

Material Safety Data Sheet

May be used to comply with OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200. Standard must be consulted for specific requirements.

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IDENTITY RESIN FIBER DISC
TYPE "A"

Note: Blank spaces are not permitted. If any item is not applicable, or no information is available, the space must be marked to indicate that.

Section I

Manufacturer's Name GLIT/GEMTEX COMPANY LIMITED	Emergency Telephone Number 416 245 5605
Address (Number, Street, City, State, and ZIP Code) 60 BELFIELD ROAD	Telephone Number for Information 416 245 5605
TORONTO, ONTARIO	Date Prepared 3-Jan-01
M9W 1G1, CANADA	Signature of Preparer (optional)

Section II - Hazardous Ingredients/Identity Information

Hazardous Components (Specific Chemical Identity; Common Name(s))	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	Other Limits Recommended	% (optional)
VULCANIZED FIBER	N/A	N/A	N/A	30-70
ALUMINUM OXIDE Al ₂ O ₃	15 mg/m ³	10 mg/m ³	1344-28-1	5.0-50
ZIRCONIA ALUMINA ZrO ₂	5 mg/m ³	5 mg/m ³	1314-23-4	00-30
BINDER SYSTEM	N/A	N/A	N/A	13-25
CRYOLITE Na ₃ AlF ₆	15 mg/m ³	2 mg/m ³	15096-523	6.0-15

Section III - Physical/Chemical Characteristics

Boiling Point N/A	Specific Gravity (H ₂ O = 1) N/A
Vapor Pressure (mm Hg) N/A	Melting Point N/A
Vapor Density (Air = 1) N/A	Evaporation rate (Butyl Acetate = 1) N/A

Solubility in Water

N/A

Appearance and Odor

Green backing-odorless

Section IV - Fire and Explosion Hazard Data

Flash Point (Method Used) N/A	Flammable Limits	LEL N/A	UEL N/A
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Extinguishing Media

Water spray, Co₂, Foam, Dry chemical or any class A extinguishing agent

Special Firefighting Procedures

Backing & resin binder will burn or decompose. Use respiratory protection.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards

N/A

Section V - Reactivity Data

Stability	Unstable	Conditions to Avoid
	Stable	X No applicable information found

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid)
N/A

Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts
During use, dust and fumes are generated, generally more from material being ground.

Hazardous Polymerization	May Occur	Conditions to Avoid
	Will Not Occur	X No applicable information found

Section VI - Health Hazard Data

Route(s) of Entry:	Inhalation? fume/dust during use	Skin? Abrasion	Ingestion? Not known nor recommended
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Health Hazards (Acute and Chronic)
Nuisance dust, respirable - 5mg/m3, total - 15mg/m3, may irritate eyes, elevated sound level during use on some metal / jobs.

Carcinogenicity:	NTP? N/A	IARC Monographs? N/A	OSHA Regulated? N/A
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Signs and Symptoms of Exposure
Could cause coughing and shortness of breath due to dust, may affect breathing, may cause abrasion on skin, dust may irritate eyes.

Medical Conditions
Generally Aggravated by Exposure N/A

Emergency and First Aid Procedure
Remove to fresh air if needed, wash eyes with water, obtain first aid or medical assistant as deemed necessary.

Section VII - Precautions for Safe Handling and Use

Steps to be Taken in Case Material is Released or Spilled
N/A

Waste Disposal Method
No special procedure required, standard landfill consistence with applicable federal, state and local laws.

Precautions to be Taken in Handling and Storage
Handling: OSHA 29c FR 1910-94 (ventilation) and OSHA 29C FR 1910.1000 (air contaminates)

Storage: Away from heat source. Ideally at 35% - 50% RH and 60 - 70 deg. F with ventilation.

Other Precautions
Use CAMI (Coated Abrasive Mfg. Institute) guidelines, follow tool guidelines.

Section VIII - Control Measures

Respiratory Protection (Specify Type)
As required - approve dust respirator OSHA 24C FR 1910.134

Ventilation	Local Exhaust	Special
	Recommended	No applicable information found
	Mechanical (General)	Other
	Recommended	No applicable information found

Protective Gloves
Recommended

Other Protective Clothing or Equipment
Protective clothing recommended to cover exposed skin

Work/Hygenic Practices
Eye/face/hearing protection - (ANSI std. Z87.1) OSHA 29CFR 1910.133 , OSHA 29CFR 1910.134