# SAFETY DATA SHEET ALUMINUM OXIDE (Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>)

### **IDENTIFICATION** 1.

Name of Product:

Brown Aluminum Oxide

Producer:

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# HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

Critical hazards to man

and environment:

Not applicable

### COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS 3.

Chemical Identity:

Aluminum Oxide (Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>)

CAS No.

1344-28-1

## FIRST AID MEASURES

If dust is inhaled while blasting, move person to fresh air. Seek medical attention Inhalation:

if irritation persists.

Skin Contact: No special action required

Eye Contact: If dust gets into eye, rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing until irritation ceases.

Ingestion: No special action required

#### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Not flammable.

Use extinguishing measures appropriate to the source of the Suitable extinguishing media:

fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing media:

None known

Specific hazards in case of fire:

None known

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters:

Not applicable

### **ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES** 6.

Avoid dust formation. Wear personal protective equipment Personal precautions:

as outlined in Section 8.

Environmental precautions:

No special measures required.

Methods and materials for

containment and cleaning up: Pick up mechanically and dispose of in accordance with

local regulations.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling: Avoid dust formation.

Conditions for safe storage

including incompatibilities: No special precautionary measures,

no known incompatible materials.

### **EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION** 8.

Information on the system design: Not applicable

Avoid inhaling dust. Fine dust mask with category P1 filter Respiratory protection:

must be used if fine dust limits are exceeded.

Safety glasses are recommended. Eye protection:

Protective gloves are recommended to avoid abrasions. Skin protection:

### PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Grains, powder Physical state:

Color: Brown, Gray, Black, White

**Odorless** Odor:

Odor threshold: Not applicable Not applicable pH value: Approx 2000°C Melting point: Not applicable Freezing point:

Flash point: Not applicable Evaporation rate: Not applicable Flammability: Not applicable **Explosion limits:** Not applicable Vapor pressure: Not applicable Specific gravity: (3, 7-4, 5) g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Bulk density:  $(500 - 2500) \text{ kg/m}^3$ Solubility in water: Practically insoluble

Auto-ignition temperature: Not applicable Decomposition temperature: Not applicable

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability: The material is stable, not hazardous.

Possibility of hazardous reactions:
Conditions to avoid:
Materials to avoid:
None known
Not applicable
Hazardous decomposition products:
None known

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No hazardous effects known, if used properly. Acute toxicity: None known

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Persistence and degradability: Chemically inert and insoluble in water. Separation by mechanical processes (sedimentation, filtration, etc.).

Behavior in environmental compartments: No environmental problems known. No harmful effect on water organisms anticipated.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste disposal: Can be stored with domestic waste. Observe local by-laws.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Land transport:
Inland waterways:
Maritime transport:
Non hazardous material
Non hazardous material
Non hazardous material
Non hazardous material

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Danger symbol and danger text of the product: None

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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