

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Elyria, Ohio 44035-6001

Emergency Telephone call 9-1-1 or local emergency number

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Section 2 – Hazards Identification

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:

Dust produced during use of this product may be irritating.

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS AND SYMPTOMS FROM SHORT TERM / ACUTE EXPOSURE:

- Eye
 - Dust may irritate eyes.
- Skin
 - Dust may irritate skin.
- Inhalation:
 - Dust may be slightly irritating to respiratory tract at high concentrations.
- Ingestion:
 - Not expected to have adverse effects.
- Potential Chronic Health Effects
 - Dust may contain trace amounts of phenol and formaldehyde, which under excessive exposure, may cause skin sensitization and airway obstruction.



Product Name...... Aluminum Oxide Resin Grinding Wheel

- Medical Conditions Aggravated By Exposure:
 No further data known.
- Carcinogenicity:

This product is not listed as a known or suspected carcinogen by IARC, OSHA or the NTP.

Section 3 – Composition / Information On Ingredients

Component:	<u>CAS #</u>	<u>% By Weight</u>
Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous	1344-28-1	50-95%
Cured PhenolFormaldehyde Resin	9003-35-4	2-18%
Fiberglass	65997-17-3	1-10%
Iron Disulfide	12068-85-8	1-15%
Sulfates and Sulfides	Various	

Section 4 – First Aid Measures

EYE CONTACT:

Hold eyelids open and flush with a steady, gentle stream of water for at least 15 minutes. If symptoms persist, contact a physician.

SKIN CONTACT:

Remove product from the skin by washing with a mild soap and water. Contaminated clothing should be removed to prevent prolonged exposure. If symptoms of exposure persist, contact a physician.

INHALATION:

If respiratory irritation or distress occurs, remove the employee to fresh air. Contact a physician or other medical professional if irritation or distress persists.

INGESTION:

If ingested, call poison control or physician immediately.



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Section 5 – Fire Fighting Measures		
FIRE AND EXPLOSIVE PROPERTIES:		
Flashpoint		
EXTINGUISH MEDIA: Not applicable.		
UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS: None		
FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES AND EQUIPMENT: Not applicable.		
NFPA RATING:		
Health Flammability Reactivity 1 0 0		
Section 6 – Accidental Release Measures		
PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS: No special measures.		
ENVIRONMENTAL: No special measures.		
CLEAN-UP MEASURES: Follow normal clean up procedure.		
Section 7 – Handling And Storage		
HANDLING: Handle wheels in a safe and careful manner. Follow all procedures for the		

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STORAGE:

No special precautions.



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Section 8 – Expe	osure Controls / Personal Protection	

EXPOSURE GUIDELINES:

Component	OSHA PEL:	ACGIH TLV:
Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous	15 mg/m ³	10 mg/m ³
Cured PhenolFormaldehyde Resin	0 ppm	0 ppm
Fiberglass	1 fiber/cc	0 fiber/cc
Iron Disulfide	10 mg/m ³	10 mg/m ³
Sulfates and Sulfides	0 mg/m ³	0 mg/m ³

ENGINEERING CONTROLS:

It is recommended that ventilation be designed in all instances to maintain airborne concentrations at lowest practicable levels. Ventilation should, at a minimum, prevent airborne concentrations from exceeding any exposure limits.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

- Eye Protection
 Wear eye protection when grinding to prevent eye exposure.
- Skin Protection
 No special requirements under ordinary conditions of use.
- Respiratory Protection
 An appropriate respirator should be worn when the airborne contaminant concentration exceeds exposure guidelines above.
- Hearing Protection
 Use of this product may produce elevated sound levels. Hearing protection should be worn when appropriate.
- General Hygiene Considerations
 Wash thoroughly after grinding.



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Section 9 – Physical And Chemical Properties			
Odor: None Physical State:: Solid			
Section 10 – Stability And Reactivity			
STABILITY: This product is stable.			
CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Incompatible materials.			
INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS: This product is incompatible with acids with a pH below 4.0.			
DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS MAY INCLUDE: Trace amounts of phenol and formaldehyde.			
POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS: This product is not expected to polymerize.			
Section 11 – Toxicological Information			
ACUTE: No further toxicological data known.			
CHRONIC: No further toxicological data known.			
SENSITIZATION: No further toxicological data known.			
REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS: No further toxicological data known.			
TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: No further toxicological data known.			
MUTAGENICITY: No further toxicological data known.			
SYNERGISTIC MATERIALS: No further toxicological data known.			

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CANADA

Product Name Aluminum Oxide Resin Grinding Wheel		
Section 12 – Ecological Information		
ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION: This product has not been evaluated for ecotoxicity.		
ENVIRONMENTAL FATE: Resin bonded materials demonstrate similar degradation rates as phenolic plastics.		
Section 13 – Disposal Consideration		
WASTE DISPOSAL: Use standard landfill methods consistent with all applicable laws and regulations.		
Section 14 – Transportation Information		
Not regulated by the U.S. DOT or TDG (Canada)		
Section 15 – Regulatory Information		
FEDERAL REGULATIONS:		
TOXIC SUBSTANCE CONTROL ACT: The components of this product are registered under the regulations of the TSCA.		
STATE REGULATIONS CA Prop 65: Not applicable.		

DSL: The components of this product are listed on DSL Inventory.



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	Section 16 – Other Information	

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