



**CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS**

**FOSSIL SHELL FLOUR®  
(Diatomaceous earth)**

**Typical Physical and Optical Properties**

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|---|----------|
| Median Particle Size (microns)            | 10       |
| 325 Mesh Screen Residue %                 | 2.0      |
| Refractive Index                          | 1.43     |
| Oil Absorption, Spatula Rub-Out Method, % | 120      |
| Brightness, Green Filter                  | 85       |
| Loose Weight, Lbs./cu.ft. (gm/liter)      | 12.0/192 |
| Specific Gravity                          | 2.2      |
| Surface Area, m <sup>2</sup> /gm          | 35.7     |
| Median Pore Diameter, microns             | 1.2      |

**Typical Chemical Analysis (%)**

|           |           |            |          |           |          |
|-----------|-----------|------------|----------|-----------|----------|
| Aluminum  | 0.350056  | Copper     | 0.000815 | Selenium  | 0.000021 |
| Antimony  | 0.000001  | Iron       | 0.244954 | Silicon   | 0.217117 |
| Arsenic   | 0.000304  | Potassium  | 0.031437 | Silver    | 0.00009  |
| Boron     | 0.000581  | Lithium    | 0.000323 | Tin       | 0.000004 |
| Barium    | 0.006201  | Magnesium  | 0.15315  | Strontium | 0.005353 |
| Beryllium | 0.000044  | Molybdenum | 0.000018 | Thallium  | 0.000008 |
| Calcium   | 0.0000407 | Sodium     | 0.065467 | Vanadium  | 0.002652 |
| Cadmium   | 0.000007  | Nickel     | 0.000422 | Zinc      | 0.00106  |
| Cobalt    | 0.000302  | Phosphorus | 0.006701 |           |          |
| Chromium  | 0.000342  | Lead       | 0.000334 |           |          |

Crystalline Silica Content < .5%      pH      8.0

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