## TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

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# Spodumene Concentrate, SC 5.0

CAS-No. 1302-37-0

Molecular Formula AlLi(SiO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>

Product Number 402204

#### **APPLICATION**

Spodumene is used in glasses, glass-ceramics, porcelain enamels, whitewares, and glazes due to the powerful fluxing properties of lithia. It possesses a very low thermal expansion and reduces the viscosity of the glass mass. It contributes to brilliancy and strength of the glass. Spodumene is also used in metallurgical applications, i.a. in continuous casting powders, anti-veining agents, and as additive in foundry feeder production.

#### **FURTHER INGREDIENTS**

Feldspar

CAS-No. 68476-25-5 EC-No. 270-666-7 Quartz (SiO2) - Alveolar dust fraction CAS-No. 14808-60-7 EC-No. 238-878-4

#### **SPECIFICATION**

	Specification	Method of Analysis
Li2O	min. 5.0 %	AAS
Fe2O3	max. 0.13 %	XRF

#### PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance granular

Color white to beige Melting point/ range from 1,375 °C

Density 3.1 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Bulk density 1,400 kg/m3

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Water solubility (immiscible)

Grain Size Grain Size Guaranteed

 $< 850 \ \mu m$  100 %  $> 106 \ \mu m$  min. 95 %

Additional Physical

Properties

Spodumene is a mineral with the general formula [LiAl(Si2O6)]

Major Composition Weight % Spodumene ~ 63 % Quartz ~ 31 % Feldspar ~ 5 %

#### HANDLING & STORAGE

Handling Observe official safety regulations

Storage Store in dry conditions as material is produced and consumed as a dried product.

Do not store together with volatile chemicals as they may be absorbed into the

product.

#### TRANSPORT & PACKAGING

#### ADR

Not regulated as a dangerous good

### Packaging

- bulk in silo trucks / tipping trucks / trailers
- big bags (1000 kg, 1200 kg, 2000 kg) on pallet

#### OTHER INFORMATION

Further Related Documents

Safety Data Sheet

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