# Hess Grade 2/0

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### **PARTICLE SIZE SPECIFICATION GRADE 2/0**

SIZE		ALLOWABLE
MICRON	U.S. MESH	PERCENT PASSING
250	60	100
180	80	90-100
150	100	85-95
106	140	70-90
75	200	62-75
45	325	33-52

**TEST METHOD: ASTM C136-06** 

#### **LOOSE BULK DENSITY GRADE 2/0**

48 lbs/per cubic foot (ASTM C29)

## **CHEMICAL ANALYSIS AND PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

Chemical Name: Amorphous Aluminum Silicate

#### **TYPICAL ANALYSIS**

- Silicon Dioxide: 76.2%
- Aluminum Oxide: 13.5%
- Ferric Oxide: 1.1%
- Ferrous Oxide: 0.1%
- Sodium Oxide: 1.6%
- Potassium Oxide: 1.8%
- Calcium Oxide: 0.8%
- Titanium Oxide: 0.2%
- Magnesium Oxide: .05%
- Moisture: <1.0%
- Crystalline Si0<sub>2</sub>: None Detected

#### **GENERAL PROPERTIES**

- Appearance: White powder
- Hardness (MOHS): 6
- pH: 7.2
- Radioactivity: None
- Softening Point: 900 degrees C
- Water Soluble Substances: 0.15%
- Loss on Ignition 5%
- GE Brightness: 84
- Specific Gravity: 2.35
- Reactivity: Inert

(except in the presence of calcium hydroxide or hydrofluoric acid)

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Amorphous (non-crystalline) in structure and composed primarily of aluminum silicate, pumice is a naturally calcined volcanic glass foam consisting of highly vesicular strands permeated with tiny air bubbles. It is these frothy, friable glass vesicles that, when carefully refined to various grades, give pumice its unique and infinitely useful qualities.

#### **GRADE APPLICATIONS**

Used for: cosmetic exfoliant grit.

#### **PACKAGING OPTIONS**

- 50 lb sacks (palleted)
- 2000 lb super sacks (palleted)
- Bulk shipped in pneumatic rail car or tractor trailer

#### **DISTRIBUTOR NETWORK**

We have stocking distributors in 23 countries on every continent except Antarctica, allowing us to deliver pumice quickly and economically worldwide.



