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SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Coated Abrasive

MSDS Manufacturer

Number:

CA_AII

Manufacturer Name:

Saint-Gobain Abrasives, Inc.

Address:

1 New Bond Street Worcester, MA 01615

Website:
General Phone Number:

www.Nortonabrasives.com

Emergency Phone Number: MSDS Creation Date:

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HMIS				
Health Hazard	1			
Fire Hazard	0			
Reactivity	0			
Personal Protection	x			

SECTION 2: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS#	Ingredient Percent	EC Num.	
Titanium dioxide	13463-67-7	0 - 1 by weight		
Proprietary ingredients	No Data	5 - 10 by weight		
Calcium Silicate	13983-17-0	10 - 30 by weight	237-772-5	
Zirconium dioxide	1314-23-4	5 - 10 by weight	215-227-2	
Nylon	No Data	5 - 10 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		
Paper - Processed Cellulose	9004-34-6	10 - 30 by weight	232-674-9	

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

and disturbances.

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

practiced.

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

Eye Contact: 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.

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

Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

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

medical attention.

Ingestion: 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.

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: 1

NFPA Flammability: 0

NFPA Reactivity: 1

NFPA Other:

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Methods for cleanup: 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. Dispose of in accordance with Local, State, Federal and Provincial regulations.

SECTION 7: HANDLING and STORAGE

Handling: Handle with adequate ventilation for nuisance dust.

Storage: No special storage conditions required.

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.

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

Skin Protection Description:

Protective gloves. Long sleeved shirt and long pants.

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

appropriate certified respirators.

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:

General Hygiene Considerations: 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.

EXPOSURE GUIDELINES

Ingredient	Guideline OSHA	Guideline NIOSH	Guideline ACGIH	Quebec Canada	Ontario Canada
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)	
Zirconium dioxide			TLV-TWA: 10 mg/m3 as zirconium compounds		
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)
Paper - Processed Cellulose	PEL-TWA: 15 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T) PEL-TWA: 5 mg/m3 Respirable fraction (R)	REL-TWA: 10 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T) REL-TWA: 5 mg/m3 Respirable fraction (R)	TLV-TWA: 10 mg/m3	VEMP-TWA: 10 ppm Total particulate/dust (T)	OEL-TWAEV: 10 mg/m3 Total particulate/dust (T)
Ingredient	Alberta Canada	Mexico	British Columbia Canada		
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.

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

Calcium Silicate:

RTECS Number: ZC9750000

Zirconium dioxide:

RTECS Number: ZH8800000

Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous:

RTECS Number: BD1200000

Inhalation: 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;

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

lethal dose value] (RTECS)

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

Paper - Processed Cellulose:

RTECS Number: FJ5691460

Inhalation: Inhalation - Rat LC50: >5800 mg/m3/4H [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose

value] (RTECS)

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

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

	EINECS Number	Canada DSL	TSCA Inventory Status	
Zirconium dioxide		Listed	Listed	
Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous		Listed	Listed	
Phenol formaldehyde polymer		Listed	Listed	
Paper - Processed Cellulose	232-674-9	Listed	Listed	

Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous:

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

Calcium Silicate:

EC Number: 237-772-5

Zirconium dioxide:

EC Number: 215-227-2

Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous:

EC Number: 215-691-6

Paper - Processed Cellulose:

EC Number: 232-674-9

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	PA	MA	NJ	
Zirconium dioxide		Listed		
Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous	Listed	Listed	Listed: NJ Hazardous List; Substance Number: 2891	
Paper - Processed Cellulose	Listed	Listed		

SECTION 16: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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