

#### SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Coated Abrasive** Product Name:

MSDS Manufacturer Number: CA\_All

Manufacturer Name: Saint-Gobain Abrasives, Inc. 1 New Bond Street Address:

Worcester, MA 01615 General Phone Number: 508-795-5000

Emergency Phone Number: 508-795-5000

Website:

www.Nortonabrasives.com

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#### SECTION 2: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS#	Ingredient Percent	EC Num.
Zirconium dioxide	1314-23-4	5 - 10 by weight	215-227-2
Epoxy Resin	No Data	1 - 5 by weight	
Polymer/solids	No Data	1 - 5 by weight	
Calcium Silicate	13983-17-0	10 - 30 by weight	237-772-5
Precipitated Calcium Carbonate	471-34-1	1 - 5 by weight	207-439-9
Nylon	No Data	5 - 10 by weight	
Polyester	25038-59-9	10 - 30 by weight	
Inorganic fluorides	Not Applicable	1 - 5 by weight	
Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous	1344-28-1	10 - 30 by weight	215-691-6
Phenol formaldehyde polymer	9003-35-4	10 - 30 by weight	

## SECTION 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Potential Health Effects:

Eye: Dust may cause slight irritation.

Skin: Dust from this product may cause temporary mechanical irritation.

Inhalation: Dusts from this product may cause mechanical irritation of the nose, throat and respiratory tract.

Ingestion of this product is unlikely. However, ingestion of product may produce gastrointestinal irritation and disturbances. Ingestion:

Chronic Health Effects: Chronic health effects are not expected as long as good hygiene and proper safety precautions are

Phenol formaldehyde polymer

Chronic Health Effects: Dust generated from intended use may contain trace amounts of phenol and formaldehyde which

under excessive exposure may cause skin sensitization and airway obstruction.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 to 20 minutes. Ensure adequate flushing of the eyes by separating the eyelids with fingers.

Get medical attention, if irritation or symptoms of overexposure persists. Eye Contact:

Skin Contact: Immediately wash skin with soap and plenty of water.

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Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

If dust from cutting or drilling is inhaled, remove the affected person to fresh air. If symptoms persist, get medical attention. Inhalation:

Accidental ingestion of this material is unlikely. If this does occur, watch person for several days to make sure intestinal blockage does not occur. If symptoms persist, call a physician. Ingestion:

Note to Physicians: No information available.

#### SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties: Non Flammable Flash Point: Does not apply. Auto Ignition Temperature: Not determined. Lower Flammable/Explosive Limit: Not available. Upper Flammable/Explosive Limit: Not available.

Extinguishing Media: Use any extinguishing media appropriate for the surrounding fires.

Unsuitable Media: None.

Protective Equipment: As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or

equivalent) and full protective gear.

NFPA Ratings:

NFPA Health: NFPA Flammability: 0 NFPA Reactivity: 1

NFPA Other:

#### SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Methods for containment: Containment of this material should not be necessary.

Shovel or sweep up for re-use or disposal. Avoid creating dusty conditions. Evaluate residue to determine if it is a hazardous waste by characteristic. Methods for cleanup:

Dispose of in accordance with Local, State, Federal and Provincial regulations.

### SECTION 7: HANDLING and STORAGE

Handling: Handle with adequate ventilation for nuisance dust.

No special storage conditions required. Storage:

Hygiene Practices: Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

### SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION - EXPOSURE GUIDELINES

Engineering Controls: General dilution ventilation and/or local exhaust ventilation should be provided as necessary to

maintain exposures below occupational exposure limits.

Always WEAR SAFETY GLASSES or some type of eye protection when grinding. Eve/Face Protection:

Skin Protection Description: Protective aloves.

Long sleeved shirt and long pants.

When workers are facing airborne particulate/dust concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators. Respiratory Protection:

A properly fitted NIOSH approved disposable N 95 type dust respirator or better is recommended.

Use of this product may create elevated sound levels. Hearing protection should be worn where required (see OSHA 29 CFR 1910.134 and other applicable regulations). Other Protective:

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Avoid getting dust into boots and gloves through wrist bands and pant tucks. General Hygiene Considerations:

#### EXPOSURE GUIDELINES

Ingredient	Guideline OSHA	Guideline NIOSH	Guideline ACGIH	Quebec Canada	Ontario Canada
Zirconium dioxide			TLV-TWA: 10 mg/m3 as zirconium compounds		
Calcium Silicate	PEL-TWA: 15 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T) PEL-TWA: 5 mg/m3 Respirable fraction (R)		TLV-TWA: 10 mg/m3 Inhalable fraction (I) TLV-TWA: 3 mg/m3 Respirable fraction (R)	VEMP-TWA: 10 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T) VEMP-TWA: 5 mg/m3 Respirable fraction (R)	
Precipitated Calcium Carbonate	PEL-TWA: 5 mg/m3 Respirable fraction (R) PEL-TWA: 15 mg/m3			VEMP-TWA: 10 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T)	OEL-TWAEV: 10 mg/m3 OEL-TWAEV: 10

	Total particulate/dust (T)				mg/m3
Inorganic fluorides	PEL-TWA 2.5 mg/m3	REL-TWA 2.5 mg/m3	TLV-TWA 2.5 mg/m3		
Aluminum Oxide, Non- fibrous	PEL-TWA: 5 mg/m3 Respirable fraction (R) PEL-TWA: 15 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T)		TLV-TWA: 10 mg/m3	VEMP-TWA: 10 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T)	OEL-TWAEV: 10 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T)
Ingredient	Alberta Canada	Mexico	British Columbia Canada		
Precipitated Calcium Carbonate	OEL-TWA: 10 mg/m3 OEL-TWA: 5 mg/m3 Respirable fraction (R) OEL-TWA: 10 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T)	LMPE-PPT: 10 mg/m3 Inhalable fraction (I) LMPE-CT: 20 mg/m3 Inhalable fraction (I)	OEL-TWA: 3 mg/m3 Respirable fraction (R) OEL-TWA: 10 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T) OEL-STEL: 20 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T)		
Aluminum Oxide, Non- fibrous	OEL-TWA: 10 mg/m3	MPE-PPT: 0.1 mg/m3 Respirable fraction (R)	OEL-TWA: 3 mg/m3 Respirable fraction (R) OEL-TWA: 10 mg/m3 OEL-TWA: 10 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T) OEL-STEL: 20 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T)		

# SECTION 9: PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State Appearance: Solid article. Odor: Odorless. Flash Point: Does not apply. Auto Ignition Temperature: Not determined.

### SECTION 10: STABILITY and REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

Hazardous Polymerization: Hazardous polymerization does not occur. Conditions to Avoid: Keep away from heat, sparks, or open flame.

In use, dust and decomposing odors may be generated. In most cases, the material removed from Special Decomposition Products:

the workplace will be significantly greater than the sandpaper components. Coolants may produce other decomposition products.

Thermal decomposition may produce trace amounts of ammonia and formaldehyde.

#### SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity: This product has not been tested for its toxicity.

Zirconium dioxide:

RTECS Number: ZH8800000

<u>Calcium Silicate</u>:

RTECS Number: ZC9750000

**Precipitated Calcium Carbonate:** 

RTECS Number: FF9335000

Eye: Eye - Rabbit Standard Draize test.: 750 ug/24H (RTECS)

Skin: Administration onto the skin - Rabbit Standard Draize test.: 500 mg/24H (RTECS)

Ingestion: Oral - Rat LD50: 6450 mg/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value]

(RTECS)

Polyester:

RTECS Number: TR2725000

Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous:

RTECS Number: BD1200000

 $Inhalation - Rat\ TCLo:\ 200\ mg/m3/5H/28W\ (Intermittent)\ [Lungs,\ Thorax,\ or\ Respiration\ -\ Structural\ or\ functional\ change\ in\ trachea\ or\ bronchi;\ Lungs,\ Thorax,\ or\ Respiration\ -\ Chronic\ pulmonary\ edema;$ Inhalation:

Related to Chronic Data - death] (RTECS)

Phenol formaldehyde polymer:

RTECS Number: SM8542500

Skin:  $Administration \ onto \ the \ skin \ - \ Rat \ LD50: > 2 \ gm/kg \ [Details \ of \ toxic \ effects \ not \ reported \ other \ than \ and \ skin \ - \ skin \ skin \ - \ skin \$ 

Oral - Rat LD50 : >5 gm/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value ] (RTECS) Ingestion:

### SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity: No ecotoxicity data was found for the product.

# SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal: Use standard landfill methods consistent with applicable Federal, State, Provincial and local laws.

### SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Shipping Name: Not regulated as hazardous material for transportation.

DOT UN Number: Not regulated as hazardous material for transportation.

IATA Shipping Name: Not regulated as hazardous material for transportation.

Canadian Shipping Name: This product is Not Regulated under the Transportation of Dangerous Goods Act. (CAN).

### SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

**Inventory Status** 

	Canada DSL	TSCA Inventory		
		Status		
Zirconium dioxide	Listed	Listed		
Precipitated Calcium Carbonate	Listed	Listed		
Polyester	Listed	Listed		
Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous	Listed	Listed		
Phenol formaldehyde polymer	Listed	Listed		

### Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous:

Canada IDL: Identified under the Canadian Hazardous Products Act Ingredient Disclosure List: 0.1%.50(1298)

Zirconium dioxide:

EC Number: 215-227-2

<u>Calcium Silicate</u>:

EC Number: 237-772-5

**Precipitated Calcium Carbonate:** 

EC Number: 207-439-9

 $\underline{\textbf{Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous}}:$ 

EC Number: 215-691-6

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Zirconium dioxide		Listed		
Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous	Listed	Listed	Listed: NJ Hazardous List; Substance Number: 2891	

## SECTION 16: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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