MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Manufacturer's Name

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Chemical Name and Synonyms

Compounded tool - coated abrasive

Trade Name and Synonyms

SB 348 YR, Grit # 24 - # 60

RB 484 TY, Grit # 36 - # 120

RB 484 Z, Grit # 24 - # 80

SB 488 Y Grit # 36 - 80

SB 488 YR, Grit # 24 - 80

Chemical Family

Dressed polyester cloth and cured phenolic resin

Formula

Grain: ZrO₂ - Al₂O₃

Section II - Hazardous Ingredients

Components	% by Wt.	OSHA PEL	TLV (TWA)
Aluminum Oxide	9 - 34	see 5.	10 mg/m ³
Alumina-Zirkonia	6 - 27	5 mg/m ³ as Zr	5 mg/m ³ as Zr
Calcium carbonate	5 - 9	see 5.	10 mg/m ³
Inorganic Fluorides	2 - 6	2.5 mg/m ³ as F	2.5 mg/m ³ as F

Total nuisance dust Total dust: Respirable fraction:	15 mg/m ³ 5 mg/m ³	
Particulates Not Otherwise Classified (PNOC) Inhalable fraction: Respirable fraction:		10 mg/m ³ 3 mg/m ³
Section III - Physical Data	·	,

Boiling point	N/A	Specific gravity	N/A
Vapor pressure	N/A	Percent volatile by Vol.	N/A
Vapor density	N/A	Evaporation rate	N/A

Solubility in water not soluble

Appearance and odor

Solid tool, may release a weak odor of phenolic resin

Section IV - Fire and Explosion Hazard Data

Flash point	N/A	Flammable limits	N/A
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Extinguishing media water, CO₂

Special fire fighting procedures

Resin binder will decompose and may release a small amount of phenol and formaldehyde. Use respiratory protection

Unusual fire and explosion hazards N/A

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Section V - Health Hazard Data

Threshold limit value: See Section II

Effects of overexposure: See Addendum

Emergency and first aid procedures: See Addendum

Section VI - Reactivity D	ata				
Stability	Unstable		Conditiones to avoid		
			N/A		
	Stable	X			
Incompability (materials t	o avoid) N/A				
Hazardous decompositio	n products See Section	on IV			
Hazardous	May occur		Conditions to avoid		
polymerisation			N/A		
	Will not occur	X			
Section VII - Spill or Lea	k Procedures, Storag	je and H	andling		
Steps to be taken in case	material is released	or spille	d		
Normal clean up procedure	s				
Storage Recommended co	nditions: 20 (±2)°C, 45	5-65 % re	elative humi-		
dity. A large stock may rele	ase a weak odor of ph	enolic re	sin.		
Handling and use proced	ures No special recom	nmendati	ons.		
Waste disposal method					
Landfill. Should run in comp	pliance with federal, st	ate and l	ocal law.		
Section VIII - Special Pro	Section VIII - Special Protection Information				
Protective Equipment		See			
			Addendum		
Ventilation					
Section IX - Special Precautions					
Precautions to be taken in handling and storing					
Handle with care. Product may cause cuts or abrasions.					

OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910-1200

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to Section V - Health Hazard Data

PRIMARY ROUTES OF ENTRY	ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS	CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS	EMERGENCY AN FIRST AID PROCEDURES
INHALATION	Excessive concentra-tions of dust may cause throat irritations	May effect breathing capacity	Move to fresh air, seek medical advice if chronic
EYES	Dust may irritate eyes. Abrasive grit in eyes may cause damage	n/a	Wash with large quantities of water. Seek medical advice if irritation persists
EYES	May cause abrasions and cuts. Some may experience irritations from dust	n/a	Wash well with soap and water. Treat and protect cuts
INGESTION	No known hazard	n/a	Seek medical advice if any symptoms
OTHER POTENTIAL RISKS	n/a	On some lines and materials sound levels may be created which affect hearing	Obtain medical assistance if necessary

MEDICAL CONDITIONS OF AGGRAVATION:

Preexisting skin-, upper airway- and eyedisorders may be aggravated by exposure to abrasive grinding dust.

to Section VIII - Special Protection Information

Personal Protection in Use:

In all cases the material removed from the work piece will be significantly greater than the coated abrasive product components. Users must assess the hazards caused by the abrasive process and material beeing abraded. Exposures to abrasive grinding dust (originated by work piece and abrasive product) should be kept as low as practicable.

Ventilation:

Local Exhaust: Recommended to keep dust levels below TLV's. See also OSHA 29 CFR 1910.94.

Respiratory Protection:

In work areas without adequate local exhaust ventilation use approved dust respirator. See also OSHA 29 CFR 1910. 134.

Eye Protection: Use safety glasses during grinding. See also OSHA 29 CFR 1910.133

Protective Gloves: Recommended Hearing Protection: May be required

Other Protective Equipment: Depends on local conditions

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