

FEATURES & BENEFITS

INCAST® foundry sand, with fine-tuned process control and consistent gradation, is produced from high-purity, monocrystalline quartz for improving core and mold strength. Our subangular, 99%+ quartz sand has lower bulk density and excellent permeability for efficient curing during core making and venting upon pouring to minimize gas-related casting defects. This lower bulk density also improves shakeout.

In high-temperature applications, our subangular, refractory sand reduces thermal expansion with the right packing density. This sand is resistant to core and mold thermal cracking. You'll also be proud of the surface finish.

PARTICAL SIZE ANALYSIS

Typical Mean Values. These Do Not Represent A Specification.

	Mesh Size		INCAST® Grades					
	ASTM	MICRONS	57	60	70	75	95	130
Typical mean % retained on individual sieves	20	850	–	–	–	–	–	–
	30	600	–	–	–	–	–	–
	35	500	–	–	–	–	–	–
	40	425	3.9	–	2.2	1.6	–	–
	50	300	17.4	4.0	12.5	9.8	1.2	0.1
	70	212	46.5	49.8	40.7	35.0	28.3	1.7
	100	150	25.6	37.0	21.8	27.8	26.3	12.3
	140	106	5.9	8.5	11.9	13.3	22.5	41.4
	200	75	0.7	0.7	6.7	8.8	14.1	28.3
	270	53	–	–	2.9	2.6	3.7	10.1
	PAN	PAN	–	–	1.3	1.1	3.9	5.3
AFS-GFN	–	56	61	72	76	94	135	
Calculated Surface Area (cm ² /g)	–	204	228	273	287	367	539	

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

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INCAST® Foundry Sands		
Grain Shape	Subangular	AFS 107-87-S
Clay Content (%)	0.4%	AFS 110-87-S
Acid Demand	<1	AFS 114-87-S
Melting Point (°F/°C)	3135/1724	ASTM C-24
Specific Gravity (g/cm ³)	2.65	ASTM C-128
Moisture Content (%)	<0.1	ASTM C-566
Bulk Density/Loose (lb/ft (g/cm ³))	92-95	ASTM C-29
Bulk Density/Compacted (lb/ft ³)	98-100	ASTM C-29

CHEMICAL ANALYSIS

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Typical Mean Percent by Weight	
Silicon Dioxide (SiO ₂)	99.52
Iron Oxide (Fe ₂ O ₃)	0.094
Aluminum Oxide (Al ₂ O ₃)	0.158
Calcium Oxide (CaO)	0.009
Titanium Dioxide (TiO ₂)	0.035
Magnesium Oxide (MgO)	0.009
Potassium Oxide (K ₂ O)	0.041
Chromium (III) Oxide (Cr ₂ O ₃)	0.002
Sodium Oxide (Na ₂ O)	0.0007
Loss on Ignition (LOI)	0.133

SHIPPING/ORDERING INFORMATION

- Shipping Point: Chardon, OH
- Availability: Bulk, IBC, 50 lb Paper Bag
Truck Only

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US & Canada: 1-800-255-7263
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