

Title (en)  
LIGNIN-BASED FRICTION MATERIAL

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AUF LIGNIN BASIERENDES REIBUNGSMATERIAL

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MATERIAU DE FROTTEMENT A BASE DE LIGNINE

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[origin: WO9714747A1] This invention provides for a friction material composition suitable for friction element formulation. The composition comprises an essentially sulfur-free lignin with low water solubility. The lignin replaces from about 1 to about 30 % on a weight basis with the phenolic resin in the friction material composition. A method of reducing noise within the range of human hearing resulting from friction element performance is also provided.

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