

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1 Product identifier

Trade name : BYK-W 940 SG  
UFI : 4N48-W00T-8009-TG8H  
Product code : 000000000000114195

#### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the Substance/Mixture : Wetting & Dispersing Additive

#### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : BYK USA LLC  
South Cherry Street 524  
06492 Wallingford  
Telephone :  
Information : BYK USA Regulatory Affairs  
Telephone : +1 203-265-2086  
Telefax :  
E-mail address : BRIEF.BYK.NAFTA@altana.com

#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

+44 1235 239670

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

##### Classification (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

Flammable liquids, Category 3	H226: Flammable liquid and vapour.
Skin sensitisation, Category 1	H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Carcinogenicity, Category 1B	H350: May cause cancer.
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure, Category 3, Respiratory system	H335: May cause respiratory irritation.
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Category 2	H373: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard, Category 3	H412: Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

#### 2.2 Label elements

##### Labelling (REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008)

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Hazard pictograms	:	
Signal word	:	Danger
Hazard statements	:	H226 Flammable liquid and vapour. H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H335 May cause respiratory irritation. H350 May cause cancer. H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
Precautionary statements	:	<b>Prevention:</b> P201 Obtain special instructions before use. P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. P260 Do not breathe mist or vapours. P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection/ hearing protection. <b>Response:</b> P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention. P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.

### Hazardous components which must be listed on the label:

- 85711-46-2 Fatty acids, C14-18 and C16-18-unsatd., maleated
- 1330-20-7 Xylene, mixture of isomers
- 98-82-8 cumene
- 108-31-6 maleic anhydride

### Additional Labelling

Restricted to professional users.

### 2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

Ecological information: The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

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Toxicological information: The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.2 Mixtures

Chemical nature : Solution of an unsaturated polycarboxylic acid polymer with a polysiloxane copolymer

#### Components

Chemical name	CAS-No. EC-No. Index-No. Registration number	Classification	Concentration (% w/w)
Fatty acids, C14-18 and C16-18-unsatd., maleated	85711-46-2 01-2119976378-19-0000	Skin Irrit. 2; H315 Skin Sens. 1; H317	>= 30 - < 50
Xylene, mixture of isomers	1330-20-7 01-2119488216-32	Eye Irrit. 2; H319 STOT SE 3; H335 (Respiratory system) STOT RE 2; H373 Asp. Tox. 1; H304 Flam. Liq. 3; H226 Acute Tox. 4; H332 Acute Tox. 4; H312 Skin Irrit. 2; H315 Aquatic Chronic 3; H412	>= 30 - < 50
ethylbenzene	100-41-4 202-849-4	Flam. Liq. 2; H225 Acute Tox. 4; H332 STOT RE 2; H373 (hearing organs) Asp. Tox. 1; H304 Aquatic Chronic 3; H412	>= 7 - < 10
2,6-dimethylheptan-4-one	108-83-8 203-620-1 01-2119474441-41	Flam. Liq. 3; H226 STOT SE 3; H335 (Respiratory system)  specific concentration limit STOT SE 3; H335 >= 10 %	>= 3 - < 5
cumene	98-82-8 202-704-5	Flam. Liq. 3; H226 Carc. 1B; H350 STOT SE 3; H335 (Respiratory system) Asp. Tox. 1; H304	>= 0,25 - < 0,5

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maleic anhydride	108-31-6 203-571-6 01-2119472428-31	Aquatic Chronic 2; H411  Acute Tox. 4; H302 Skin Corr. 1B; H314 Eye Dam. 1; H318 Resp. Sens. 1; H334 Skin Sens. 1A; H317 STOT RE 1; H372 (Respiratory system) EUH071  specific concentration limit Skin Sens. 1A; H317 >= 0,001 %  Acute toxicity estimate  Acute oral toxicity: 1.090 mg/kg	>= 0,25 - < 0,5
toluene	108-88-3 203-625-9	Aquatic Chronic 3; H412 Flam. Liq. 2; H225 Skin Irrit. 2; H315 Repr. 2; H361d STOT SE 3; H336 (Central nervous system) STOT RE 2; H373 Asp. Tox. 1; H304	>= 0,1 - < 0,25
octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane [D4]	556-67-2 209-136-7 01-2119529238-36	Repr. 2; H361f Aquatic Chronic 1; H410 PBT; EUH440 vPvB; EUH441 Flam. Liq. 3; H226  M-Factor (Chronic aquatic toxicity): 10	>= 0,025 - < 0,1

For explanation of abbreviations see section 16.

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice : Move out of dangerous area.  
Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

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Do not leave the victim unattended.

- If inhaled : If unconscious, place in recovery position and seek medical advice.  
If symptoms persist, call a physician.
- In case of skin contact : If on skin, rinse well with water.  
If on clothes, remove clothes.
- In case of eye contact : Flush eyes with water as a precaution.  
Remove contact lenses.  
Protect unharmed eye.  
Keep eye wide open while rinsing.  
If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.
- If swallowed : Keep respiratory tract clear.  
Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages.  
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.  
If symptoms persist, call a physician.  
Take victim immediately to hospital.

### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

- Symptoms : No information available.
- Risks : May cause an allergic skin reaction.  
May cause respiratory irritation.  
May cause cancer.  
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

- Treatment : No information available.

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## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Alcohol-resistant foam  
Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)  
Dry chemical
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : High volume water jet

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

- Specific hazards during firefighting : Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

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### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

- Special protective equipment for firefighters : Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.
- Further information : Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must not be discharged into drains.  
Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.  
For safety reasons in case of fire, cans should be stored separately in closed containments.  
Use a water spray to cool fully closed containers.
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## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

- Personal precautions : Use personal protective equipment.  
Remove all sources of ignition.  
Evacuate personnel to safe areas.  
Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

- Environmental precautions : Prevent product from entering drains.  
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.  
If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.

### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- Methods for cleaning up : Neutralize with chalk, alkali solution or ammonia.  
Contain spillage, and then collect with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13).

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal considerations see section 13., For personal protection see section 8.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

- Advice on safe handling : Avoid formation of aerosol.  
Do not breathe vapours/dust.  
Avoid contact with skin and eyes.  
For personal protection see section 8.  
Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area.  
Take precautionary measures against static discharges.  
Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms.

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- Open drum carefully as content may be under pressure.  
Dispose of rinse water in accordance with local and national regulations.  
Persons susceptible to skin sensitisation problems or asthma, allergies, chronic or recurrent respiratory disease should not be employed in any process in which this mixture is being used.
- Advice on protection against fire and explosion : Do not spray on a naked flame or any incandescent material. Take necessary action to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause ignition of organic vapours). Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.
- Hygiene measures : When using do not eat or drink. When using do not smoke. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Requirements for storage areas and containers : No smoking. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Electrical installations / working materials must comply with the technological safety standards.
- Further information on storage stability : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

- Specific use(s) : No data available

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Occupational Exposure Limits

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters	Basis
Xylene, mixture of isomers	1330-20-7	TWA	50 ppm 221 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	2000/39/EC
		Further information: Identifies the possibility of significant uptake through the skin, Indicative		
		STEL	100 ppm 442 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	2000/39/EC
		Further information: Identifies the possibility of significant uptake through the skin, Indicative		
		TWA	50 ppm 220 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	CH SUVA
		Further information: Toxic by skin resorption possible; Substances, which are easily absorbed through the skin, can give by additional skin resorption a substantial higher risk compared to only inhalation by the airways., National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, National Institute of Research and Safety for the prevention of work accidents and occupational diseases		
		STEL	100 ppm	CH SUVA

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			440 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
	Further information: Toxic by skin resorption possible; Substances, which are easily absorbed through the skin, can give by additional skin resorption a substantial higher risk compared to only inhalation by the airways., National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, National Institute of Research and Safety for the prevention of work accidents and occupational diseases			
ethylbenzene	100-41-4	TWA	100 ppm 442 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	2000/39/EC
	Further information: Identifies the possibility of significant uptake through the skin, Indicative			
		STEL	200 ppm 884 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	2000/39/EC
	Further information: Identifies the possibility of significant uptake through the skin, Indicative			
		TWA	50 ppm 220 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	CH SUVA
	Further information: noise amplifying ototoxicity, Toxic by skin resorption possible; Substances, which are easily absorbed through the skin, can give by additional skin resorption a substantial higher risk compared to only inhalation by the airways., National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health			
		STEL	50 ppm 220 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	CH SUVA
	Further information: noise amplifying ototoxicity, Toxic by skin resorption possible; Substances, which are easily absorbed through the skin, can give by additional skin resorption a substantial higher risk compared to only inhalation by the airways., National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health			
2,6-dimethylheptan-4-one	108-83-8	TWA	25 ppm 150 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	CH SUVA
	Further information: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, National Institute of Research and Safety for the prevention of work accidents and occupational diseases			
cumene	98-82-8	TWA	20 ppm 100 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	2000/39/EC
	Further information: Identifies the possibility of significant uptake through the skin, Indicative			
		STEL	50 ppm 250 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	2000/39/EC
	Further information: Identifies the possibility of significant uptake through the skin, Indicative			
		TWA	20 ppm 100 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	CH SUVA
	Further information: Toxic by skin resorption possible; Substances, which are easily absorbed through the skin, can give by additional skin resorption a substantial higher risk compared to only inhalation by the airways., Carcinogenic Category 3, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, National Institute of Research and Safety for the prevention of work accidents and occupational diseases, Harm to the unborn child is not to be expected when the OEL-value is respected			
		STEL	80 ppm 400 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	CH SUVA
	Further information: Toxic by skin resorption possible; Substances, which are			

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			easily absorbed through the skin, can give by additional skin resorption a substantial higher risk compared to only inhalation by the airways., Carcinogenic Category 3, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, National Institute of Research and Safety for the prevention of work accidents and occupational diseases, Harm to the unborn child is not to be expected when the OEL-value is respected
		TWA	10 ppm 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
			2019/1831/EU
			Further information: A skin notation assigned to the occupational exposure limit value indicates the possibility of significant uptake through the skin., Indicative
		STEL	50 ppm 250 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
			2019/1831/EU
			Further information: A skin notation assigned to the occupational exposure limit value indicates the possibility of significant uptake through the skin., Indicative
maleic anhydride	108-31-6	TWA	0,1 ppm 0,4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
			CH SUVA
			Further information: Sensitizers; Substances marked with an S can lead to very strong allergic reactions., National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Harm to the unborn child is not to be expected when the OEL-value is respected
		STEL	0,1 ppm 0,4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
			CH SUVA
			Further information: Sensitizers; Substances marked with an S can lead to very strong allergic reactions., National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Harm to the unborn child is not to be expected when the OEL-value is respected
toluene	108-88-3	TWA	50 ppm 192 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
			2006/15/EC
			Further information: Indicative, Identifies the possibility of significant uptake through the skin
		STEL	100 ppm 384 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
			2006/15/EC
			Further information: Indicative, Identifies the possibility of significant uptake through the skin
		TWA	50 ppm 190 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
			CH SUVA
			Further information: noise amplifying ototoxicity, Probably reprotoxic substance, Toxic by skin resorption possible; Substances, which are easily absorbed through the skin, can give by additional skin resorption a substantial higher risk compared to only inhalation by the airways., National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, German Research Foundation, National Institute of Research and Safety for the prevention of work accidents and occupational diseases, Health and Safety Executive (Occupational Medicine and Hygiene Laboratory), Harm to the unborn child is not to be expected when the OEL-value is respected
		STEL	200 ppm 760 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
			CH SUVA
			Further information: noise amplifying ototoxicity, Probably reprotoxic substance, Toxic by skin resorption possible; Substances, which are easily absorbed through the skin, can give by additional skin resorption a substantial

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### Biological occupational exposure limits

Substance name	CAS-No.	Control parameters	Sampling time	Basis
Xylene, mixture of isomers	1330-20-7	methyl hippuric acids: 2 g/l (Urine)	Immediately after exposure or after working hours	CH BAT
ethylbenzene	100-41-4	mandelic acid and phenyl glyoxylic acid: 600 mg/g creatinine (Urine)	Immediately after exposure or after working hours	CH BAT
cumene	98-82-8	2-phenyl-2-propanol: 20 mg/g creatinine (Urine)	Immediately after exposure or after working hours	CH BAT
		2-phenyl-2-propanol: 16.6 micromoles per millimole creatinine (Urine)	Immediately after exposure or after working hours	CH BAT
toluene	108-88-3	hippuric acid: 2 g/g creatinine (Urine)	Immediately after exposure or after working hours, In case of long-term exposure: after more than one shift	CH BAT
		o-cresol: 0,5 mg/l (Urine)	Immediately after exposure or after working hours, In case of long-term exposure: after more than one shift	CH BAT
		toluol: 6.48 micromol per litre (Blood)	Immediately after exposure or after working hours	CH BAT
		toluol: 75 µg/l (Urine)	Immediately after exposure or after working hours	CH BAT
		o-cresol: 4.62 micromol per litre (Urine)	Immediately after exposure or after working hours, In case of long-term exposure: after more than one shift	CH BAT
		toluol: 600 µg/l (Blood)	Immediately after exposure or after working hours	CH BAT

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		hippuric acid: 1.26 mmol/mmol creatinine (Urine)	Immediately after exposure or after working hours, In case of long-term exposure: after more than one shift	CH BAT
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### Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

Substance name	End Use	Exposure routes	Potential health effects	Value
Xylene, mixture of isomers	Workers	Inhalation	Long-term systemic effects	221 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	Workers	Inhalation	Acute local effects	442 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	Workers	Dermal	Long-term systemic effects	212 mg/kg
	Consumers	Inhalation	Long-term systemic effects	65,3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	Consumers	Dermal	Long-term systemic effects	125 mg/kg
	Consumers	Oral	Long-term systemic effects	1,5 mg/kg
2,6-dimethylheptan-4-one	Consumers	Inhalation	Acute local effects	260 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	Workers	Inhalation	Acute systemic effects, Acute local effects, Long-term local effects	290 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	Workers	Skin contact	Long-term systemic effects	80 mg/kg
	Workers	Inhalation	Long-term systemic effects	479 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	Consumers	Inhalation	Acute systemic effects, Acute local effects, Long-term local effects	145 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	Consumers	Skin contact	Long-term systemic effects	28,5 mg/kg
	Consumers	Inhalation	Long-term systemic effects	171 mg/kg
	Consumers	Ingestion	Long-term systemic effects	7,14 mg/kg
	maleic anhydride	Workers	Inhalation	Long-term systemic effects, Long-term local effects
	Workers	Inhalation	Systemic effects, Acute effects, Local effects	0,2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane [D4]	Consumers	Oral	Acute systemic effects, Long-term systemic effects	3,7 mg/kg
	Consumers	Inhalation	Acute systemic effects, Acute local effects, Long-term	13 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

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			systemic effects, Long-term local effects	
	Workers	Inhalation	Acute systemic effects, Acute local effects, Long-term systemic effects, Long-term local effects	73 mg/m3

### Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC) according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

Substance name	Environmental Compartment	Value
Xylene, mixture of isomers	Fresh water	0,327 mg/l
	Marine water	0,327 mg/l
	Fresh water sediment	12,46 mg/kg
	Marine sediment	12,46 mg/kg
	Soil	2,31 mg/kg
	Sewage treatment plant	6,58 mg/l
	Intermittent releases	0,327 mg/l
2,6-dimethylheptan-4-one	Fresh water	0,03 mg/l
	Marine water	0,003 mg/l
	Intermittent releases	0,3 mg/l
	Fresh water sediment	0,46 mg/kg
	Marine sediment	0,046 mg/kg
	Sewage treatment plant	2,55 mg/l
	Soil	0,0746 mg/kg
maleic anhydride	Fresh water	0,038 mg/l
	Marine water	0,0038 mg/l
	Intermittent releases	0,379 mg/l
	Soil	0,037 mg/kg
	Fresh water sediment	0,296 mg/kg
	Marine sediment	0,0296 mg/kg
	Sewage treatment plant	44,6 mg/l
octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane [D4]	Fresh water	1,5 µg/l
	Marine water	0,15 µg/l
	Fresh water sediment	0,64 mg/kg
	Soil	0,84 mg/kg
	Sewage treatment plant	10 mg/l
	Marine sediment	0,064 mg/kg
	Hazard for predators: secondary poisoning	41 mg/kg

## 8.2 Exposure controls

### Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection : Eye wash bottle with pure water  
Tightly fitting safety goggles

Hand protection

Material : Fluorinated rubber  
Break through time : >= 480 min

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Glove thickness	:	0,4 mm
Remarks	:	The suitability for a specific workplace should be discussed with the producers of the protective gloves.
Skin and body protection	:	Impervious clothing Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.
Respiratory protection	:	In the case of vapour formation use a respirator with an approved filter.

### Environmental exposure controls

General advice	:	Prevent product from entering drains. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.
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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	:	liquid
Colour	:	light brown
Odour	:	aromatic
Melting point/ range	:	< 0 °C Method: derived
Initial boiling point	:	137,00 °C Method: derived
Flash point	:	28,00 °C Method: 48 (Abel-Pensky) DIN 51755
Auto-ignition temperature	:	> 200 °C Method: DIN 51794
pH	:	4 (20 °C) Concentration: 1 % Method: Universal pH-value indicator
Viscosity	:	
Viscosity, dynamic	:	No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	:	40 mm <sup>2</sup> /s (40 °C)
Solubility(ies)	:	
Water solubility	:	immiscible
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	:	No data available

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Vapour pressure : 9 hPa (20,00 °C)  
Method: derived

Density : 0,9450 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (20,00 °C)  
Method: 4 (20°C oscillating U-tube)

### 9.2 Other information

Flammability (liquids) : Sustains combustion

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.  
Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid : Heat, flames and sparks.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid : Strong oxidizing agents  
Strong acids

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

#### Acute toxicity

Not classified due to lack of data.

#### Product:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, male and female): > 3.500,000000 mg/kg  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 401  
GLP: yes

Acute inhalation toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate: > 20 mg/l  
Exposure time: 4 h  
Test atmosphere: vapour  
Method: Calculation method

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Acute dermal toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate: > 2.000 mg/kg  
Method: Calculation method

### Components:

#### **Fatty acids, C14-18 and C16-18-unsatd., maleated:**

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, female): > 2.000 mg/kg  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 423  
GLP: yes

#### **Xylene, mixture of isomers:**

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): 4.300 mg/kg  
Method: EC Directive 92/69/EEC B.1 Acute Toxicity (Oral)  
GLP: no

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit): > 4.200 mg/kg  
GLP: No information available.

#### **2,6-dimethylheptan-4-one:**

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 2.000 mg/kg  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 401  
GLP: yes

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): > 14 mg/l  
Test atmosphere: dust/mist  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 403  
GLP: no

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 2.000 mg/kg  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 402  
GLP: yes

#### **maleic anhydride:**

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, male and female): 1.090 mg/kg  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 401

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit, female): 2.620 mg/kg  
GLP: No information available.

### **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### Product:

Species : Rabbit  
Assessment : No skin irritation  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 404  
Result : No skin irritation

Remarks : May cause skin irritation and/or dermatitis.

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### Components:

#### **Fatty acids, C14-18 and C16-18-unsatd., maleated:**

Species : EPISKIN human epidermis skin constructs  
Assessment : Irritating to skin.  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 439  
Result : Irritating to skin.  
GLP : yes

#### **2,6-dimethylheptan-4-one:**

Species : Rabbit  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 404  
Result : No skin irritation  
GLP : yes

#### **maleic anhydride:**

Species : Rabbit  
Method : No information available.  
Result : Corrosive to skin  
GLP : no

### **Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### Product:

Species : Rabbit  
Assessment : No eye irritation  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 405  
Result : No eye irritation

Remarks : Vapours may cause irritation to the eyes, respiratory system and the skin.

### Components:

#### **Fatty acids, C14-18 and C16-18-unsatd., maleated:**

Species : Rabbit  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 405  
Result : No eye irritation  
GLP : yes

#### **2,6-dimethylheptan-4-one:**

Species : Rabbit  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 405  
Result : No eye irritation  
GLP : no

#### **maleic anhydride:**

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Species : Rabbit  
Result : Corrosive to eyes  
GLP : yes

### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

#### Skin sensitisation

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

#### Respiratory sensitisation

Not classified due to lack of data.

#### Product:

Remarks : Causes sensitisation.

#### Components:

##### **Fatty acids, C14-18 and C16-18-unsatd., maleated:**

Test Type : Mouse Local Lymph Node assay (LLNA)  
Species : Mouse  
Assessment : May cause sensitisation by skin contact.  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 429  
Result : May cause sensitisation by skin contact.  
GLP : yes

##### **2,6-dimethylheptan-4-one:**

Test Type : Maximisation Test  
Exposure routes : Skin contact  
Species : Guinea pig  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 406  
Result : Not a skin sensitizer.  
GLP : yes

##### **maleic anhydride:**

Test Type : Buehler Test  
Exposure routes : Skin contact  
Species : Guinea pig  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 406  
Result : Causes sensitisation.  
GLP : yes

##### **octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane [D4]:**

Species : Guinea pig  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 406  
Result : Does not cause skin sensitisation.  
GLP : yes

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### **Germ cell mutagenicity**

Not classified due to lack of data.

#### **Product:**

Genotoxicity in vitro : Remarks: No data available

Genotoxicity in vivo : Remarks: No data available

#### **Components:**

##### **Fatty acids, C14-18 and C16-18-unsatd., maleated:**

Genotoxicity in vitro : Test Type: Ames test  
Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 471  
Result: negative  
GLP: yes

Test Type: In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test (mouse lymphoma)

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 476  
Result: negative  
GLP: yes

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro  
Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 473  
Result: negative  
GLP: yes

### **Carcinogenicity**

May cause cancer.

#### **Product:**

Remarks : No data available

### **Reproductive toxicity**

Not classified due to lack of data.

#### **Product:**

Effects on fertility : Remarks: No data available

Effects on foetal development : Remarks: No data available

### **STOT - single exposure**

May cause respiratory irritation.

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### **Product:**

Remarks : No data available

### **STOT - repeated exposure**

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

### **Product:**

Remarks : No data available

### **Repeated dose toxicity**

### **Product:**

Remarks : No data available

Remarks : No data available

### **Components:**

#### **Fatty acids, C14-18 and C16-18-unsatd., maleated:**

Species : Rat, male and female  
NOAEL : 1.000 mg/kg  
Application Route : Oral  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 422  
GLP : yes  
Target Organs : Stomach

### **Aspiration toxicity**

Not classified due to lack of data.

### **Product:**

No data available

## 11.2 Information on other hazards

### **Endocrine disrupting properties**

Not classified due to lack of data.

### **Product:**

Assessment : The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

### **Further information**

### **Product:**

Remarks : Solvents may degrease the skin.

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### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1 Toxicity

##### Product:

Toxicity to fish : Remarks: No data available

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : Remarks: No data available

##### Components:

##### **Fatty acids, C14-18 and C16-18-unsatd., maleated:**

Toxicity to fish : LL50 (Leuciscus idus (Golden orfe)): > 150 mg/l  
Exposure time: 48 h  
Test Type: static test  
Method: DIN 38412  
GLP: no

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : EL50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): > 100 mg/l  
Exposure time: 48 h  
Test Type: semi-static test  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 202  
GLP: yes

Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants : ErL50 (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): > 100 mg/l  
Exposure time: 72 h  
Test Type: static test  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 201  
GLP: yes

Toxicity to microorganisms : EC50 (activated sludge): > 1.000 mg/l  
Exposure time: 3 h  
Test Type: static test  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 209  
GLP: yes

##### **Xylene, mixture of isomers:**

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 1 mg/l  
Exposure time: 24 h  
Test Type: Immobilization  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 202

Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants : EC50 (Selenastrum capricornutum (green algae)): 2,2 mg/l  
Exposure time: 72 h  
Test Type: static test  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 201  
GLP: yes

NOEC (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): 0,44 mg/l

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	Exposure time: 72 h Test Type: Growth inhibition Method: OECD Test Guideline 201
Toxicity to fish (Chronic toxicity)	: NOEC: > 1,3 mg/l Exposure time: 56 d Species: Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity)	: NOEC: 1,17 mg/l Exposure time: 7 d Species: Daphnia sp. (water flea)
	NOEC: 0,96 mg/l Exposure time: 7 d Species: Daphnia sp. (water flea)
<b>2,6-dimethylheptan-4-one:</b>	
Toxicity to fish	: LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)): 30 mg/l Exposure time: 96 h Test Type: flow-through test Method: OECD Test Guideline 203 GLP: yes
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	: EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 37,2 mg/l Exposure time: 48 h Test Type: semi-static test Method: OECD Test Guideline 202 GLP: yes
Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants	: (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): 46,9 mg/l Exposure time: 72 h Test Type: static test Method: OECD Test Guideline 201 GLP: yes
<b>maleic anhydride:</b>	
Toxicity to fish	: LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)): 75 mg/l Exposure time: 96 h Test Type: static test GLP: no
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	: EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 42,81 mg/l Exposure time: 48 h Method: OECD Test Guideline 202 GLP: yes
Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants	: ErC50 (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata): 74,35 mg/l Exposure time: 72 h Method: OECD Test Guideline 201 GLP: yes
Toxicity to daphnia and other	: NOEC: 10 mg/l

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aquatic invertebrates  
(Chronic toxicity)                      Exposure time: 21 d  
Species: Daphnia magna (Water flea)  
GLP: no

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

#### Product:

Biodegradability                      :    Remarks: No data available

#### Components:

##### **Fatty acids, C14-18 and C16-18-unsatd., maleated:**

Biodegradability                      :    Result: Not readily biodegradable.  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 301  
GLP: yes

##### **Xylene, mixture of isomers:**

Biodegradability                      :    Test Type: aerobic  
Result: Readily biodegradable.  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 301F  
GLP: yes

##### **2,6-dimethylheptan-4-one:**

Biodegradability                      :    Result: Readily biodegradable.  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 301D  
GLP: no

##### **maleic anhydride:**

Biodegradability                      :    Result: Readily biodegradable.  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 301B  
GLP: yes

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

#### Product:

Bioaccumulation                      :    Remarks: No data available

#### Components:

##### **Xylene, mixture of isomers:**

Bioaccumulation                      :    Species: Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)  
Exposure time: 56 d  
Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 25,9  
GLP: no

Partition coefficient: n-  
octanol/water                      :    Pow: 3,2 (20 °C)  
pH: 7

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### maleic anhydride:

Partition coefficient: n-  
octanol/water : log Pow: -2,61 (19,8 °C)  
pH: 4 - 9  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 107  
GLP: yes

## 12.4 Mobility in soil

### Components:

#### maleic anhydride:

Distribution among  
environmental compartments : Koc: 42, log Koc: 1,63

## 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

### Product:

Assessment : This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

### Components:

#### octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane [D4]:

Assessment : Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic (PBT).  
: Very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB).

## 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

### Product:

Assessment : The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

## 12.7 Other adverse effects

### Product:

Additional ecological  
information : An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.  
Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product : The product should not be allowed to enter drains, water

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courses or the soil.  
Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with  
chemical or used container.  
Send to a licensed waste management company.

Contaminated packaging : Empty remaining contents.  
Dispose of as unused product.  
Do not re-use empty containers.  
Do not burn, or use a cutting torch on, the empty drum.

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### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### 14.1 UN number or ID number

ADN : UN 1993  
ADR : UN 1993  
RID : UN 1993  
IMDG : UN 1993  
IATA : UN 1993

#### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADN : FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.  
(Xylene, Diisobutyl ketone)  
ADR : FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.  
(Xylene, Diisobutyl ketone)  
RID : FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.  
(Xylene, Diisobutyl ketone)  
IMDG : FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.  
(XYLENE, Diisobutyl ketone)  
IATA : Flammable liquid, n.o.s.  
(Xylene, Diisobutyl ketone)

#### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADN : 3  
ADR : 3  
RID : 3  
IMDG : 3  
IATA : 3

#### 14.4 Packing group

ADN  
Packing group : III  
Classification Code : F1  
Hazard Identification Number : 30  
Labels : 3

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### ADR

Packing group : III  
Classification Code : F1  
Hazard Identification Number : 30  
Labels : 3  
Tunnel restriction code : D/E

### RID

Packing group : III  
Classification Code : F1  
Hazard Identification Number : 30  
Labels : 3

### IMDG

Packing group : III  
Labels : 3  
EmS Code : F-E, S-E  
Remarks : IMDG Code segregation group - none

### IATA (Cargo)

Packing instruction (cargo aircraft) : 366  
Packing group : III  
Labels : Flammable Liquids

### IATA (Passenger)

Packing instruction (passenger aircraft) : 355  
Packing instruction (LQ) : Y344  
Packing group : III  
Labels : Flammable Liquids

## 14.5 Environmental hazards

### ADN

Environmentally hazardous : no

### ADR

Environmentally hazardous : no

### RID

Environmentally hazardous : no

### IMDG

Marine pollutant : no

## 14.6 Special precautions for user

The transport classification(s) provided herein are for informational purposes only, and solely based upon the properties of the unpackaged material as it is described within this Safety Data Sheet. Transportation classifications may vary by mode of transportation, package sizes, and variations in regional or country regulations.

## 14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable for product as supplied.

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### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

- REACH - Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, mixtures and articles (Annex XVII) : Conditions of restriction for the following entries should be considered:  
Number on list 3  
  
Number on list 5: benzene  
  
Number on list 28: cumene  
  
Number on list 48: toluene  
  
Number on list 72: benzene  
  
Number on list 75: If you intend to use this product as tattoo ink, please contact your vendor.
- REACH - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation (Article 59). : This product does not contain substances of very high concern (Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 57).
- REACH - List of substances subject to authorisation (Annex XIV) : Not applicable
- Seveso III: Directive 2012/18/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances. P5c FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS
- Volatile organic compounds : Ordinance on the Incentive Tax on Volatile Organic Compounds (OVOC)  
Volatile organic compounds (VOC) content: 45,2 %

#### Other regulations:

The product belongs to group 1 according to the Swiss Chemicals Ordinance (ChemO 813.11).

#### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

Not applicable

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### SECTION 16: Other information

Items where relevant changes have been made to the previous version are highlighted in the body of this document by two vertical lines.

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### Full text of H-Statements

EUH440	: Accumulates in the environment and living organisms including in humans.
EUH441	: Strongly accumulates in the environment and living organisms including in humans.
H225	: Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H226	: Flammable liquid and vapour.
H302	: Harmful if swallowed.
H304	: May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.
H312	: Harmful in contact with skin.
H314	: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H315	: Causes skin irritation.
H317	: May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H318	: Causes serious eye damage.
H319	: Causes serious eye irritation.
H332	: Harmful if inhaled.
H334	: May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
H335	: May cause respiratory irritation.
H336	: May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
H350	: May cause cancer.
H361d	: Suspected of damaging the unborn child.
H361f	: Suspected of damaging fertility.
H372	: Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure if inhaled.
H373	: May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H410	: Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
H411	: Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
H412	: Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
EUH071	: Corrosive to the respiratory tract.

### Full text of other abbreviations

Acute Tox.	: Acute toxicity
Aquatic Chronic	: Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard
Asp. Tox.	: Aspiration hazard
Carc.	: Carcinogenicity
Eye Dam.	: Serious eye damage
Eye Irrit.	: Eye irritation
Flam. Liq.	: Flammable liquids
PBT	: Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic
Repr.	: Reproductive toxicity
Resp. Sens.	: Respiratory sensitisation
Skin Corr.	: Skin corrosion
Skin Irrit.	: Skin irritation
Skin Sens.	: Skin sensitisation
STOT RE	: Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
STOT SE	: Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure
vPvB	: Very persistent and very bioaccumulative
2000/39/EC	: Europe. Commission Directive 2000/39/EC establishing a first list of indicative occupational exposure limit values
2006/15/EC	: Europe. Indicative occupational exposure limit values

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2019/1831/EU	:	Europe. Commission Directive 2019/1831/EU establishing a fifth list of indicative occupational exposure limit values
CH BAT	:	Switzerland. List of BAT-values
CH SUVA	:	Switzerland. Limit values at the work place
2000/39/EC / TWA	:	Limit Value - eight hours
2000/39/EC / STEL	:	Short term exposure limit
2006/15/EC / TWA	:	Limit Value - eight hours
2006/15/EC / STEL	:	Short term exposure limit
2019/1831/EU / TWA	:	Limit Value - eight hours
2019/1831/EU / STEL	:	Short term exposure limit
CH SUVA / TWA	:	Time Weighted Average
CH SUVA / STEL	:	Short Term Exposure Limit

ADN - European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways; ADR - Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road; AIIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CLP - Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECHA - European Chemicals Agency; EC-Number - European Community number; ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; GHS - Globally Harmonised System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organisation; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardisation; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; RID - Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; SVHC - Substance of Very High Concern; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TRGS - Technical Rule for Hazardous Substances; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

### Further information

#### Classification of the mixture:

Flam. Liq. 3	H226
Skin Sens. 1	H317
Carc. 1B	H350

#### Classification procedure:

Based on product data or assessment
Calculation method
Calculation method

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