

## **COSHH Risk Assessment** PEEK METAL POLISHING PASTE (250 ml)

Product Code: BJ011

PROCESS STAGE	POTENTIAL RISK	CONTROL MEASURES	ACTION REQUIRED
DELIVERY			
Packaged ready to use in a metal "paint- pot" type canister.	Risk of leakage if the container is dropped. Risk of injury to user if dropped.	Trained employees should handle only single containers at any given time. Take care not to drop the containers. Ensure that the lid is secure at all times. Regularly check for any damage to canisters.	Transfer containers to store immediately following delivery. Do not leave containers in areas where users of the building will come into contact with them.
STORAGE			
Containers must be stored in a cool, dry, well ventilated storage area. Product must be kept stored in its original container.	Minimal risk of spillage if caps are firmly in place. Lids are not child proof.	Ensure that the product is stored away from any acid-based substances. Keep containers in secure storage areas. Store all containers below chest height to minimise risk of dropping. Restrict access to storage areas to authorised personnel.	Use oldest stock first. Make regular checks to ensure that storage area is clean and tidy. Make regular checks to ensure that containers are not split or rusted.
	U	SAGE	
Product is dispensed from canister onto a polishing cloth and applied directly onto the surface to be cleaned.	Risk of eye contact. Risk of skin contact. Risk of ingestion.	Handle the containers with care. Ensure that the container is returned to store when not in use. Always read the manufacturer's instructions prior to use.	<ul> <li>Provide employees with PPE as follows:</li> <li>Safety glasses</li> <li>Rubber or PVC gloves</li> <li>Protection clothing</li> <li>Ensure that operatives are aware of location of First Aid facilities and personnel.</li> </ul>
DISPOSAL			
Empty containers can be disposed of as normal waste. Residual stocks must be disposed of in line with local authority procedures.	Small risk of skin or eye contact. Risk of contamination with other substances.	Ensure that the product is exhausted before disposal. Ensure that the product is not disposed of as normal waste.	No specific protective equipment required.
Name of Assessor:		Signed:	Print:
Position:		Date of Assessment:	Review Date:

N.B. This risk assessment is offered as guidance only. It is your responsibility to ensure that it reflects the use of the product in your operation and amend accordingly.