

Safety Data Sheet

according to the REACH Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 amended by Regulation (EU) 2020/878

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

1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture

Trade name : Construction Silicone Tr

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

1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Main use category : Consumer use, Professional use

Use of the substance/mixture : Sealants

1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : +32 14 58 45 45 (BIG)

24h/24h

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

To our knowledge, this product does not present any particular risk, provided it is handled in accordance with good occupational hygiene and safety

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

FUH-statements : EUH210 - Safety data sheet available on request.

EUH211 - Warning! Hazardous respirable droplets may be formed when sprayed. Do not

breathe spray or mist. (Except for black/brown/transparent product).

2.3. Other hazards

The product does not meet the PBT and vPvB classification criteria

Contains no PBT/vPvB substances ≥ 0.1% assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII

Component	
triacetoxyethylsilane (17689-77-9)	This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII
2-octyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one (26530-20-1)	This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

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The mixture does not contain substance(s) included in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or is not identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at a concentration equal to or greater than 0,1 %

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
hydrocarbons, C15-C20, n-alkanes, isoalkanes, cyclics, < 0.03% aromatics	EC-No.: 934-956-3 REACH-no: 01-2119827000- 58	≥ 10 – < 25	Asp. Tox. 1, H304
triacetoxyethylsilane	CAS-No.: 17689-77-9 EC-No.: 241-677-4 REACH-no: 01-2119881778- 15	≥ 1 – < 5	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318
2-octyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one	CAS-No.: 26530-20-1 EC-No.: 247-761-7 EC Index-No.: 613-112-00-5 REACH-no: 01-2120768921- 45	< 0,1	Acute Tox. 2 (Inhalation), H330 Acute Tox. 3 (Dermal), H311 Acute Tox. 3 (Oral), H301 Skin Corr. 1, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 Skin Sens. 1A, H317 Aquatic Acute 1, H400 (M=100) Aquatic Chronic 1, H410 (M=100)

Specific concentration limits:		
Name	Product identifier	Specific concentration limits
2-octyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one	CAS-No.: 26530-20-1 EC-No.: 247-761-7 EC Index-No.: 613-112-00-5 REACH-no: 01-2120768921-	(0,0015 ≤C ≤ 100) Skin Sens. 1A, H317

Full text of H- and EUH-statements: see section 16

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Respiratory problems:

consult a doctor/medical service.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Rinse skin with water/shower. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. First-aid measures after eye contact

: Rinse eyes with water as a precaution. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing. Consult an ophtalmologist if irritation persists.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth out with water. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

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

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

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Dry powder. Foam. Carbon dioxide.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : None known.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained

breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information

refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Large spills: scoop solid spill into closing containers. Clean contaminated surfaces with a

soap solution. Wash clothing and equipment after handling.

Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Wear personal protective equipment.

Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the

product.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Store in a dry area. Store at room temperature. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep

container closed when not in use.

Incompatible products : Heat sources. Oxidizing agent.

Maximum storage period : 1 year

Packaging materials : Synthetic material.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

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SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.1.1 National occupational exposure and biological limit values

No additional information available

8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available

8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available

8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

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triacetoxyethylsilane (17689-77-9)		
DNEL/DMEL (Workers)		
Acute - local effects, inhalation	32,5 mg/m³	
Long-term - local effects, inhalation	32,5 mg/m³	
DNEL/DMEL (General population)		
Long-term - local effects, inhalation	6,5 mg/m³	
PNEC (Water)		
PNEC aqua (freshwater)	0,2 mg/l	
PNEC aqua (marine water)	0,02 mg/l	
PNEC aqua (intermittent, freshwater)	1,7 mg/l	
PNEC (Sediment)		
PNEC sediment (freshwater)	0,74 mg/kg dwt	
PNEC sediment (marine water)	0,074 mg/kg dwt	
PNEC (Soil)		
PNEC soil	0,031 mg/kg dwt	
PNEC (STP)		
PNEC sewage treatment plant	1 mg/l	

8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):







8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

Eye protection:

Safety glasses (EN 166)

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8.2.2.2. Skin protection

Skin and body protection:

Protective clothing (EN 14605 or EN 13034)

Hand protection:

Protective gloves against chemicals (EN 374)

8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection:

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

No additional information available

8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

Environmental exposure controls:

Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid Colour : Variable. Appearance : Pasty. Odour : vinegar odour. Odour threshold : Not available Melting point : Not applicable Freezing point : Not available Boiling point : Not available Flammability : Not applicable **Explosive limits** : Not available Lower explosion limit : Not available Upper explosion limit : Not available : > 100 °C Flash point Auto-ignition temperature : Not available : Not available Decomposition temperature рΗ : Not available Viscosity, kinematic $: > 20,5 \text{ mm}^2/\text{s} (40^{\circ}\text{C})$

Solubility : Not available Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow) : Not available Vapour pressure : Not available Vapour pressure at 50 °C : Not available Density : 0,98 g/l (20°C) Relative density : Not available Relative vapour density at 20 °C Not available Particle characteristics : Not applicable

9.2. Other information

9.2.1. Information with regard to physical hazard classes

No additional information available

9.2.2. Other safety characteristics

VOC content : < 0,1 % (<0.2 g/l)

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

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10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

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

Acute toxicity (oral) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

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triacetoxyethylsilane (17689-77-9)		
LD50 oral rat	1460 mg/kg bodyweight (OECD 401: Acute Oral Toxicity, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Oral)	
hydrocarbons, C15-C20, n-alkanes, isoalkane	s, cyclics, < 0.03% aromatics	
LD50 oral rat	> 5000 mg/kg (OECD 401 (Acute Oral Toxicity))	
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 3160 mg/kg (OECD 402 (Acute Dermal Toxicity))	
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	> 5266 mg/l/4h (OECD 403 (Acute Inhalation Toxicity))	
2-octyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one (26530-20-1)		
LD50 oral rat	550 mg/kg (Rat, Literature study, Oral)	
LD50 dermal rabbit	690 mg/kg bodyweight (Rabbit, Literature study, Dermal)	
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	> 2 mg/m³ (4 h, Rat, Literature study, Inhalation (vapours))	
Skin corrosion/irritation :	Not classified. (Corrosivity: based upon skin corrosion test data, classification criteria are not met)	
Serious eye damage/irritation :	Not classified (On basis of test data. Serious eye damage/eye irritation Not classified)	
Respiratory or skin sensitisation :	Not classified. (On basis of test data. Skin sensitisation Not classified)	
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Skin Sensitisation (test on mixture), In vivo, Guinea pig	Not sensitising (OECD 406 - Guinea Pigs (Buehler Method))
Germ cell mutagenicity	Not classified

Carcinogenicity : Not classified
Reproductive toxicity : Not classified.

Not classified.

triacetoxyethylsilane (17689-77-9)	
LOAEL (animal/female, F1)	> 731,67 mg/kg bodyweight (Animal: , Animal sex: female)
NOAEL (animal/female, F1)	≥ 2500 mg/kg bodyweight (Animal: rat, Animal sex: female)
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STOT-single exposure : Not classified STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified

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triacetoxyethylsilane (17689-77-9)	
NOAEL (subchronic, oral, animal/male, 90 days)	≥ 3417,23 mg/kg bodyweight (Animal: , Animal sex: male)
Aspiration hazard :	Not classified
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Viscosity, kinematic	> 20,5 mm²/s (40°C)

11.2. Information on other hazards

No additional information available

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms nor to cause long-term adverse

effects in the environment.

: Not classified

 $\label{thm:local_equation} \mbox{Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term}$

acute)

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term

(chronic)

Not rapidly degradable

rm : Not classified. (On basis of test data. Not classified)

triacetoxyethylsilane (17689-77-9)		
LC50 - Fish [1]	251 mg/l (OECD 203: Fish, Acute Toxicity Test, 96 h, Brachydanio rerio, Semi-static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)	
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	62 mg/l (OECD 202: Daphnia sp. Acute Immobilisation Test, 48 h, Daphnia magna, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)	
EC50 - Crustacea [2]	168,7 mg/l (EU Method C.2, 48 h, Daphnia magna, Static system, Fresh water, Readacross, GLP)	
EC50 72h - Algae [1]	76 mg/l (OECD 201: Alga, Growth Inhibition Test, Scenedesmus subspicatus, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Growth rate)	
EC50 72h - Algae [2]	73 mg/l (OECD 201: Alga, Growth Inhibition Test, Scenedesmus subspicatus, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Biomass)	
EC50 72h algae (3)	24,41 mg/l (OECD 201: Alga, Growth Inhibition Test, Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value)	
2-octyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one (26530-20-1)		
LC50 - Fish [1]	0,14 mg/l (96 h, Pimephales promelas, Literature study)	
LC50 - Fish [2]	0,05 mg/l (96 h, Oncorhynchus mykiss, Literature study)	
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	0,18 mg/l (48 h, Daphnia magna, Literature study)	
EC50 - Crustacea [2]	0,32 mg/l (48 h, Daphnia magna, Literature study)	

12.2. Persistence and degradability

triacetoxyethylsilane (17689-77-9)	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water.
Biodegradation	74 % (21d; OECD 301A)
hydrocarbons, C15-C20, n-alkanes, isoalkanes, cyclics, < 0.03% aromatics	
Biodegradation	74 % (OECD 306: Biodegradability in seawater; closed bottle test; 28d)

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2-octyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one (26530-20-1)	
Persistence and degradability	Inherently biodegradable.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

triacetoxyethylsilane (17689-77-9)		
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-1,9 (QSAR, KOWWIN, 20 °C)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.	
2-octyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one (26530-20-1)		
BCF - Fish [1]	1280 (67 day(s), Lepomis macrochirus, Flow-through system, Literature study)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	2,45 (Experimental value)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Potential for bioaccumulation (500 ≤ BCF ≤ 5000).	

12.4. Mobility in soil

triacetoxyethylsilane (17689-77-9)	
Surface tension	30,5 mN/m (20 °C, EU Method A.5: Surface tension)
Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	1 (log Koc, SRC PCKOCWIN v2.0, Calculated value)
Ecology - soil	Highly mobile in soil.
2-octyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one (26530-20-1)	
Ecology - soil	No (test)data on mobility of the substance available.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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The product does not meet the PBT and vPvB classification criteria

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

12.7. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Regional legislation (waste) : Non hazardous waste.

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.

Sewage disposal recommendations : Do not discharge into drains or the environment.

Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

European List of Waste (LoW) code : 08 04 10 - waste adhesives and sealants other than those mentioned in 08 04 09

15 01 02 - plastic packaging

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID /

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ADR	IMDG	IATA	ADN	RID
14.1. UN number or ID n	14.1. UN number or ID number			
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
14.2. UN proper shipping name				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
14.4. Packing group				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
14.5. Environmental hazards				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
No supplementary information available				

14.6. Special precautions for user

Overland transport

Not regulated

Transport by sea

Not regulated

Air transport

Not regulated

Inland waterway transport

Not regulated

Rail transport

Not regulated

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

15.1.1. EU-Regulations

EU restriction list (REACH Annex XVII)		
Reference code	Applicable on	Entry title or description
3(b)	triacetoxyethylsilane; 2- octyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one; hydrocarbons, C15-C20, n-alkanes, isoalkanes, cyclics, < 0.03% aromatics	Substances or mixtures fulfilling the criteria for any of the following hazard classes or categories set out in Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008: Hazard classes 3.1 to 3.6, 3.7 adverse effects on sexual function and fertility or on development, 3.8 effects other than narcotic effects, 3.9 and 3.10
3(c)	2-octyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one	Substances or mixtures fulfilling the criteria for any of the following hazard classes or categories set out in Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008: Hazard class 4.1

Contains no substance on the REACH candidate list Contains no REACH Annex XIV substances

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Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals.

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) No 2019/1021 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants

Contains no substance subject to REGULATION (EU) No 1005/2009 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 September 2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer.

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) 2019/1148 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors.

VOC content : < 0,1 % (<0.2 g/l)

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EC) 273/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 February 2004 on the manufacture and the placing on market of certain substances used in the illicit manufacture of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances.

15.1.2. National regulations

No additional information available

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

Indication of changes			
Section	Changed item	Change	Comments
	according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH) with its amendment Regulation (EU) 2020/878		
2.2		Modified	

Abbreviations and acronyms:	
ADN	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
ATE	Acute Toxicity Estimate
BLV	Biological limit value
CAS-No.	Chemical Abstract Service number
CLP	Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
DMEL	Derived Minimal Effect level
DNEL	Derived-No Effect Level
EC50	Median effective concentration
EC-No.	European Community number
EN	European Standard
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
LC50	Median lethal concentration
LD50	Median lethal dose
LOAEL	Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOAEC	No-Observed Adverse Effect Concentration
NOAEL	No-Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOEC	No-Observed Effect Concentration

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Abbreviations and acronyms:		
OEL	Occupational Exposure Limit	
PBT	Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic	
PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration	
REACH	Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006	
RID	Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail	
SDS	Safety Data Sheet	
vPvB	Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative	
WGK	Water Hazard Class	

Full text of H- and EUH-statements:		
Acute Tox. 2 (Inhalation)	Acute toxicity (inhal.), Category 2	
Acute Tox. 3 (Dermal)	Acute toxicity (dermal), Category 3	
Acute Tox. 3 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 3	
Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4	
Aquatic Acute 1	Hazardous to the aquatic environment — Acute Hazard, Category 1	
Aquatic Chronic 1	Hazardous to the aquatic environment — Chronic Hazard, Category 1	
Asp. Tox. 1	Aspiration hazard, Category 1	
EUH210	Safety data sheet available on request.	
EUH211	Warning! Hazardous respirable droplets may be formed when sprayed. Do not breathe spray or mist. (Except for black/brown/transparent product)	
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1	
H301	Toxic if swallowed.	
H302	Harmful if swallowed.	
H304	May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.	
H311	Toxic in contact with skin.	
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.	
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.	
H318	Causes serious eye damage.	
H330	Fatal if inhaled.	
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.	
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.	
Skin Corr. 1	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1	
Skin Corr. 1B	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1, Sub-Category 1B	
Skin Sens. 1A	Skin sensitisation, category 1A	

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