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# Foundations Opaque and Sheer Glazes

## SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE AND SUPPLIER

**Product Identification:** Foundations® Opaque & Sheer Glazes

**Product Usage:** Glazing of ceramic ware

### Product Identifier Codes:

**Opaque Glazes:** FN-001 White, FN-002 Yellow, FN-003 Orange, FN-004 Red, FN-005 Pink, FN-006 Blue, FN-007 Green, FN-008 Brown, FN-009 Black, FN-010 Green Tree, FN-011 Light Blue, FN-012 Lavender, FN-013 Lt Yellow, FN-014 Antique White, FN-015 Brick Red, FN-016 Harvest Orange, FN-017 Purple, FN-018 Bright Blue, FN-019 Dark Blue, FN-020 Med Green, FN-021 Olive Green, FN-022 Tan, FN-023 Cinnamon, FN-024 Gray, FN-025 Raspberry Whip, FN-026 Salmon Mousse, FN-027 Glade Green, FN-028 Wisteria Purple, FN-029 Rich Chocolate, FN-030 Bing Cherry, FN-031 Corn Flower Blue, FN-032 Canton Jade, FN-033 Mediterranean Teal, FN-034 Big Blue Sky, FN-035 Deep Red, FN-036 Grape, FN-037 Chartreuse, FN-038 Sand, FN-039 Light Gray, FN-040 Pumpkin, FN-041 Medium Blue, FN-042 Teal Blue, FN-043 Bright Jade, FN-044 Yellow-Orange, FN-045 Taupe, FN-046 Sage, FN-047 Light Pink, FN-048 Bright Pink, FN-049 Flamingo, FN-050 Coral, FN-051 Strawberry, FN-052 Tangerine, FN-053 Mint, FN-054 Pistachio.

**Sheer Glazes:** FN-201 Golden Clear, FN-202 Yadro, FN-203 Dry Champagne, FN-204 Mudpuddle Brown, FN-205 Saddle Tan, FN-206 Lemon Ice, FN-207 Orange Slice, FN-208 Crystal Coral, FN-209 Floral Pink, FN-210 Victorian Red, FN-211 Sheer Blue, FN-212 Blue Diamond, FN-213 Saffire Blue, FN-214 Pastel Jade, FN-216 Sea Glass, FN-220 Sooty Gray, FN-221 Milk Glass, FN-222 Indigo, FN-223 Amethyst, FN-224 Key Lime, FN-225 Watermelon, FN-226 Squash Blossom, FN-227 Celery, FN-228 Slate Gray, FN-229 Iced Mocha, FN-230 Poppy, FN-231 Clearly Jade

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IN CASE OF EMERGENCY PLEASE CONTACT YOUR REGIONAL/LOCAL POISON CONTROL CENTER

## SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Classification of mixture:** Non-classified (1999/45/EEC)

Each glaze family is a mixture of ceramic material containing, water, non-lead frits, clay, and other minerals and color pigments. Contains potential carcinogens: Crystalline silica (quartz), as an inhalation hazard, may be present if:

- Unfired, dried glaze is excessively handled and allowed to create dust.
- Mist is present after spray application

A few pigments may contain a very small amount of zirconium encapsulated cadmium, titanium dioxide, and other metals. Other ingredients present have no known acute toxicity.

**GHS Label Elements:** None Required

**Other Hazards:** None known

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### SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Each glaze family contain proprietary mixtures of ceramic materials (listed below) and color pigments. The Foundations® glaze line is classified as non-hazardous.

Ingredients	CAS #	Ranges of Percentages
Water	7732-18-5	48.1% - 53%
Frit	65997-18-4	36.9% - 39%
Clay/Kaolin	1332-58-7	5.2% - 5.6%
Zinc Oxide	1314-13-2	0% - 0.7%
Zirconium Silicate (Zr Si O <sub>4</sub> )	14940-68-2	0% - 8.1%
Bentonite	1302-78-9	0.5% - 0.6%
Carboxymethylcellulose	9004-34-2	0.6% - 0.7%
Proxel	75037-67-1	0.1%
Pigments	varies	varies

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### SECTION 4: FIRST-AID MEASURES

- **Inhalation:** May cause irritation. Remove from exposure.
- **Skin:** May cause irritation. Wash skin with soap and water.
- **Eyes:** May cause irritation. Flush eyes with large quantities of water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists after washing, contact a physician.
- **Ingestion:** Contact a physician.

**Important Symptoms/Effects:** None Known

**Immediate Medical Attention/Special Treatment:** None Known

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### SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

- **Suitable Extinguishing Media:** None
- **Specific Hazards Arising From Chemical:** None
- **Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire Fighters:** None

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### SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- **Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and/or Emergency Procedures:** None
- **Environmental Precautions:** None
- **Methods and Materials for Containment and Clean-Up:** Wipe/Mop spill area and rinse with water

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

- **Precautions for Safe Handling:** Ventilation - local exhaust if spray application is used
- **Work/Hygienic Practices:** Food, beverages, and smoking materials should not be in the work area. Wash thoroughly before eating, drinking, smoking, or applying cosmetics.
- **Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Incompatibilities:** None

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Ingredients	CAS #	PEL	TLV
Zinc Oxide	1314-13-2	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	2.0 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

Remaining main glaze ingredients do not have formal Exposure Limits. Some pigments contain metals that have exposure limits (Co, TiO<sub>2</sub>, Cu, Cr, Mn) but are used in low levels.

These glazes are non-hazardous liquid mixtures of ceramic materials containing, water, non-leaded frits, clay, and other minerals and color pigments. These mixtures have no TLV or PEL

- **Engineer Control:** Adequate ventilation (local exhaust) if spray application is used.
- **Respiratory Protection:** Use a NIOSH approved respirator if spray application is used.
- **Protective Gloves:** Not normally needed.
- **Eye Protection:** Wear appropriate eye protection or safety glasses to keep mist out of eyes if spray application is used.
- **Personal Protective Clothing or Equipment:** Wear appropriate clean, protective clothing such as, but not limited to, overalls, smocks, and aprons.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Appearance:</b>	Colored and/or Clear Liquid Mixtures
<b>Odor/Odor Threshold:</b>	Negligible
<b>PH:</b>	N/A
<b>Boiling Point/Range:</b>	N/A
<b>Freezing point:</b>	32°F
<b>Flash Point:</b>	None
<b>Vapor Pressure:</b>	N/A
<b>Vapor Density:</b>	N/A
<b>Flammability:</b>	None
<b>Evaporation Rate:</b>	None
<b>Upper/Lower Explosive Limits:</b>	None
<b>Partition Coefficient (octanol/water):</b>	N/A

<b>Relative Density:</b>	N/A
<b>Solubility in Water:</b>	Partial
<b>Decompositional Temperature:</b>	None
<b>Viscosity:</b>	N/A
<b>Auto ignition temperature:</b>	None

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## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>Reactivity:</b>	None Known
<b>Chemical Stability:</b>	Stable
<b>Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:</b>	None Known
<b>Conditions to Avoid:</b>	Fumes from firing in kiln; Mist created from spray application.
<b>Incompatible Material:</b>	None Known
<b>Hazardous Decomposition or By-Products:</b>	None Known

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## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGY INFORMATION

**Primary Route(s) of Entry:** Dermal, Inhalation.

**Hazard to Humans:** None during normal use. The highest threat of inhalation exists during the excessive handling of dried, unfired glazed ware and/or during spray application.

Acute Toxicity: N/A	Carcinogenicity: N/A
Skin Corrosion/Irritation: N/A	Reproductive Toxicity: N/A
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation: N/A	STOT-Single Exposure: N/A
Respiratory/Skin Sensitization: N/A	STOT-Repeated Exposure: N/A
Germ Cell Mutagenicity: N/A	Aspiration Hazard: N/A

Additional information:

These mixtures contain silica, a known carcinogen. Inhalation is the route of entry into the body that can lead to the development of Silicosis.

These water-based, premixed products should be non-toxic during recommended use.

Some of the pigments may contain small amounts of various forms of metals (Sn, Mn, TiO<sub>2</sub>, Cu, Zr, V, Fe, Co, Cr, Ni, Cd), some of which are considered carcinogenic. The metals in pigments may be in form of frits, spinel or formed from high temperature calcination that may have a different bioavailability than the metal itself. Silica and pigments in the glaze should be non-toxic during recommended use.

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## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

<b>Ecotoxicity:</b>	None
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<b>Biodegradability:</b>	No
<b>Mobility in Soil:</b>	No
<b>Persistence:</b>	Yes
<b>Bioaccumulation:</b>	No
<b>Other Adverse Effects:</b>	None

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## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Follow local, state and federal regulations.

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## SECTION 14: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

Product Identifier: Non-Hazardous Mixtures

UN Shipping Name: N/A

UN Number: None

Environmental Hazard: None

Packing Group: None

Transportation Hazard Class: N/A

Special Precautions: None

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## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

**Federal, State and Local regulations not provided elsewhere in the SDS:**

### **National Regulations:**

United States:

- TSCA: all components of these products are on the US TSCA Inventory
- SARA Section 313 Toxic Chemicals: None
- IARC, OSHA and NTP: Silica (Quartz), Titanium Dioxide, Cobalt, Nickel and Chromium are listed on the carcinogen list.

### **State Regulations:**

California

- Proposition 65: Silica (Quartz), Titanium Dioxide, Cobalt, Nickel and Chromium are listed on the carcinogen list.

### **Chemical Safety Assessment:**

Conforms to ASTM D 4236 This material has been evaluated under the provisions of LHAMA (Labeling of Hazardous Art Material Act). This product is judged to be non-toxic and non- flammable under proposed use conditions. No special warning is required under the provisions of LHAMA or California Proposition 65 during use.

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## SECTION 16: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Mayco Glazes do not contain and products and/or ingredients derived from nuts, peanuts, eggs, milk, or gluten. Mayco Glazes do not contain latex.

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Acronyms used in this SDS:

- CAS #: Chemical Abstracts Service Number
- TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act
- SARA: Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
- IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer
- OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration
- NTP: National Toxicology Program
- PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit
- TLV: Threshold Limit Values

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