

Safety Data Sheet

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RCM – Ceramax

Product code: RCM

CHAPTER 1: Product and company Identification

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Product	
Identification:	RCM – Ceramax
Application:	Industrial grinding accessory used for grinding operations of various materials, including

CHAPTER 2: Hazards identification

metals.

Hazard classification	Sigma Green products are considered non-hazardous under
	OSHA CHS 29 CRF 1910.1200

Label elements Not applicable

Pictograms Not applicable

Precautionary statements

Always wear appropriate safety gear when using this product. (See section 8 for Personal Protective Equipment) Refer to ANSI B7.1, Safety Requirements for the Use, Care and Protection of Abrasive Grinding Wheels. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

Supplemental labelling

Prolonged exposure to elevated noise levels during operations may affect hearing. A greater hazard, in most cases, is the exposure to the dust/fumes from the material or paint/coatings being ground. Most of the dust generated during grinding is from the base material being ground and the potential hazard from this exposure must be evaluated. This dust may present a fire or dust explosion hazard and may present a serious health hazard.



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CHAPTER 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical name	CAS No.	Concentration	
Aluminium Oxide	1344-28-1	50 - 60%	
Zirconium Oxide	1314-23-4	10 - 20%	
Chromic Oxide	1308-38-9	2%	
Titanium Dioxide	13463-67-7	0.3%	
Phenolic abrasive binder**	N/A	20 -22%	
Fiberglass	65997-17-3	5%	
Alkali Aluminium Fluorides**	60304-36-1/15096-52-1	0-5%	

**Substance is a compound and/or mixture

The specific identity and/or exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

CHAPTER 4: First aid measures

Eyes

Skin

Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Flush eyes thoroughly with large amounts of water, holding eyelids open. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

Wash skin with soap and water. If irritation or other symptoms develop, seek medical attention.

Ingestion

Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth with water. Seek medical attention if large amount is swallowed or if you feel unwell.

Inhalation

Move person to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, have qualified personnel administer oxygen. Seek medical attention if irritation or other symptoms persist.

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Dust may cause eye and respiratory irritation. Prolonged inhalation of high concentration of dust may cause adverse effects on the lungs. Exposure to dust generated from processing the base material or coatings may present additional health hazards.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Immediate medical attention should not be required.

CHAPTER 5: Fire-fighting measures

Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Use any media that is suitable for the surrounding fire. Do not use water on fires involving metals dusts. Use an appropriate dry powder.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

This product is not flammable or combustible; however, consideration must be given to the potential fire/explosion hazards from the base material being processed. Many materials create flammable/explosive dusts or turnings when machined or ground.



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Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear full emergency equipment and NIOSH approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus.

CHAPTER 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment, and emergency procedures

Wear appropriate respirator and protective clothing as needed to avoid eye contact and inhalation of dust. (See section 8 for Personal Protective Equipment)

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Carefully collect dry material, avoiding the creation of airborne dust. Place in a suitable container for disposal.

CHAPTER 7: Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Check all wheels for cracks and or other damage before mounting.

Never exceed the maximum operating speed of the abrasive wheel.

Always check mounting flanges for equal and correct diameter.

Run wheel at operating speed, with guard in place, for at least one minute before use.

Wheels must always be properly guarded.

Always wear appropriate safety gear.

Do not use wheels that have been dropped or otherwise damaged.

Do not use excessive pressure when mounting wheels between flanges.

Do not use heavy side grinding pressure on any Type 1 straight sided wheel.

Do not mount more than one wheel on a single arbor.

Avoid breathing dust. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid eye and skin contact with grinding dust. Wear suitable gloves, eye protection and appropriate protective clothing according to the operation. Wash thoroughly after handling. Consider potential exposure to components of the base materials or coatings being ground. Refer to OSHA's substance specific standards for additional work practice requirements where applicable.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Ceramax products should be stored in a dry area in rooms not subject to extreme temperature changes.



CHAPTER 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Exposure guidelines

Aluminium Oxide	5 mg/m3 TWA (respirable) OSHA PEL
	15 mg/m3 TWA (total dust) OSHA PEL
	1 mg/m3 TWA ACGIH TLV
Zirconium Oxide (as zirconium compounds)	5 mg/m3 TWA (respirable) OSHA PEL
	5 mg/m3 TWA ACGIH TLV
	10 mg/m3 STEL (as Zr) ACGIH TLV
Chromic Oxide	0.5mg/m3 TWA (total dust) OSHA PEL 0.5mg/m3 TWA
	(total dust) ACGIH TLV
Titanium Dioxide	15 mg/m3 TWA (total dust) OSHA PEL
	10 mg/m3 TWA ACGIH TLV
	5 mg/m3 TWA (respirable) CMRG
Resin Coated Fiberglass	5 mg/m3 TWA (respirable) OSHA PEL
	15 mg/m3 TWA (total dust) OSHA PEL
	5 mg/m3 TWA (Inhalable) ACGIH TLV
	1 f/cc TWA (respirable fraction) ACGIH TLV
Alkali Aluminum Fluorides	2.5 mg/m3 TWA (respirable) OSHA PEL 10 mg/m3 TWA
	(total dust) ACGIH PEL
Phenolic Abrasive Binder	Not established

SOURCE OF EXPOSURE LIMIT DATA

ACGIH: American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienist

CMRC: Chemical Manufacturer Recommended Guideline

OSHA: Occupational Safety and health Administration

Note: Consider also components of base materials and coatings being ground.

Appropriate engineering controls Use with adequate general or local exhaust ventilation to maintain exposure levels below the occupational exposure limits.

Personal Protective Equipment

Respiratory protection

Not necessary unless workplace concentrations of hazardous constituents exceed the exposure limits. If the exposure levels are excessive and irritation or other symptoms are experienced, an approved respirator should be worn. Consider the potential for exposure to components of the coatings or base material being ground in selecting proper respiratory protection. Refer to OSHA's specific standards for lead, cadmium, etc. where appropriate. Respirator selection and use should be based on contaminant type, form and concentration. Follow OSHA 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 or other applicable regulations and standards and good Industrial Hygiene practice.

Skin protection

Protective gloves recommended to avoid skin abrasion when handling grinding wheels. Wear protective clothing as required to avoid skin contact when handling.

Eye protection

Use safety glasses with side shields or goggles.



Other

Hearing protection recommended if operation is noisy.

CHAPTER 9: Physical and chemical properties

Appearance: Solid ArticleColour: GreenOdour: Slight odour may be noticed when in use

Odour threshold: Not available	pH: Not applicable
Melting point/freezing point: Not	Boiling point: Not applicable
available	
Flash point: Not flammable	Evaporation rate: Not applicable
Flammability (solid, gas): Not	
flammable	
Flammable limits: LEL: Not applicable	UEL: Not applicable
Vapour pressure: Not applicable	Vapour density: Not applicable
Relative density: Not available	Solubility in Water: Insoluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	Auto-ignition temperature: Not
Not applicable	applicable

CHAPTER 10: Stability and reactivity

ReactivityNot reactive under normal conditions of use and storage.Chemical stabilityStable

Possibility of hazardous reactions None known.

Conditions to avoid None known.

Incompatible materials None known.

Hazardous decomposition products

None known. Dust from grinding could contain potentially hazardous components of the base material being ground or coatings applied to the base material.

CHAPTER 11: Toxicological information

Acute effects of exposure

Inhalation

Breathing dust may cause irritation to the nose, throat and upper respiratory tract.

Skin contact

May cause abrasive skin irritation.

Eye contact

May cause abrasive irritation and injury.

Ingestion

Not toxic. Swallowing may cause gastrointestinal disturbances or obstruction.

Carcinogenicity

This product contains titanium dioxide. Titanium dioxide is listed by IARC as a group 2B carcinogen (suspected human carcinogen). Cancer of the lungs has been associated with titanium dioxide. No

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exposure to titanium dioxide is anticipated during normal use of Sigma Green products using the standard precautions outlined in this document.

No other components are listed as carcinogens or suspected carcinogens by OSHA, NPT, ACGIH or IARC.

Chronic Health Effects

Prolonged inhalation of respirable dust may cause adverse lung effects, including cancer. Chronic effects may be aggravated by smoking. Prolonged exposure to elevated noise levels during operations may affect hearing. A greater hazard, in most cases, is the exposure to the dust/fumes from the material or paint/coatings being ground. Most of the dust generated during grinding is from the base material being ground and the potential hazard from this exposure must be evaluated.

Sensitization

No data available for the product. Not expected to be a skin sensitizer based on human experience. Germ cell mutagenicity: This product is not expected to present a risk of genetic damage.

Reproductive Toxicity

No specific data is available; however, this product is not expected to present a risk of adverse reproductive or developmental toxicity.

Acute toxicity values

Aluminium Oxide: LD50 Oral rat >10000 mg/kg; LC50 Inhalation rat >2.3 mg/L/4 hr Zirconium Oxide: LD50 Oral rat > 5000 mg/kg; LC50 Inhalation rat > 4.3 mg/L/4hr Chromic Oxide: No acute toxicity data available Titanium Dioxide: LD50 Oral rat > 5000 mg/kg; LC50 Inhalation rat > 6.82 mg/L/4hr Alkali Aluminium Fluorides: LD50 Oral rat > 5000 mg/kg Phenolic abrasive binder: No acute toxicity data available Fiberglass: No acute toxicity data available

CHAPTER 12: Ecological information

No adverse effects on aquatic organisms are expected. However, consideration must be given to potential environment effects of the base material being processed.

Ecotoxicity values

Aluminium oxide: NOEC 96 hr Salmo trutta >100 mg/L; NOEC 48 hr daphnia magna >100 mg/L; NOEC 72 hr Zirconium Dioxide: LL50 96 hr Danio rerio>1000 mg/L: NOEC 48 hr daphnia magna > 100 mg/L Fiberglass: LC50 96 hr Danio rerio >1000 mg/L; EC50 72 hr daphnia magna >1000 mg/L; EC50 72 hr Titanium Dioxide: : EC50 72 hr Pseudokirchnerella subcapitata 61 mg/L Phenolic abrasive binder: No data available. Alkali Aluminium Fluorides: No acute toxicity data available Chromic Oxide: No data available

Persistence and degradability: Biodegradation is not applicable to inorganic substances.Bioaccumulative potential: No data available.Mobility in soil: No data available.Other adverse effects: None known.



CHAPTER 13: Disposal considerations

Dispose in accordance with all local, state and national regulations. Local regulations may be more stringent than regional and national requirements. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical characteristics of the material to determine the proper waste identification and disposal in compliance with applicable regulations.

CHAPTER 14: Transport information

	UN Number	Proper shipping name	Hazard Class	Packing Group	Environmental Hazard
DOT	None	Not Regulated	None	None	
TDG	None	Not Regulated	None	None	

Transport in bulk (according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code)

Not applicable - product is transported only in packaged form.

Special precautions

None identified.

DEEL 15: Regulatory information

Safety, health, and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

EPA SARA 313

This product contains the following chemicals regulated under SARA Title III, section 313: None

California Proposition 65

Substances compound(s) known to the state of California to cause cancer and/or reproductive toxicity and subject to warning and discharge requirements under the "Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986"

Titanium Dioxide	CAS No. 13463-67-7	**Carcinogen
**WARNING		

EPA TSCA Inventory

This product meets the definition of an article and is exempt from the TSCA inventory requirements.



DEEL 16: Other information

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