MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION I - PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME:	ALUMINUM OXIDE		STOCK NO:	D675
DOT HAZARD LABEL:	None		UN NUMBER:	None
PROPER SHIPPING NAME:	None		DATE PREPAR	RED: 10/25/02
NFPA CODES:	HEALTH - 1	FLAMMABILITY -	0 REAC	CTIVITY - 0
SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS/IDENTITY INFORMATION				
HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS		CAS NUMBER	<u>PEL</u>	TLV %
Aluminum oxide (Fused White Alpha Alunina)		1344-28-1	10 mg/m^3	10 mg/m^3
SECTION III - PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS				
MELTING POINT:	+3600° F	SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H ₂ G	O=1):	3.9
VAPOR PRESSURE:	NA	PERCENT VOLATILES:		0%
VAPOR DENSITY (Air = 1):	NA	EVAPORATION RATE (B	utyl Acetate = 1):	NA
APPEARANCE AND ODOR:	White, odorless fine po	owder.		
SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA				
FLASH POINT (TCC):	NA FLAMMABLE LI	MIT (air, % by vol.)	JPPER: NA	LOWER: NA
EXTINGUISHER MEDIA: No	n-flammable; does not su	apport combustion. Not an ex	aplosion hazard.	
SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: None				
UNUSUAL FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS: None				
SECTION V - REACTIVITY DATA (PHYSICAL HAZARDS)				
STABILITY: X CONDITIONS TO AVOID:	STABLE [UNSTABLE		
INCOMPATIBILITY (Materials to avoid): Reacts violently with chlorine trifluoride, producing flames. Ethylene oxide polymerizes violently when in contact with pure aluminum oxide. Also incompatible with hot chlorinated rugger, acids, and oxidizers.				
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSIT PRODUCTS:	ION Thermal decom	position products will produc	e aluminum oxide.	
HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZA CONDITIONS TO AVOID:	TION:	MAY OCCUR	X WII	LL NOT OCCUR

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SECTION VI - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

PRIMARY ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY: X EYES SKIN X INHALATION INGESTION

HEALTH HAZARDS (Acute & Chronic): Non-toxic, nuisance dust. OSHA classifies this material as Particulate, Not Otherwise Classified. Eyes, Skin and Respiratory Tract may be irritated by gross overexposure to Particulate, Not Otherwise Classified, no matter how they are generated. Avoid inhalation of dust. Keep dust out of eyes to prevent possible irritation.

SIGNS & SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE: NA

CARCINOGENECITY: No NTP? No IARC MONOGRAPHS? No OSHA?

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES:

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. Treat as nuisance dust. Get medical help if discomfort persists.

EYES: Flush with water for 15 minutes, including under eyelids. Get medical attention if discomfort persists.

SKIN: Wash with soap and water. No evidence of adverse effects.

INGESTION: Non-toxic. Rinse mouth out with water. Call doctor if amount was large.

<u>SECTION VII - SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS AND SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES</u>

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING & STORAGE: None

OTHER PRECAUTIONS: None

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED: Sweep up to avoid slipping hazard. Keep airborne particulate at a minimum when cleaning up spills.

WASTE DISPOSAL METHODS (Consult federal, state, and local regulations): Waste may be considered as inert material. Disposed of in landfill or incinerated. Follow Federal, State, and Local regulations for disposal.

SECTION VII - SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION/CONTROL MEASURES

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Nuisance dust type if needed.

VENTILATION: Use with adequate ventilation to meet exposure limits.

PROTECTIVE GLOVES: None

EYE PROTECTION: Safety-glasses with side shields or goggles to prevent dust and particles from entering the eye.

OTHER PROTECTIVE CLOTHING OR EQUIPMENT: None

WORK/HYGIENIC PRACTICES: Wash hands before eating, drinking or smoking.

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