



SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Identification

Product identifier STONETECH® Honing Powder 180 Grit

Other means of identification None.

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Refinishing calcium based stones.

Restrictions on use Not available.

Details of manufacturer or importer

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2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the hazardous chemical

Physical hazards Not classified.

Health hazards Not classified.

Environmental hazards Not classified.

Label elements, including precautionary statements

Hazard symbol(s) None.

Signal word None.

Hazard Statement(s) The mixture does not meet the criteria for classification.

Precautionary Statement(s)

Prevention Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Response No specific first aid measures noted.

Storage Store away from incompatible materials.

Disposal Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

Other hazards which do not result in classification None known.

Supplemental information None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixture

Identity of chemical ingredients	CAS number and other unique identifiers	Concentration of ingredients
Aluminium oxide	1344-28-1	> 99

Composition comments All concentrations are in percent by weight unless ingredient is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume.

4. First-aid measures

Description of necessary first aid measures

Inhalation	Remove victim to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms persist.
Skin contact	Wash area with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.
Eye contact	Do not rub eyes. Flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth and drink plenty of water. Only induce vomiting at the instruction of medical personnel. Get medical attention if any discomfort occurs.

Personal protection for first-aid responders Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

Symptoms caused by exposure Irritation of eyes and mucous membranes. Irritation of nose and throat.

Medical attention and special treatment Treat symptomatically.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	Water spray, foam, dry powder or carbon dioxide.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	No restrictions known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters Selection of respiratory protection for firefighting: follow the general fire precautions indicated in the workplace. Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Fire fighting equipment/instructions Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

Hazchem Code None.

General fire hazards The product is not flammable.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

For emergency responders Use personal protection recommended in Section 8 of the SDS.

Environmental precautions Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Do not vacuum clean unless vacuum cleaners are equipped with HEPA filter. For waste disposal, see Section 13 of the SDS.

Other issues relating to spills and releases Clean up in accordance with all applicable regulations.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with skin and eyes. Use work methods which minimise dust production. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a cool, dry place out of direct sunlight.

8. Exposure controls and personal protection

Control parameters Follow standard monitoring procedures.

Occupational exposure limits

Australia. National Workplace OELs (Workplace Exposure Standards for Airborne Contaminants, Appendix A)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Aluminium oxide (CAS 1344-28-1)	TWA	10 mg/m ³	Inhalable dust.

Australia. OELs. (Adopted National Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Aluminium oxide (CAS 1344-28-1)	TWA	10 mg/m ³	Inspirable dust.

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Components	Type	Value	Form
Aluminium oxide (CAS 1344-28-1)	TWA	1 mg/m ³	Respirable fraction.

UK. EH40 Workplace Exposure Limits (WELs)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Aluminium oxide (CAS 1344-28-1)	TWA	4 mg/m ³	Respirable dust.
		10 mg/m ³	Inhalable dust.

Germany. DFG MAK List (advisory OELs). Commission for the Investigation of Health Hazards of Chemical Compounds in the Work Area (DFG)

Components	Type	Value	Form
Aluminium oxide (CAS 1344-28-1)	TWA	4 mg/m ³	Inhalable fraction.
		1.5 mg/m ³	Respirable fraction.

Biological limit values No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Appropriate engineering controls Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level.

Individual protection measures, for example personal protective equipment (PPE)

Eye/face protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin protection

Hand protection Wear protective gloves.

Other Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection Use a particulate filter respirator for particulate concentrations exceeding the Occupational Exposure Limit.

Thermal hazards Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

Hygiene measures Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Physical state Solid.

Form Powder.

Colour White.

Odour None.

Odour threshold	Not available.
pH	Not available.
Melting point/freezing point	Not available.
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not applicable.
Flash point	Not applicable.
Evaporation rate	Not available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not available.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	
Flammability limit - lower (%)	Not available.
Flammability limit - upper (%)	Not available.
Vapour pressure	Not available.
Vapour density	Not available.
Relative density	3.8
Solubility(ies)	
Solubility (water)	Insoluble in water.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available.
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
Viscosity	Not available.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.
Conditions to avoid	Moisture. Contact with incompatible materials.
Incompatible materials	Strong acids. Strong oxidising agents.
Hazardous decomposition products	No hazardous decomposition products are known.

11. Toxicological information

Information on possible routes of exposure

Inhalation	Dust may irritate respiratory system.
Skin contact	May cause irritation through mechanical abrasion.
Eye contact	Dust may irritate the eyes.
Ingestion	May cause discomfort if swallowed.
Symptoms related to exposure	Irritation of eyes and mucous membranes. Irritation of nose and throat.
Acute toxicity	May cause discomfort if swallowed.
Skin corrosion/irritation	May cause irritation through mechanical abrasion.
Serious eye damage/irritation	Dust in the eyes may cause irritation.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	
Respiratory sensitisation	No data available.
Skin sensitisation	Not a skin sensitiser.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No data available.
Carcinogenicity	Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

ACGIH Carcinogens

Aluminium oxide (CAS 1344-28-1)

A4 Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.

Reproductive toxicity	No data available.
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Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	No data available.
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	No data available.
Aspiration hazard	Not classified.
Chronic effects	Prolonged and repeated overexposure to dust can lead to pneumoconiosis.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity	Not expected to be harmful to aquatic organisms.
Persistence and degradability	The product is not biodegradable.
Bioaccumulative potential	The product is not expected to bioaccumulate.
Mobility in soil	The product is not mobile in soil.
Other adverse effects	No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal methods	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
Residual waste	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.
Contaminated packaging	Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

14. Transport information

ADG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

RID

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.

15. Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations

National regulations This Material Safety Data Sheet was prepared in accordance with the Australia National Code of Practice for the Preparation of Material Safety Data Sheets (NOHSC: 2011.)

High Volume Industrial Chemicals (HVIC)

Aluminium oxide (CAS 1344-28-1) > 1000000 TONNES See the regulation for additional information.

Importation of Ozone Depleting Substances (Customs(Prohibited imports) Regulations 1956, Schedule 10)

Not listed.

National Pollutant Inventory (NPI) substance reporting list

Not listed.

Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances

Not regulated.

Prohibited Substances (National Model Regulation for the control of Workplace Hazardous Substances, Schedule 2 NOHSC:1005 (1994) as amended)

Not listed.

Restricted Importation of Organochlorine Chemicals (Customs(Prohibited Imports) Regulations 1956, Schedule 9)

Not listed.

Restricted Carcinogenic Substances

Not regulated.

International regulations

Stockholm Convention

Not applicable.

Rotterdam Convention

Not applicable.

Kyoto protocol

Not applicable.

Montreal Protocol

Not applicable.

Basel Convention

Not applicable.

International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	Yes
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

*A "Yes" indicates this product complies with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s).

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other information

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Key abbreviations or acronyms used**References**

HSDB® - Hazardous Substances Data Bank
Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS)

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