

### Safety Data Sheet

Flap wheels/nylon web grinding wheels According directive (EC) nr. 91/155 & ISO-standard 11014

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#### CHAPTER 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

Company

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**Product** 

Identification: Flap wheels/nylon web grinding wheels

**Application:** Coated abrasive material used for sanding and finishing operations of various materials,

including metals.

#### Imported notice

Coated abrasives are inert products which do not create any risk when handled or stored. When used on grinding machines they require specific measures to protect the operators. During the grinding operation 90% or more of the particulates of the dust come from the material being ground and, for wet grinding, from aerosols generated by the grinding fluid. Specific attention must therefore be given to the nature of the part and of the fluid and the appropriate protection devices must be installed.

#### **CHAPTER 2: Hazards identification**

#### 2.1. Classification

Not applicable

Abrasive wheels, not being a compound, are excluded from the list of dangerous products as defined in EC Reach Regulation.



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#### CHAPTER 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### Substances

The product contains the following ingredients:

Aluminium Oxide mineral Nylon Fiber Phenolic Resin Phenolic – Paper Epoxy Resin

#### **CHAPTER 4: First aid measures**

Applicable when abrasive wheels are in use on machines.

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation:Remove the person to fresh air. Seek medical advice if symptoms persist.Eye contact:Remove from exposure and flush eyes with large amount of water.

**Skin contact:** Wash affected area with soap and water.

Seek medical advice if symptoms persist.

**Ingestion:** No health effects are expected.

Note to physician: Not available

#### **CHAPTER 5: Firefighting measures**

Toxic fumes may occur. Use respiratory protective equipment. Extinguishing media: Water, foam, sand, powder or CO<sub>2</sub> as appropriate for surrounding materials.

#### CHAPTER 6: Accidental release measures

Not applicable

#### **CHAPTER 7: Handling and storage**

Follow instructions of grinding machine manufacturers and the relevant national regulations. Store in a dry and safe place. Be careful not to drop the wheels across the floor. Humidity, along with deformation from rough handling, can cause inadequacy of the product. If the wheels have been soaked or steeped, do not use them, even after a through drying. Store products for at least 24 hours at moderate temperatures below 40 °C (104 F)



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#### CHAPTER 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Respect maximum RPM as showed on sanding wheels.

Before grinding it is recommended to perform a risk assessment and to use personal protection equipment accordingly.

#### 8.1. Control parameters

Provide appropriate local exhaust ventilation for sanding, grinding or machining. Provide ventilation adequate to control dust concentrations below recommended exposure limits and/or control dust.

Use general dilution ventilation and/or local exhaust ventilation to controle airborne exposures and/or control dust, fume, or airborne particles. If ventilation is not adequate, use respiratory equipment.

Note: Hazardous dust of workpiece material may be generated during grinding and/or sanding operations. National regulations for dust exposure limit values have to be taken into consideration

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection: Use respiratory protective equipment

(Type depends on specific application and material being ground)

**Hand protection:** Wear protective gloves.

(Type depends on specific application and material being ground)

**Eye protection:** Wear protective goggles or face shield.

(Type depends on specific application and material being ground)

Ear protection: Use hearing protection

(Type depends on specific application and material being ground)

**Skin and body protection:** Use protective clothing.

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#### **CHAPTER 9: Physical and chemical properties**

#### 9.1.Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance:SolidColour:Bordeaux

**Odour:** Not applicable (may give off nonspecific smell in use)

Viscosity: Not applicable pH-waarde (at 20°C): Not applicable

Changes in the physical state

Melting point:Not applicableFlash point:Not applicable

Inflammability

Solid: Not applicable
Gas: Not applicable

**Explosive properties** 

Lower explosion limit: Not applicable Upper explosion limit: Not applicable

**Vapor pressure:** Not applicable

**Density:** Not applicable **Water solubility:** Not defined

Partition coëfficiënt: n-octanol/water: No data available

Auto-ignition temperature:No data availableIgnition temperature:No data availableThermal decomposition:No data availableBulk density:Not applicable

#### 9.2. Other information

None.

#### **CHAPTER 10: Stability and reactivity**

Not applicable.

Stability: Stable.

Abrasive wheels are stable when handled or stored correctly.

Reactivity:

Conditions to avoid: None known.

Materials to avoid: None know

Hazardous decomposition products:

Under recommended usage conditions, hazardous

decomposition products are not

expected. Hazardous decomposition products may occur as a

result of oxidation, heating, misuse or reaction with

another material.



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#### CHAPTER 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

No toxicological effects if inhaled or swallowed or with eye or skin contact are known. See also section 8.

#### **CHAPTER 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **Toxicity**

No effects known.

#### Persistence and degradability

No biodegradable potentials known.

#### Bio accumulative potential

No potentials known.

#### Mobility in soil

No potentials known.

#### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Not relevant

#### Other adverse effects

No effects known.

### **CHAPTER 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

**Product:** If not used, follow national and regional regulations.

After use, abrasive wheels may be contaminated with hazardous materials (particle or cooling agents) and should be disposed of in accordance with

national and regional regulations.

Packing: Follow national and regional regulations



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#### **CHAPTER 14: Transport information**

Abrasive wheels are excluded from the list of dangerous products as defined in EC Reach Regulation.

#### **DEEL 15: Regulatory information**

#### Safety, health and environmental regulations/ legislation specific for the product:

No specific labelling requirements under respective EC directives.

#### **National or local Regulations:**

Not relevant.

#### **DEEL 16: Other information**

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### **Technical specifications**

Product: AVF ST

Characteristic	Range	Specification	Test Method (UNIT)
Basis Weight	11% +/-	930	g/m²
Thickness	10% +/-	10,5	Mm
Type of fiber	-	Nylon dtex 22 dtez	Dtex
Mineral type	-	Aluminium oxide AL <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	-
Grade mineral	-	320	FEPA
Cure	1% +/-	98	%
Ashes at 800 °	3% +/-	60	%
Colour	-	Bordeaux	%
Abrasiveness	-	-	Mg
Tensile strength long	-	24	Kg/51mm
Tenile strength cross	-	21	Kg/51mm

Note: According to future historical values specs will be adjusted upon agreement

Product: AVF SO

Characteristic	Range	Specification	Test Method (UNIT)
Basis Weight	12% +/-	850	g/m²
Thickness	10% +/-	10,5	Mm
Type of fiber	-	Nylon dtex 22 dtez	Dtex
Mineral type	-	Aluminium oxide AL <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	-
Grade mineral	-	320	FEPA
Cure	1% +/-	98	%
Ashes at 800 °	3% +/-	60	%
Colour	-	Bordeaux	%
Abrasiveness	-	-	Mg
Tensile strength long	-	20	Kg/51mm
Tenile strength cross	-	19	Kg/51mm

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#### Product: AM

Characteristic	Range	Specification	Test Method (UNIT)
Basis Weight	5% +/-	1700	g/m²
Thickness	1% +/-	13,5	Mm
Type of fiber	-	Nylon 100 dtex/ 20 dtex mix	Dtex
Mineral type	-	Aluminium oxide AL <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	-
Grade mineral	-	180	FEPA
Cure	-	98	%
Ashes at 800°	-	58	%
Colour	-	Bordeaux	%
Abrasiveness	-	-	Mg
Tensile strength long	-	30	Kg/51mm
Tenile strength cross	-	20	Kg/51mm

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#### Product: AF

Characteristic	Range	Specification	Test Method (UNIT)
Basis Weight	14% +/-	1100	g/m²
Thickness	10% +/-	10,5	Mm
Type of fiber	-	Nylon 100 dtex 22 dtez	Dtex
Mineral type	-	Aluminium oxide AL <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	-
Grade mineral	-	240	FEPA
Cure	1% +/-	98	%
Ashes at 800 °	4% +/-	61	%
Colour	-	Bordeaux	%
Abrasiveness	-	-	Mg
Tensile strength long	-	28	Kg/51mm
Tenile strength cross	-	25	Kg/51mm

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Product: AC

Characteristic	Range	Specification	Test Method (UNIT)
Basis Weight	10% +/-	2200	g/m²
Thickness	8% +/-	13,5	Mm
Type of fiber	-	Nylon 100 dtex/ 20 dtex mix	Dtex
Mineral type	-	Aluminium oxide AL <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	-
Grade mineral	-	80	FEPA
Cure	1% +/-	98	%
Ashes at 800 °	4% +/-	63	%
Colour	-	Bordeaux	%
Abrasiveness	-	-	Mg
Tensile strength long	-	30	Kg/51mm
Tenile strength cross	-	20	Kg/51mm

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