



RED SPONGE MEDIA™ MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

EU, ISO, ILO and ANSI Approved International Format

SECTION ONE - PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name:	Sponge-Jet® Red Sponge Media™	MSDS Number: 0015
Product Family:	Steel Grit Sponge Blasting Media	
Effective Date:	March 6, 2003	
Manufacturer:	Emergency Phone Numbers:	Hours of Operations
Sponge-Jet, Inc. 235 Heritage Ave., Suite 2 Portsmouth, NH 03801	800-776-6435 or 603-431-6435	8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. EST M-F
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SECTION TWO – COMPOSITION; INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical or Common Name	CAS No.	%	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	LD ₅₀ *	LC ₅₀ **
Iron (Metallic)	1309-37-1	75-90	10 mg/m ³	--	30 g/kg	--
Carbon	1333-86-4	< 1.0				
Manganese	7439-96-5	< 1.0	5 mg/m ³	.2 mg/m ³	9 g/kg	--
Silicon	7440-21-3	0.1 - .5	15 mg/m ³	10 mg/m ³	3160 mg/kg	--
Water	7732-18-5	.1 – 2	--	--	>90 ml/kg	--
Polyurethane Elastomer	57516-88-8	10 – 20	--	--	--	--
Total:	--	100%	--	--	--	--

*Oral, Rat **4 hr, rat

SECTION THREE - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview:	No significant or unusual hazards.
Potential Health Effects	
Eye Contact:	May cause eye irritation. Avoid direct contact.
Skin Contact:	Frequent or prolonged contact may cause irritation.
Inhalation:	Prolonged or excessive inhalation may cause respiratory tract irritation and mucous membrane irritation.
Ingestion:	Ingestion of large quantities may cause gastrointestinal irritation.
Carcinogenicity:	This product contains carbon black, which is listed as possibly carcinogenic to humans (IARC, group 2b).

SECTION FOUR - FIRST AID MEASURES:

Eye Contact:	Irrigate for at least 15 minutes, seek medical attention as needed.
Skin Contact:	If abrasions or redness occur, seek medical attention as needed.
Inhalation:	Remove to fresh air, use artificial respiration as needed and seek medical attention.
Ingestion:	Seek medical attention as needed.

SECTION FIVE - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES:**RED SPONGE MEDIA MSDS (Continued)**

Flash Point:	>200°C
Lower Flame Limit:	Not applicable
Higher Flame Limit:	Not applicable
Auto-ignition Temperature:	Not applicable
Extinguishing Media:	Carbon Dioxide, Water, and Foam
Special Fire Fighting Procedures:	Hazardous fumes produced, SCBA respiratory protection.
Hazardous Combustion Products:	Oxides of carbon and nitrogen, and hydrogen cyanides due to urethane content.
Explosion Data Sensitivity to mechanical impact:	Not applicable
Explosion Data Sensitivity to static discharge:	No static sensitivity to Sponge Media when dust concentration levels remain below 200 g/m ³ .
Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:	Avoid excessive temperature, combustion products may be extremely irritating.

SECTION SIX - ACCIDENTIAL RELEASE MEASURES:

Steps to be taken if material is spilled or released: Good housekeeping procedures should apply. To avoid loss of footing and falling spills should be contained by sweeping or vacuuming media.

SECTION SEVEN - HANDLING AND STORAGE:

Waste Disposal Methods:	Uncontaminated product is considered non-hazardous solid waste.
Handling and Storage:	Keep dry to avoid damage to container.

SECTION EIGHT - EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION**Preventative Measures / Ventilation To Be Used**

Local Exhaust: Yes	Mechanical: Yes (general area) Special: No
Protection:	Good mechanical ventilation of work area and/or OSHA or NIOSH approved supplied breathing air or approved respirator.
Protective Gloves:	Suitable to protect for mechanical abrasions.
Eye Protection:	Approved glasses or goggles for protection against abrasive materials, eyewash should be provided in work area.
Special Shipping:	Material should always be shipped on a pallet or within other suitable shipping containers. It should be protected against punctures.

SECTION NINE - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

Physical form:	Porous, Pliable, open-cell solid	Vapor Density:	None
Color:	Red with Black	Boiling Point:	None - Solid
Odor:	Very slight pungent odor when new	Melting/Freeze Point:	None
Odor Threshold:	Not applicable	Solubility in Water:	Insoluble
pH:	None	Specific Gravity:	1.99
Vapor Pressure:	None	Evaporation Rate (water=1):	Not applicable
		Coefficient of water/oil distribution:	Not applicable

SECTION TEN - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY:**RED SPONGE MEDIA MSDS (Continued)**

Stability:	Stable
Conditions to Avoid:	None known.
Reactivity:	None known.
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, hydrogen cyanide and various isocyanates.
Hazardous Polymerization:	Will not occur
Incompatible substances:	Sodium Hypochlorite

SECTION ELEVEN - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Sensitization of product:	Not applicable in finished product.
Carcinogenicity:	See note on carcinogenicity in section three.
Reproductive Toxicity:	Not applicable
Teratogenicity:	Not applicable
Mutagenicity:	Not applicable
Name of Toxicologically Synergistic Products:	Not applicable

SECTION TWELVE - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

There is no data available on this product in its final form.

SECTION THIRTEEN - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**RCRA Status:**

No component is regulated as hazardous waste under RCRA (40 CFR 261). If discarded in its purchased form, this product would not be a hazardous waste either by listing or by characteristic. However, under RCRA it is the responsibility of the product user to determine, at the time of disposal, whether a material containing the product or derived from the product should be classified as hazardous waste.

SECTION FOURTEEN - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Shipping Name:	None
DOT Hazard Class:	Non-Hazardous
N.A. ID Number	Not applicable
U.N. ID Number	Not applicable
Product Label	Sponge-Jet® Red Sponge Media™

SECTION FIFTEEN - REGULATORY INFORMATION:

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TSCA Status: All components of this product are listed on the TSCA inventory.

Cercla Reportable Quantity: Notification of spills is not required.

OSHA Status: Non-hazardous.

SARA TITLE III:

Section 302 - Extremely Hazardous Substances: None

Section 311 & 312 - Hazard Categories Immediate (acute) health: No
Delayed (chronic) health: No

Fire Hazard: No

Sudden release of pressure: No

Reactive: No

Section 313 - Toxic Chemicals None

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This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all of the information required by CPR.

SECTION SIXTEEN - OTHER INFORMATION

Reason for Issue: Change of Address

Supersedes Date: 12 March 2002

NFPA Hazard Rating

Health: 1 Flammability: 1 Reactivity: 0 Special: N/A

HMIS Hazard Rating

Health: 0 Flammability: 1 Reactivity: 0 Personal Protection = B

Personal Protection: B

Key:

1 = Slight 2 = Moderate 3 = Serious 4 = Severe B = Safety Glasses and Gloves

Note:

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