and RESULTS	OF TESTS	
CHEWIICAL %	Spec Limit	Value	FITTSICAL		Spec Limit	Value
SIO <sub>2</sub>	^	22.0	Fineness, Spe	cific Surface	Opec Limit	Value
$Al_2O_3$	^	5.0	Blaine	m'/kg	280 min	467
Fe <sub>2</sub> 0 <sub>5</sub>	-			6 Passing	^	07.4
CaO	^	66.D	Autoclave Exp	ansion %	0.80 max	0.02
MgO	6.0 max	0,8	Air Content	%	12 max	7.1
SO <sub>5</sub>		3.3	Gilmore Set Ti	me		
Na₂0 Equiv.	Α	0.29	Initial	minutes	60 min	92
Loss on Ign.	3.0 max	2.'1	Final	minutes	600 max	189
C 0 <sub>2</sub>	Λ	1.2	Vicat Set Time Initial	minutes	45 min	87
Limestone	5.0 max	2.0	Final	minutes	375 max	170
C <sub>9</sub> CO₃in Limestone	70 min	97,5	Compressive S	- Strength		Мра
				1-day	۸	16.3
Potential:				3-day	12.0 min	27.4
C <sub>3</sub> S	^	51 6		7-day	19,0 min	37.8
C <sub>2</sub> 5	^	24.4		28-day	Α	49.3
C <sub>3</sub> A	^	12.7				
C <sub>1</sub> AF		0.9				

When C3A is more than B%

We certify that the above-described cement, at the time of shipment, meets the chemical and physical requirements of the current applicable specification ASTM C-150 and current Federal Specifications. We are riot responsible for improper use or workmanship.

Date	4/4/2007	J¹j AWtą́á		
		Quality Control Supervisor		

# LEHIGH CEMENT COMPANY MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET FOR WHITE PORTLAND CEMENT

**REVISED DATE: Jan. 2006** 

### PRODUCT/COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Supplier:

Lehigh Cement Company

7660 Imperial Way - Allentown, PA 18195 Contact our nearest Sales office for farther

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information (SEE PAGE 7).

Sales office phone numbers and locations are

also listed on our WEBSITE (www.lehighwhitecement.corn).

Chemical Family: Calcium Compounds

Chemical Name and Synonyms:

Portland Cement (CAS # 65997-15-1), Hydraulic

Cement Types 1, I (WRA), II, III, V

Trade Name and Synonyms: Lehigh White Portland Cement

## 2. EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID

EMERGENCY INFORMATION: Portland cement is a light gray or white powder. When in

contact with moisture in eyes or on skin, or when mixed with water, portland cement becomes highly caustic (pH > 12) and will damage or bum (as severely as third-degree) the eyes or slcin. Inhalation may cause irritation to the moist mucous membranes of the nose, throat and upper respiratory system or may cause or may aggravate certain lung diseases or

conditions. Use exposure controls or personal protection

methods described in Section 10.

EYES: Immediately flush eye thoroughly with water. Continue

flushing eye for at least 15 minutes, including under lids, to

remove all particles. Call physician immediately.

SKIN: Wash skin with cool water and pH-neutral soap or a mild

detergent. Seek medical treatment if irritation or inflammation develops or persists. Seek immediate medical treatment in the

event of bums.

INHALATION: Remove person to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, administer

oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Seek medical help if coughing and other symptoms do not subside. Inhalation of large amounts of portland cement

require immediate medical attention.

INGESTION: Do not induce vomiting. If conscious, have the victim drink

plenty of water and call a physician immediately.

ACCIDENTIAL RELEASE MEASURES Clean up spilled material without causing it to become airborne

or mixed with water to limit potential harm. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Dispose of waste material

according to local, state or federal regulations.

### COMPOSITION INFORMATION 3.

### DESCRIPTION

This product consists of finely ground portland cement clinker mixed with a small amount of gypsum (calcium sulfate dihydrate). The portland cement clinker is made by heating to a high temperature a mixture of substances such as limestone, sand, clay and shale. Portland cement is essentially hydraulic calcium silicates contained in a crystalline mass, not separable into individual components. Major compounds are:

#12168-85-3

#10034-77-2

#12042-78-3

3Ca0-SiO, 2CaO.SiO, Silicate Tricalcium CAS Aluminate 3CaO.Al2.03 4Ca0-Tctracalcium CAS #12068-35-8 Al201-Pe,0; aluminoferrite Calcium CaSD, •2Hz0 CAS 47175-18-9

Sulfate dihydrate (CAS #13397-24-5) COCO, Tricalcium CAS #1317-65-3 (Gypsum) Calcium

Silicate Dicalciurn Carbonate

### 4. **HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS**

COMPONENT	OSHA PEL (8-Hour TWA)	ACGIH TLV-TWA (1995-1996)	NIOSH REL (8-Hour TWA)
Portland Cement (CAS 465997-15-1) 50 to 95% by weight	5 mg respirable dust/m² 15 mg total dust/m²	10 mg total dust/m <sup>2</sup>	
Calcium sulfate (CAS #7778-18-9) [Gypsum (CAS #13397-24-5)] 0 to 10% by weight	5 mg respirable dust/m <sup>2</sup> 15 mg total dust/m <sup>2</sup>	10 mg total dust/m²	
<b>Iron oxide</b> (CAS #1309-37-1) 0 to 15% by weight	$10 \text{ mg/m}^2$	$5 \text{ mg/m}^2$	
Calcium carbonate (CAS #1217-65-3) 0 to 5% by weight	5 mg respirable dust/ m <sup>2</sup> 15 mg total dust/ m <sup>2</sup>	10 mg total dust/m <sup>2</sup>	
Magnesium oxide (CAS #1309-48-4) 0 to 5% by weight	15 mg total dust/m <sup>3</sup>	10 mg total dust/m <sup>2</sup>	
Calcium oxide (CAS #1205-78-8) 0 to 5% by weight	5 mg/m <sup>2</sup>	2 mg/m <sup>2</sup>	
<b>Crystalline silica</b> (CAS #14808-60-7) 0 to 5% by weight	$\frac{10 \text{ mg of respirable du.st/m}^2}{\text{% SIO}_2 + .2}$ $\frac{30 \text{ mg of total dust/m}^2}{\text{% SIO}_2 + 2}$ $\frac{250 \text{ million particles/ m}^2}{\text{% SIO}_2 + 5}$	0.05 mg respirable quartz/m <sup>2</sup>	0.05 <sub>mg</sub> respirable quartz dust/m <sup>2</sup>

### TRACE INGREDIENTS:

Due to the use of substances mined from the earth's crust, trace amounts of naturally occurring, potentially harmful constituents may be detected during chemical analysis. Portland cement may contain up to 0.75% insoluble residue. A small amount of this residue includes free crystalline silica. Portland cement also may contain trace (<0.05%) amounts of chromium salts or compounds (including hexavalent chromium) or other metals (including nickel compounds) found to be hazardous or toxic in some chemical forms. These metals are present mostly as trace substitutions within the principal minerals. Other trace constituents may include potassium and sodium sulfate compounds.

If Portland/Lime blended product "0 to 25%" values.

### 5. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

### POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS:

NOTE: Potential health effects may vary depending upon the duration and degree of exposure. To reduce or eliminate health hazards associated with this product, use exposure controls or personal protection methods as described in Section 10.

**EYE CONTACT:** 

(Acute/Chronic) Exposure to airborne dust may cause immediate or delayed irritation or inflammation of the cornea. Eye contact by larger amounts of dry powder or splashes of wet portland cement may cause effects ranging from moderate eye irritation to chemical burns and blindness.

**SKIN CONTACT:** 

(Acute) Exposure to dry portland cement may cause drying of the skin with consequent mild irritation or more significant effects attributable to aggravation of other conditions. Discomfort or pain cannot be relied upon to alert a person to a hazardous skin exposure.

(Chronic) Dry portland cement coining in contact with wet skin or exposure to wet portland cement may cause more severe skin effects, including thickening, cracking or fissuring of the skin. Prolonged exposure can cause severe skin damage in the form of chemical (caustic) burns.

(Acute/Chronic) Some individuals may exhibit an allergic response upon exposure to portland cement. The response may appear in a variety of forms ranging from a mild rash to severe skin ulcers.

**INHALATION** 

(Acute) Exposure to portland cement may cause irritation to the moist mucous membranes of the nose, throat and upper respiratory system. Pre-existing upper respiratory and lung diseases may be aggravated by inhalation of portland cement.

(Chronic) Inhalation exposure to free crystalline silica may cause delayed lung injury including silicosis, a disabling and potentially fatal lung disease, and/or cause or aggravate other lung diseases or conditions.

**INGESTION:** 

(Acute/Chronic) Internal discomfort or ill effects are possible if large quantities are swallowed.

**CARCINOGENIC POTENTIAL:** 

Portland cement is not recognized as a carcinogen by NTP, OSHA, or IARC. However, it may contain trace amounts of heavy metals recognized as carcinogens by these organizations. In addition, IARC classifies crystalline silica, a trace constituent, as a known human carcinogen (Group 1). NTP has characterized respirable silica as "reasonably anticipated to be a carcinogen." (See also Section 13.)

	6. PHYSIC	CAL/CHEMICAL DATA		
APPEARANCE/ODOR: Gray, white or colored powder, odorless		PHYSICAL STATE:	Solid (Powder)	
BOILING POINT:	> 1000°C	MELTING POINT:	Not applicable	
VAPOR PRESSURE:	Not applicable	VAPOR DENSITY:	Not applicable	
pH (IN WATER) (ASTM D 1293-95)	12 to 13	SOLUBILITY IN WATER:	Slightly soluble (0.1% to 1.0%)	
SPEC/MC GRAVITY (H <sub>i</sub> e/ = 1.0):	3.15	EVAPORATION RATE:	Not applicable	
	7. F	IRE AND EXPLOSION		
FLASH POINT:	Nene	LOWER EXPLOSIVE LIMIT:	None	
AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE:	Not combustible	UPPER EXPLOSIVE LIMIT:	None	
FLAIAMABLE LIMITS	Not applicable	SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:	None	
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:	Not combustible	UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:	None	
HAZARDOUS	None			
COMBUSTION				
PRODUCTS:				
	8. STABILITY	Y AND REACTIVITY DATA		
STABILITY:		Product is stable. Keep dry until used_		
CONDITIONS TO AVOID:		Unintentional contact with water. Contact with water will result in hydration and produces (caustic) calcium hydroxide.		
INCOMPATIBILITY:		Wet portland cement is alkaline. As such, it is incompatible with acids, ammonium salts and aluminum metal.		
HAZARDOUS DECOMPO	OSITION:	Will not occur.		
HAZARDOUS POLYMEI	RIZATION:	Will not occur.		
9. PR	ECAUTIONS FOR H	HANDLING, STORAGE AND DISF	POSAL	
HANDLING AND STORA	AGE:	Keep dry until used. Handle and store in a manner so that airborne dust does not exceed applicable exposure limits. Use adequate ventilation and dust collection. Use exposure control and personal protection methods as described in Section 10.		
SPILL:		Use dry clean-up methods that do not disperse dust into the air or entry into surface water. Material can be used if not contaminated. Place in an appropriate container for disposal or use. Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Use exposure control and personal protection methods as described in Section 10.  Comply with all applicable local, state and federal regulations for disposal of unusable or contaminated materials. Dispose of packaging/containers according to local, state and federal regulations.		
DISPOSAL:				

### 10. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Use local exhaust or general dilution ventilation to control dust

levels below applicable exposure limits. Minimize dispersal

of dust into the air.

If local or general ventilation is not adequate to control dust levels below applicable exposure limits or when dust causes irritation or discomfort, use MSHA/NIOSH approved respirators.

EYE PROTECTION: Wear safety glasses with side shields or goggles to avoid

contact with the eyes. In extremely dusty environments and unpredictable environments, wear tight-fitting unvented or indirectly vented goggles to avoid eye irritation or injury. Contact lenses should not be worn when handling cement or

cement containing products.

SKIN PROTECTION: Wear impervious abrasion- and alkali-resistant gloves, boots,

long-sleeved shirt, long pants or other protective clothing to prevent skin contact. Promptly remove clothing dusty with dry portland cement or clothing dampened with moisture mixed with portland cement, and launder before re-use. If contact occurs, wash areas contacted by material with pH neutral soap

and water.

### 11. TRANSPORTATION DATA

Portland cement is not hazardous under U.S. DOT regulations.

### 12. TOXICOLOGICAL AND ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

For a description of available, more detailed toxicological and ecological information, contact Lehigh Cement Company.

### 13. GIBER REGULATORY INFORMATION

Status under US OSHA Hazard Communication

Rule 29 CFR 1910.1200:

Portland cement is considered a hazardous chemical under this regulation and should be included in the employer's

hazard communication program.

Status under CERCLA/Superfund, 40 CFR 117

and 302:

Not listed.

Hazard Category under SARA (Title

III), Sections 311 and 312:

Portland cement qualifies as a <u>ha7nrdous</u> substance with

delayed health effects.

Status under SARA (Title III), Section 313:

May be subject to reporting requirements under Section

313. Contact sales office for further information.

Status under TSCA (as of May 1997):

Some substances in portland cement are on the TSCA

inventory list.

Status under the Federal Hazardous Substances

Act:

Portland cement is a hazardous substance subject to

statutes promulgated under the subject act.

Status under California Proposition 65:

This product contains crystalline silica, a substance known to the State of California to cause cancer. This product also may contain trace amounts of heavy metals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

### 14. OTHER INFORMATION

This MSDS provides information on various types of portland cement products. A particular product's composition may vary from sample to sample. The Information provided herein is believed by *Lehigh Cement Company* to be accurate at the time of preparation or prepared from sources believed to be reliable. Health and safety precautions in this data sheet may not be adequate for all individuals or situations. Users have the responsibility to comply with all laws and procedures applicable to the safe handling and use of the product, to determine the suitability of the product for its intended use, and to understand possible hazards associated with mixing portland cement with other materials. This product neither contains nor is directly manufactured with any controlled ozone depleting substances, Class I and II. SELLER MAKES NO WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, CONCERNING THE PRODUCT OR THE MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS THEREOF FOR ANY PURPOSE OR CONCERNING THE ACCURACY OF ANY INFORMATION PROVIDED BY LEHIGH CEMENT COMPANY.

## **ABBREVIATIONS**

ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

ASTM American Society for Testing and Materials

CAS Chemical Abstract Service

CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act

CFR Code of Federal Regulations

ft<sup>2</sup> Cubic foot

1ARC International Agency for Research on Cancer

m<sup>3</sup> Cubic meter mg Milligram

MSHA Mine Safety and Health Administration

NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NTP National Toxicology Program

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PEL Permissible Exposure Limit
REL Recommended Exposure Limit

SARA Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act

TLV Threshold Limit Value
TSCA Toxic Substance Control Act
TWA Time Weighted Average

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