## Nano Structured Materials-Nanocat<sup>®</sup> Superfine Iron Oxide

While other companies are establishing plans to get into the nano business, MACH I is already in a leadership position, manufacturing and selling NANOCAT<sup>®</sup> Superfine Iron Oxide (A 3 nanometer particle) to the advanced materials market and aerospace industry.

**NANOCAT**<sup>®</sup> Superfine Iron Oxide is the first in a family of NANO-structured materials, with more products being developed.

**NANOCAT**<sup>®</sup> **Superfine Iron Oxide (SFIO)** is an amorphous ferric oxide with much finer particle size and greater specific surface area than any other commercially available form. It excels as a catalyst for chemical processes including synthesis, cracking, and oxidation. In solid rocket propellants it provides high burning rate, low pressure exponent, and safety. Properly dispersed, it is a remarkably effective screening agent for ultraviolet light. Synthesized by a unique vapor-phase process, **NANOCAT SFIO** is free of impurities that poison conventional catalysts, and is suitable for use in foods, drugs, and cosmetics.

## Typical Properties

Composition	Ferric Oxide
Source	Synthetic
Structure	Amorphous
Physical Form	Free Flowing Powder
Color	Reddish Brown
Pigment Character	Transparent
Purity	99.3
Surface Area, m²/g	250
Bulk Density, g/ml	0.05
Particle Size, nm	3
Heavy Metal Content:	

Federal Specifications*	
Arsenic, max.: 5, 3, 3 ppm	<
Lead, max.: 20, 10, 10 ppm	<
Mercury, max.: 3, 3, 3 ppm	<

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<1.0 ppm <0.4 ppm <0.1 ppm

\* Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Title 21, Heavy Metal Specifications for Iron Oxides in Foods (73.200), Drugs (73.1200), and Cosmetics (73.2250).

