

Typical Chemical Analysis

Elements	Contents %
Silica (SiO ₂)	96.07
Iron Oxide (Fe ₂ O ₃)	1.57
Loss on ignition (LOI)	0.89
Aluminium Oxide (Al ₂ O ₃)	0.70
Magnesium Oxide (MgO)	0.34
Calcium Oxide (CaO)	0.23
Titanium Dioxide (TiO ₂)	0.06
Sodium Oxide (Na ₂ O)	0.05
Potassium Oxide (K ₂ O)	0.04
Sulphur Trioxide (SO ₃)	0.04
Barium Oxide (BaO)	0.01

Grade (B.S.S)	Size Range (mm)	E.S (mm)
16/30	0.50-1.00	0.50-0.71
14/25	0.60-1.20	0.63-0.85
10/18	0.85-1.70	0.85-0.95
8/16	1.00-2.00	1.05-1.27
6/14	1.20-2.80	1.25-1.60
5/8	2.00-3.35	2.00-2.70

Conditions for Operation

Bed depth: 18-30 in.

Freeboard: 20% of bed depth (min.)

Backwash flow rate: 15-20 gpm/sq.Ft.

Backwash bed expansion: 20% of bed depth

Service flow rate:

Municipal: 1.5-2 gpm/sq.Ft.

Industrial: 3 gpm/sq.Ft.

Domestic: 5 gpm/sq.Ft.

Packaging: 25 / 50 Kg HDPE Bag, 1 to 1.5 ton Jumbo Bag

Physical Properties

Color: Light Brown

Bulk Density, Kg / M³: 1500

Acid Solubility: < 5 %

Specific Gravity: 2.65

Hardness Mohs: 7 - 8

Uniform Coefficients : < 1.4

