

Technical Data Sheet PW 325™

High-Purity Silica Sand

Chesapeake Minerals High-Purity Silica Sands are produced from high-purity raw quartz gravel with an extremely low iron content and few trace elements.

PW 325™ is crushed, milled and screened to maintain a top side of 325 US Mesh. Liberated magnetic and paramagnetic minerals are removed with rare-earth roll magnets to maintain a consistent iron content below 80 ppm. The precise control of particle size distribution and chemistry improves production processes, allowing better control of production costs and compliance with customers' chemistry demands.

Because of its reliable chemical composition and consistent gradation quality, **PW 325TM** is an excellent choice for a variety of applications requiring high-purity silica.

TYPICAL PARTICLE SIZE ANALYSIS (ASTM Sieve) 325 2.0

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES		
Tapped Bulk Density (lb/ft³)	67.7	
Loose Bulk Density (lb/ft³)	57.9	
LOI %	<0.05	
рН	6.17	
Specific Gravity (SG)	2.6	
Relative Density (OD)	1.8	
Water Absorption (%)	19.1	
Magnetic Properties	Negative	
Mohs Hardness	7.5	

TYPICAL COLOR PROPERTIES	
CIE Analysis - L	>94
а	0.4
b	1.0
Brightness	88.2
Whiteness Index	84.6
Yellowness Index	1.5

CHEMICAL ANALYSIS (Typical Median Reported as % by Weight)		
SiO ₂ (Silicon Dioxide)	>99.75%	
Fe ₂ O ₃ (Ferric Oxide)	0.013	
Al ₂ O ₃ (Aluminum Oxide)	0.236	
TiO₂ (Titanium Dioxide)	<0.0010 LLD	
CaO (Calcium Oxide, Total)	<0.0055 LLD	
Cr₂O₃ (Chromium Oxide)	<0.0005 LLD	
K₂O (Potassium Oxide)	<0.0015 LLD	
MgO (Magnesium Oxide)	<0.0025 LLD	
Na ₂ O (Sodium Oxide)	<0.0050 LLD	

TRACE ELEMENTS (Typical – Reported as PPM)		
Pb (Lead)	<1.0	
As (Arsenic)	<1.0	
Ni (Nickel)	<1.0	
Cr (Chromium)	<1.0	
Cd (Cadmium)	<1.0	
Hg (Mercury)	<1.0	

SHIPPING:

- · I-95: Halfway between Baltimore & Philadelphia
- · CSX Rail System

DISTRIBUTION:

Bulk shipment by Truck and Rail

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