

## 1. Identification

**Product identifier**                      **Vitrified Bonded Product**

**Other means of identification**

**Product code**                      T000119

**Recommended use**                      Abrasive Product

**Recommended restrictions**                      None known.

**Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information**

**United States**

**Address:**                      Saint-Gobain Abrasives  
One New Bond Street  
Worcester, MA 01615

**General Phone Number:**                      800-551-4413

**Website:**                      www.Nortonabrasives.com

**Canada**

**Company name:**                      Saint-Gobain Canada, Inc.

**Address:**                      28 Albert Street, W.  
Plattsville, ON NOJ 1S0

**General Phone Number:**                      519-684-7441

**Website:**                      www.Nortonabrasives.com

**Emergency phone number:**                      508-795-5000

**CHEMTREC:**                      For emergencies in the US or Canada, call CHEMTREC: 800-424-9300

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

**Physical hazards**                      Not classified.

**Health hazards**                      Not classified.

**Environmental hazards**                      Not classified.

**OSHA defined hazards**                      Not classified.

**Label elements**

**Hazard symbol**                      None.

**Signal word**                      None.

**Hazard statement**                      The mixture does not meet the criteria for classification.

**Precautionary statement**

**Prevention**                      Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

**Response**                      Wash hands after handling.

**Storage**                      Store away from incompatible materials.

**Disposal**                      Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

**Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)**                      None known.

**Supplemental information**

100% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute oral toxicity. 100% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute dermal toxicity. 100% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity. 100% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute hazards to the aquatic environment. 100% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown long-term hazards to the aquatic environment.

**3. Composition/information on ingredients****Mixtures**

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous		1344-28-1	60 - 100
Amorphous Silica, Fused		60676-86-0	5 - 20
Chromium (III) Oxide		No Data	1 - 5

**4. First-aid measures****Inhalation**

Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

**Skin contact**

Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

**Eye contact**

Do not rub eyes. Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

**Ingestion**

Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

**Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed**

Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes.

**Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

Treat symptomatically.

**General information**

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

**5. Fire-fighting measures****Suitable extinguishing media**

Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

**Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters**

Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

**Fire fighting equipment/instructions**

Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

**Specific methods**

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

**General fire hazards**

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

**6. Accidental release measures****Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up. Collect dust using a vacuum cleaner equipped with HEPA filter. Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk.

Large Spills: Wet down with water and dike for later disposal. Shovel the material into waste container. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Small Spills: Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

**Environmental precautions**

Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

## 7. Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Avoid prolonged exposure. Practice good housekeeping. For industrial or professional use only. Always read, understand and follow the Safety Guide insert as well as the Safety Data Sheet before use. Use care when handling and storing abrasive wheels and products. Always inspect products for cracks, chips, nicks and for possible damage before mounting and ring test vitrified wheels. Damaged product can break apart during use and cause serious injury. Always use a guard, never exceed maximum operating speed, mount and operate according to ANSI B7.1 for Bonded Abrasive products and ANSI B7.7 for Coated Abrasive products.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

### Protective measures

Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Use only with adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust. Read the Safety Data Sheet of the material you are grinding, polishing, cutting, sanding, etc. for appropriate respiratory protection. Wash hands after handling

### Storage conditions

Bonded Abrasive products should be stored according to ANSI B7.1 and not be exposed to extreme temperatures or conditions that cause condensation. Coated Abrasive products should be stored according to ANSI B7.7 and between 35-50% relative humidity and between 60-80 degrees Fahrenheit.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Occupational exposure limits

The following constituents are the only constituents of the product which have a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit. At this time, the other constituents have no known exposure limits.

#### US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous (CAS 1344-28-1)	PEL	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m3	Total dust.

#### US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous (CAS 1344-28-1)	TWA	5 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m3	Total dust.
		50 mppcf	Total dust.
		15 mppcf	Respirable fraction.
Amorphous Silica, Fused (CAS 60676-86-0)	TWA	0.8 mg/m3	
		20 mppcf	

#### US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Components	Type	Value	Form
Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous (CAS 1344-28-1)	TWA	1 mg/m3	Respirable fraction.

#### US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards

Components	Type	Value
Amorphous Silica, Fused (CAS 60676-86-0)	TWA	6 mg/m3

### Biological limit values

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

<b>Appropriate engineering controls</b>	Good general ventilation should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. If engineering measures are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of dust particulates below the Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL), suitable respiratory protection must be worn. If material is ground, cut, or used in any operation which may generate dusts, use appropriate local exhaust ventilation to keep exposures below the recommended exposure limits.
<b>Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment</b>	
<b>Eye/face protection</b>	Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).
<b>Skin protection</b>	
<b>Hand protection</b>	Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.
<b>Other</b>	Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing.
<b>Respiratory protection</b>	Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits.
<b>Thermal hazards</b>	Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.
<b>General hygiene considerations</b>	Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

### Appearance

<b>Physical state</b>	Solid.
<b>Form</b>	Powder.
<b>Color</b>	Not available.
<b>Odor</b>	Not available.
<b>Odor threshold</b>	Not available.
<b>pH</b>	Not available.
<b>Melting point/freezing point</b>	3110 °F (1710 °C) estimated
<b>Initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	4046 °F (2230 °C) estimated
<b>Flash point</b>	Not available.
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not available.
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not available.

### Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

<b>Flammability limit - lower (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Flammability limit - upper (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Explosive limit - lower (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Explosive limit - upper (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	0.00001 hPa estimated
<b>Vapor density</b>	Not available.
<b>Relative density</b>	Not available.
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	
<b>Solubility (water)</b>	Not available.
<b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>	Not available.
<b>Auto-ignition temperature</b>	Not available.
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	Not available.
<b>Viscosity</b>	Not available.
<b>Other information</b>	
<b>Density</b>	4.00 g/cm3 estimated
<b>Explosive properties</b>	Not explosive.

<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	Not oxidizing.
<b>Specific gravity</b>	4 estimated

## 10. Stability and reactivity

<b>Reactivity</b>	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
<b>Chemical stability</b>	Material is stable under normal conditions.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	Avoid temperatures exceeding the decomposition temperature. Contact with incompatible materials.
<b>Incompatible materials</b>	Acids. Chlorine. Fluorine.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	No hazardous decomposition products are known.

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on likely routes of exposure

<b>Inhalation</b>	Dust may irritate respiratory system. Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Dust or powder may irritate the skin.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Dust may irritate the eyes.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

<b>Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics</b>	Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes.
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### Information on toxicological effects

<b>Acute toxicity</b>	Not known.
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Components	Species	Test Results
Amorphous Silica, Fused (CAS 60676-86-0)		
<b>Acute</b>		
<b>Oral</b>		
LD50	Rat	> 22500 mg/kg

<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.
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<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.
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### Respiratory or skin sensitization

<b>Respiratory sensitization</b>	Not a respiratory sensitizer.
<b>Skin sensitization</b>	This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.

<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.
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<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.
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### IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Amorphous Silica, Fused (CAS 60676-86-0)	3 Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.
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### OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)

Not listed.

### US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

Not listed.

<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.
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<b>Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure</b>	Not classified.
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<b>Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure</b>	Not classified.
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<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	Not an aspiration hazard.
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<b>Chronic effects</b>	Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.
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<b>Further information</b>	This product has no known adverse effect on human health.
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## 12. Ecological information

<b>Ecotoxicity</b>	The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.
<b>Persistence and degradability</b>	No data is available on the degradability of any ingredients in the mixture.
<b>Bioaccumulative potential</b>	No data available.
<b>Mobility in soil</b>	No data available.
<b>Other adverse effects</b>	No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

## 13. Disposal considerations

<b>Disposal instructions</b>	Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site.
<b>Local disposal regulations</b>	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.
<b>Hazardous waste code</b>	The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.
<b>Waste from residues / unused products</b>	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).
<b>Contaminated packaging</b>	Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

## 14. Transport information

<b>DOT</b>	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
<b>IATA</b>	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
<b>IMDG</b>	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
<b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code</b>	Not applicable.

## 15. Regulatory information

<b>US federal regulations</b>	This product is not known to be a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.	
<b>Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)</b>	One or more components of the mixture are not on the TSCA 8(b) inventory or are designated "inactive".	
<b>TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)</b>	Not regulated.	
<b>CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)</b>	Not listed.	
<b>SARA 304 Emergency release notification</b>	Not regulated.	
<b>OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)</b>	Not listed.	
<b>Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)</b>		
<b>SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance</b>	Not listed.	
<b>SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical</b>	No	
<b>SARA 313 (TRI reporting)</b>		
<b>Chemical name</b>	<b>CAS number</b>	<b>% by wt.</b>
Aluminum Oxide, Non-fibrous	1344-28-1	60 - 100
<b>Other federal regulations</b>		
<b>Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List</b>	Not regulated.	

**Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)**

Not regulated.

**Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)** Not regulated.**US state regulations****California Proposition 65**

According to the Superior Court of California Consent Judgement 995893 issued on September 29, 2000 abrasive products from Saint-Gobain Abrasives are exempt from the Proposition 65 warning requirements.

**International Inventories**

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	No
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	No
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	No
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	No
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	No
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	No
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	No
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	No
Taiwan	Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI)	No
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	No

\*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

**16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision****Issue date** 04-09-2021**Version #** 01

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