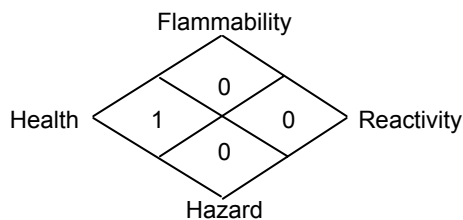


MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Used to comply with OSHA's Hazard
Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200

NFPA HAZARD RATING



SECTION I - NAME AND PRODUCT

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Product: Resinoid Bonded Abrasive Wheels Updated: 10/02/2000. Contact: Technical Director

SECTION II - COMPOSITION

Ingredient	% By Weight	OSHA Regulate	C.A.S. #	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	Other Limits	Carcinogen
Aluminum Oxide	0 - 80	No	1344-28-1	15mg/m3	10 mg/m3	N/A	No
Silicon Carbide	0 - 80	No	409-21-2	15mg/m3	10 mg/m3	N/A	No
Zirconium Oxide	0 - 50	No	1314-23-4	5mg/m3	10 mg/m3	N/A	No
Barium Compound	0 - 8	No	7727-43-7	5mg/m3	10 mg/m3	N/A	No
Zinc Compound *	0 - 5	No	N/A	5mg/m3	5 mg/m3	N/A	No
Iron Sulfide	0 - 15	No	1317-37-9	15mg/m3	10 mg/m3	N/A	No
Fluorides	0 - 15	No	NA	2.5mg/m3	2.5 mg/m3	N/A	No
Cured Phenolic Resin	10 - 30	No	9003-35-4	None Estab.	None Estab.	N/A	No
Carbon Black	0 - .2	No	1333-86-4	3.5mg/m3	3.5 mg/m3	N/A	No
Lime	0 - 3	No	1305-62-0	5mg/m3	5 mg/m3	N/A	No
Fiberglass	0 - 10	No	65997-17-3	15mg/m3	10 mg/m3	N/A	No
Cured Epoxy Resin	0 - 5	No	68609-97-2	None Estab.	None Estab.	N/A	No

* This substance is regulated under Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act of 1986.

SECTION III - PHYSICAL/CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Physical State	Solid	Boiling Point	N/A	Specific Gravity (H2O=1)	2-4
Vapor Pressure (mm Hg)	N/A	Freezing Point	N/A	Odor Threshold	N/A
Vapor Density (Air=1)	N/A	Melting Point	N/A	pH	N/A
Solubility in Water	N/A	% Volatile	N/A	Evaporation Rate	N/A
Odor/Appearance	Odorless/Dark colored solid		Coefficient of Water/Oil Distribution		N/A

SECTION VI - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

Route(s) of Entry	Signs and Symptoms of Exposure	Emergency and First-Aid procedures
Dust Inhalation	May cause coughing and shortness of breath during grinding. May affect breathing capacity.	Terminate exposure and remove to fresh air. Obtain medical assistance.
Ingestion	No known adverse effects, but not recommended.	Obtain medical assistance.
Absorption	Not absorbed through skin.	N/A
Skin contact	Grinding wheel may cause abrasions. Dust may cause skin irritation.	Terminate exposure and remove to fresh air. Obtain medical assistance.
Eye	Dust or fumes may cause eye irritation.	Fresh air and medical assistance.
Other	Excessive noise levels may exist in use.	Cease use. Obtain medical assistance.

Medical conditions such as emphysema and asthma may be aggravated during grinding.

SECTION VII- STORAGE HANDLING AND USE PROCEDURES

Handling and storage procedures - Avoid damage to wheel. Do not drop. Do not use a wheel that has been damaged or dropped. Avoid excessive temperatures in storage. Always handle in accordance with ANSI B7.1.

Normal clean up procedures should be used if materials is released.

Dispose of waste in a sanitary landfill in accordance with state, local and federal regulations.

Always use in accordance with OSHA 1910.215. Do not use dropped or damaged wheels. Do not use without machine guard in place. Do not exceed maximum RPM on wheel.

SECTION VIII- CONTROL MEASURES

Protection	Requirements and Referrals
Respiratory	OSHA or NIOSH approved respirator if TLV's exceeded. See OSHA 29 CFR 1910.134
Ventilation	Local and mechanical exhaust recommended. Refer to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.94.
Protective Gloves	Not required but use if desired.
Eye Protection	Required. Refer to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.133.
Hearing Protection	Required. Refer to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.95.
Other	Apron and/or face shield if desired.
Hygienic Practices	Wash with soap and water after handling and grinding.

SECTION IX- MSDS PREPARATION

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