

# **HEXAMETHYLDISILAZANE**

# **ChemWatch Review SDS**

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Safety Data Sheet according to OSHA HazCom Standard (2012) requirements

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# **SECTION 1 IDENTIFICATION**

# **Product Identifier**

Product name	HEXAMETHYLDISILAZANE
Chemical Name	hexamethyldisilazane
Synonyms	(CH3)3SiNHSi(CH3)3, 1,1,1,3,3,3-hexamethyl-disilazane, 1,1,1,3,3,3-hexamethyldisilazane, C6-H19-N-Si2, HMDS, OAP, bis(trimethylsilyl)amine, disilazane, 1,1,1,3,3,3-hexamethyl-, hexamethylsilazane, silanamine, 1,1,1-trimethyl-N-(trimethylsilyl)-, silylating agent
Proper shipping name	Flammable liquid, toxic, corrosive, n.o.s. (contains hexamethyldisilazane)
Chemical formula	C6-H19-N-Si2 C6H19NSi2
Other means of identification	Not Available
CAS number	999-97-3

## Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Relevant identified uses

Silylating agent. Chemical intermediate; chromatographic packings. Reagent for the preparation of trimethylsilyl derivatives.

# Name, address, and telephone number of the chemical manufacturer, importer, or other responsible party

Registered company name	Sigma-Aldrich (Merck)	OM Group (OM Group Ultra Pure Chemicals)	
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Fax	+61 2 9841 0500	Not Available	
Website	www.sigma-aldrich.com	Not Available	
Email	ausmail@sial.com	Not Available	

# **Emergency phone number**

Association / Organisation	Not Available	Not Available
Emergency telephone numbers	1800 448 456	Not Available
Other emergency telephone numbers	Not Available	Not Available

# **SECTION 2 HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION**

# Classification of the substance or mixture

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Note: The hazard category numbers found in GHS classification in section 2 of this SDSs are NOT to be used to fill in the NFPA 704 diamond. Blue = Health Red = Fire Yellow = Reactivity White = Special (Oxidizer or water reactive substances)

Classification

Flammable Liquid Category 2, Acute Toxicity (Oral) Category 4, Acute Toxicity (Dermal) Category 1, Acute Toxicity (Inhalation) Category 2, Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2, Eye Irritation Category 2A

#### Label elements

#### **GHS** label elements





SIGNAL WORD

## Hazard statement(s)

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H310	Fatal in contact with skin.
H330	Fatal if inhaled.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.

# Hazard(s) not otherwise specified

Not Applicable

## Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

P210	Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces No smoking.	
P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.	
P262	Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.	
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.	

# Precautionary statement(s) Response

P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.		
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.		
P362	Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.		
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.		

## Precautionary statement(s) Storage

P403+P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.	
P403+P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.	
P405	Store locked up.	

# Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

# SECTION 3 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

## **Substances**

CAS No	%[weight]	Name
999-97-3	>=99	hexamethyldisilazane
		hydrolysis produces

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74-82-8	methane
1336-21-6	<u>ammonia</u>
7631-86-9	silica amorphous

#### **Mixtures**

See section above for composition of Substances

#### **SECTION 4 FIRST-AID MEASURES**

Description of first ai	d measures
Eye Contact	If this product comes in contact with the eyes:  Immediately hold eyelids apart and flush the eye continuously with running water.  Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids.  Continue flushing until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes.  Transport to hospital or doctor without delay.  Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.
Skin Contact	If skin or hair contact occurs:  Immediately flush body and clothes with large amounts of water, using safety shower if available.  Quickly remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear.  Wash skin and hair with running water. Continue flushing with water until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre.  Transport to hospital, or doctor.
Inhalation	<ul> <li>If fumes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.</li> <li>Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested.</li> <li>Prostheses such as false teeth, which may block airway, should be removed, where possible, prior to initiating first aid procedures.</li> <li>Apply artificial respiration if not breathing, preferably with a demand valve resuscitator, bag-valve mask device, or pocket mask as trained. Perform CPR if necessary.</li> <li>Transport to hospital, or doctor, without delay.</li> <li>Inhalation of vapours or aerosols (mists, fumes) may cause lung oedema.</li> <li>Corrosive substances may cause lung damage (e.g. lung oedema, fluid in the lungs).</li> <li>As this reaction may be delayed up to 24 hours after exposure, affected individuals need complete rest (preferably in semi-recumbent posture) and must be kept under medical observation even if no symptoms are (yet) manifested.</li> <li>Before any such manifestation, the administration of a spray containing a dexamethasone derivative or beclomethasone derivative may be considered.</li> <li>This must definitely be left to a doctor or person authorised by him/her. (ICSC13719)</li> </ul>
Ingestion	<ul> <li>For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor at once.</li> <li>Urgent hospital treatment is likely to be needed.</li> <li>If swallowed do NOT induce vomiting.</li> <li>If vomiting occurs, lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration.</li> <li>Observe the patient carefully.</li> <li>Never give liquid to a person showing signs of being sleepy or with reduced awareness; i.e. becoming unconscious.</li> <li>Give water to rinse out mouth, then provide liquid slowly and as much as casualty can comfortably drink.</li> <li>Transport to hospital or doctor without delay.</li> </ul>

# Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

See Section 11

# Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

For acute or short-term repeated exposures to highly alkaline materials:

- Respiratory stress is uncommon but present occasionally because of soft tissue edema.
- Unless endotracheal intubation can be accomplished under direct vision, cricothyroidotomy or tracheotomy may be necessary.
- Oxygen is given as indicated.
- ▶ The presence of shock suggests perforation and mandates an intravenous line and fluid administration.
- Damage due to alkaline corrosives occurs by liquefaction necrosis whereby the saponification of fats and solubilisation of proteins allow deep penetration into the tissue.

Alkalis continue to cause damage after exposure.

#### INGESTION:

• Milk and water are the preferred diluents

No more than 2 glasses of water should be given to an adult.

- Neutralising agents should never be given since exothermic heat reaction may compound injury.
- \* Catharsis and emesis are absolutely contra-indicated.
- \* Activated charcoal does not absorb alkali.

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\* Gastric lavage should not be used.

Supportive care involves the following:

- Withhold oral feedings initially.
- If endoscopy confirms transmucosal injury start steroids only within the first 48 hours.
- · Carefully evaluate the amount of tissue necrosis before assessing the need for surgical intervention.
- Patients should be instructed to seek medical attention whenever they develop difficulty in swallowing (dysphagia).

#### SKIN AND EYE:

Injury should be irrigated for 20-30 minutes.

Eye injuries require saline. [Ellenhorn & Barceloux: Medical Toxicology]

Depending on the degree of exposure, periodic medical examination is indicated. The symptoms of lung oedema often do not manifest until a few hours have passed and they are aggravated by physical effort. Rest and medical observation is therefore essential. Immediate administration of an appropriate spray, by a doctor or a person authorised by him/her should be considered. (ICSC24419/24421

#### **SECTION 5 FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

# **Extinguishing media**

- Foam.
- Dry chemical powder.
- ▶ BCF (where regulations permit).
- · Carbon dioxide.

## Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

Fire Incompatibility

 Avoid contamination with oxidising agents i.e. nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result

## Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

# Fire Fighting

- ▶ Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- May be violently or explosively reactive.
- Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.
- ▶ Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.

# Fire/Explosion Hazard

- Liquid and vapour are highly flammable.
- ► Severe fire hazard when exposed to heat, flame and/or oxidisers.
- ▶ Vapour may travel a considerable distance to source of ignition.
- Heating may cause expansion or decomposition leading to violent rupture of containers.

Combustion products include; carbon dioxide (CO2) aldehydes nitrogen oxides (NOx) silicon dioxide (SiO2) other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material

## **SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

# Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

▶ Remove all ignition sources.

See section 8

# **Environmental precautions**

See section 12

# Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Minor Spills	<ul> <li>Clean up all spills immediately.</li> <li>Avoid breathing vapours and contact with skin and eyes.</li> <li>Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment.</li> <li>Drains for storage or use areas should have retention basins for pH adjustments and dilution of spills before discharge or disposal of material.</li> <li>Check regularly for spills and leaks.</li> </ul>					
	Chemical Class: bases For release onto land: recommended sorbents listed in order of priority.  SORBENT TYPE RANK APPLICATION COLLECTION LIMITATIONS					

# **Major Spills**

## LAND SPILL - SMALL

cross-linked polymer - particulate	1	shovel	shovel	R,W,SS
cross-linked polymer - pillow	1	throw	pitchfork	R, DGC, RT
sorbent clay - particulate	2	shovel	shovel	R, I, P

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foamed glass - pillow	2	throw	pitchfork	R, P, DGC, RT
expanded minerals - particulate	3	shovel	shovel	R, I, W, P, DGC
foamed glass - particulate	4	shovel	shovel	R, W, P, DGC,

#### LAND SPILL - MEDIUM

cross-linked polymer -particulate	1	blower	skiploader	R,W, SS
sorbent clay - particulate	2	blower	skiploader	R, I, P
expanded mineral - particulate	3	blower	skiploader	R, I,W, P, DGC
cross-linked polymer - pillow	3	throw	skiploader	R, DGC, RT
foamed glass - particulate	4	blower	skiploader	R, W, P, DGC
foamed glass - pillow	4	throw	skiploader	R, P, DGC., RT

#### Legend

DGC: Not effective where ground cover is dense

R: Not reusable

I: Not incinerable

P: Effectiveness reduced when rainy

RT:Not effective where terrain is rugged

SS: Not for use within environmentally sensitive sites

W: Effectiveness reduced when windy

Reference: Sorbents for Liquid Hazardous Substance Cleanup and Control;

R.W Melvold et al: Pollution Technology Review No. 150: Noyes Data Corporation 1988

- ▶ Clear area of personnel and move upwind.
- Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- ▶ May be violently or explosively reactive.
- ▶ Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.

Personal Protective Equipment advice is contained in Section 8 of the SDS.

## **SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE**

# Precautions for safe handling

WARNING: Hexamethyldisilazane has an exceptional tendency to accumulate static charge. Human fatality has been reported from fires ignited by static discharge of hexamethyldisilazane. All equipment involved in liquid transfer MUST be grounded to dissipate static charge.

# Safe handling

- ► Containers, even those that have been emptied, may contain explosive vapours.
- ▶ Do NOT cut, drill, grind, weld or perform similar operations on or near containers.
- ▶ DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin
- ▶ Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.
- Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.
- ► Use in a well-ventilated area.
- ▶ Prevent concentration in hollows and sumps.

## Other information

- ▶ Store in original containers in approved flame-proof area.
- ▶ No smoking, naked lights, heat or ignition sources.
- ▶ DO NOT store in pits, depressions, basements or areas where vapours may be trapped.
- ► Keep containers securely sealed.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

# Suitable container

Storage

incompatibility

- Glass container is suitable for laboratory quantities
- Packing as supplied by manufacturer.
- Plastic containers may only be used if approved for flammable liquid.
- ▶ Check that containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.
- For low viscosity materials (i): Drums and jerry cans must be of the non-removable head type. (ii): Where a can is to be used as an inner package, the can must have a screwed enclosure.
- ▶ For materials with a viscosity of at least 2680 cSt. (23 deg. C)
- ▶ For manufactured product having a viscosity of at least 250 cSt.

# Hexamethyldisilazane:

- ► reacts violently with strong oxidisers
- ▶ reacts with water, steam, alcohols
- is incompatible with aldehydes, non-oxidising mineral acids, cellulose nitrate, sulfuric acid, nitric acid, organic anhydrides, isocyanates, nitrates
- may generate electrostatic charges due to low conductivity.
- ► Segregate from alcohol, water.
- Avoid strong acids, acid chlorides, acid anhydrides and chloroformates.
- Avoid contact with copper, aluminium and their alloys.

- ▶ Avoid reaction with oxidising agents
- ▶ NOTE: May develop pressure in containers; open carefully. Vent periodically.

# SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

# **Control parameters**

# OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS (OEL)

# INGREDIENT DATA

Source	Ingredient	Material name	TWA	STEL	Peak	Notes
US ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)	methane	Methane	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	TLV® Basis: Asphyxia; See Appendix F: Minimal Oxygen Content
US OSHA Permissible Exposure Levels (PELs) - Table Z1	ammonia	Ammonia	35 mg/m3 / 50 ppm	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
US ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)	ammonia	Ammonia	25 ppm	35 ppm	Not Available	TLV® Basis: Eye dam; URT irr
US NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits (RELs)	ammonia	Anhydrous ammonia, Aqua ammonia, Aqueous ammonia [Note: Often used in an aqueous solution.]	18 mg/m3 / 25 ppm	27 mg/m3 / 35 ppm	Not Available	Not Available
US OSHA Permissible Exposure Levels (PELs) - Table Z1	silica amorphous	Silica, amorphous, precipitated and gel	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	See Table Z-3
US OSHA Permissible Exposure Levels (PELs) - Table Z1	silica amorphous	Silica, fused, respirable dust	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	See Table Z-3
US OSHA Permissible Exposure Levels (PELs) - Table Z1	silica amorphous	Silica, amorphous, diatomaceous earth	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	See Table Z-3;containing less than 1% crystalline silica
US OSHA Permissible Exposure Levels (PELs) - Table Z3	silica amorphous	Amorphous	80/(%SiO2) mg/m3 / 20 mppcf	Not Available	Not Available	including natural diatomaceous earth
US NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits (RELs)	silica amorphous	Diatomaceous earth, Diatomaceous silica, Diatomite, Precipitated amorphous silica, Silica gel, Silicon dioxide (amorphous)	6 mg/m3	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

# **EMERGENCY LIMITS**

Ingredient	Material name	TEEL-1	TEEL-2	TEEL-3
hexamethyldisilazane	Hexamethyldisilazane	0.2 mg/m3	2.2 mg/m3	170 mg/m3
methane	Methane	2,900 ppm	2900 ppm	17000 ppm
ammonia	Ammonium hydroxide	61 ppm	330 ppm	2300 ppm
ammonia	Ammonia	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
silica amorphous	Silica gel, amorphous synthetic	6 mg/m3	6 mg/m3	6 mg/m3
silica amorphous	Silica, amorphous fumed	6 mg/m3	6 mg/m3	630 mg/m3
silica amorphous	Diatomaceous earth; (Silica-amorphous diatomaceous earth (uncalcined))	18 mg/m3	200 mg/m3	1200 mg/m3
silica amorphous	Siloxanes and silicones, dimethyl, reaction products with silica; (Hydrophobic silicon dioxide, amorphous)	0.07 mg/m3	0.77 mg/m3	4.6 mg/m3
silica amorphous	Silica, amorphous fume	0.3 mg/m3	0.3 mg/m3	1.6 mg/m3
silica amorphous	Silica amorphous hydrated	6 mg/m3	6 mg/m3	85 mg/m3
silica amorphous	Diatomaceous silica, calcined	0.9 mg/m3	9.9 mg/m3	59 mg/m3

Ingredient	Original IDLH	Revised IDLH
hexamethyldisilazane	Not Available	Not Available

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methane	Not Available	Not Available
ammonia	500 ppm	300 ppm
silica amorphous	N.E. mg/m3 / N.E. ppm	3,000 mg/m3

#### MATERIAL DATA

For amorphous crystalline silica (precipitated silicic acid):

Amorphous crystalline silica shows little potential for producing adverse effects on the lung and exposure standards should reflect a particulate of low intrinsic toxicity. Mixtures of amorphous silicas/ diatomaceous earth and crystalline silica should be monitored as if they comprise only the crystalline forms

The dusts from precipitated silica and silica gel produce little adverse effect on pulmonary functions and are not known to produce significant disease or toxic effect.

IARC has classified silica, amorphous as Group 3: NOT classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans.

for exposure to ammonia gas/ vapours:

Odour Threshold Value: Variously reported as 0.019 ppm and 55 ppm; AIHA Value 16.7 ppm (detection)

NOTE: Detector tubes for ammonia, measuring in excess of 1 ppm, are commercially available.

Not Available

Thermal hazards

The TLV-TWA is thought to be protective against irritation of the eyes and respiratory tract and minimise discomfort among workers that are not inured to its effects and systemic damage. Acclimatised persons are able to tolerate prolonged exposures of up to 100 ppm without symptoms. Marked irritation has been seen in persons exposed to ammonia concentrations between 50 and 100 ppm only when the exposures involved sudden concentration peaks which do not permit short-term acclimatisation.

#### **Exposure controls**

# CARE: Explosive vapour air mixtures may be present on opening vessels which have contained liquid ammonia. Fatalities have occurred Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to **Appropriate** provide this high level of protection. engineering controls The basic types of engineering controls are: Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk. Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard "physically" away from the worker and ventilation that strategically "adds" and "removes" air in the work environment. Personal protection ► Safety glasses with unperforated side shields may be used where continuous eye protection is desirable, as in laboratories; spectacles are not sufficient where complete eye protection is needed such as when handling bulk-quantities, where there is a danger of splashing, or if the material may be under pressure. Eye and face Chemical goggles whenever there is a danger of the material coming in contact with the eyes; goggles must be properly protection Full face shield (20 cm, 8 in minimum) may be required for supplementary but never for primary protection of eyes; these afford face protection. ▶ Alternatively a gas mask may replace splash goggles and face shields. Skin protection See Hand protection below ▶ When handling corrosive liquids, wear trousers or overalls outside of boots, to avoid spills entering boots. Elbow length PVC gloves The selection of suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality which vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Where the chemical is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove Hands/feet protection material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application. The exact break through time for substances has to be obtained from the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed when making a final choice. Personal hygiene is a key element of effective hand care. Neoprene rubber gloves See Other protection below **Body protection** ▶ Overalls. ▶ PVC Apron. ▶ PVC protective suit may be required if exposure severe. Some plastic personal protective equipment (PPE) (e.g. gloves, aprons, overshoes) are not recommended as they may Other protection produce static electricity. For large scale or continuous use wear tight-weave non-static clothing (no metallic fasteners, cuffs or pockets). Non sparking safety or conductive footwear should be considered. Conductive footwear describes a boot or shoe with a

sole made from a conductive compound chemically bound to the bottom components, for permanent control to electrically ground the foot an shall dissipate static electricity from the body to reduce the possibility of ignition of volatile compounds.

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# Recommended material(s)

#### GLOVE SELECTION INDEX

Glove selection is based on a modified presentation of the:

#### "Forsberg Clothing Performance Index".

The effect(s) of the following substance(s) are taken into account in the *computer-generated* selection:

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Material	СРІ
BUTYL	A
HYPALON	A
NEOPRENE	A
NEOPRENE/NATURAL	A
NATURAL+NEOPRENE	В
NITRILE	В
NATURAL RUBBER	С
NITRILE+PVC	С
PVC	С

<sup>\*</sup> CPI - Chemwatch Performance Index

A: Best Selection

- B: Satisfactory; may degrade after 4 hours continuous immersion
- C: Poor to Dangerous Choice for other than short term immersion

**NOTE**: As a series of factors will influence the actual performance of the glove, a final selection must be based on detailed observation. -

\* Where the glove is to be used on a short term, casual or infrequent basis, factors such as "feel" or convenience (e.g. disposability), may dictate a choice of gloves which might otherwise be unsuitable following long-term or frequent use. A qualified practitioner should be consulted.

## Respiratory protection

Type AK Filter of sufficient capacity. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 & 149:2001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

Where the concentration of gas/particulates in the breathing zone, approaches or exceeds the "Exposure Standard" (or ES), respiratory protection is required.

Degree of protection varies with both face-piece and Class of filter; the nature of protection varies with Type of filter.

Required Minimum Protection Factor	Half-Face Respirator	Full-Face Respirator	Powered Air Respirator
up to 10 x ES	AK-AUS	-	AK-PAPR-AUS / Class 1
up to 50 x ES	-	AK-AUS / Class 1	-
up to 100 x ES	-	AK-2	AK-PAPR-2 ^

#### ^ - Full-face

A(All classes) = Organic vapours, B AUS or B1 = Acid gasses, B2 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), B3 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), E = Sulfur dioxide(SO2), G = Agricultural chemicals, K = Ammonia(NH3), Hg = Mercury, NO = Oxides of nitrogen, MB = Methyl bromide, AX = Low boiling point organic compounds(below 65 degC)

Cartridge respirators should never be used for emergency ingress or in areas of unknown vapour concentrations or oxygen content. The wearer must be warned to leave the contaminated area immediately on detecting any odours through the respirator. The odour may indicate that the mask is not functioning properly, that the vapour concentration is too high, or that the mask is not properly fitted. Because of these limitations, only restricted use of cartridge respirators is considered appropriate.

# **SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

# Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Clear colourless liquid with ammonia odour. Mixes with acetone, benzene, ethyl ether, heptane, perchloroethylene. Reactive with water and methanol. .				
Physical state	Liquid	Relative density (Water = 1)	0.77		
Odour	Not Available	Partition coefficient n-octanol / water	Not Available		
Odour threshold	Not Available	Auto-ignition temperature (°C)	380		
pH (as supplied)	Not Applicable	Decomposition temperature	Not Available		
Melting point / freezing point (°C)	Not available.	Viscosity (cSt)	Not Available		
Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C)	125-127	Molecular weight (g/mol)	161.44		
Flash point (°C)	8	Taste	Not Available		
Evaporation rate	1~ BuAC = 1	Explosive properties	Not Available		
Flammability	HIGHLY FLAMMABLE.	Oxidising properties	Not Available		
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	16.3	Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)	Not Available		
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	0.8	Volatile Component (%vol)	100		
Vapour pressure (kPa)	2.6 @ 20 C.	Gas group	Not Available		
Solubility in water (g/L)	Reacts	pH as a solution (1%)	Not Applicable		
Vapour density (Air = 1)	4.6	VOC g/L	Not Available		

#### **SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity	See section 7
Chemical stability	<ul> <li>Unstable in the presence of incompatible materials.</li> <li>Product is considered stable.</li> <li>Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.</li> </ul>
Possibility of hazardous reactions	See section 7
Conditions to avoid	See section 7
Incompatible materials	See section 7
Hazardous decomposition products	See section 5

#### **SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Information on toxicological effects

Inhalation of quantities of liquid mist may be extremely hazardous, even lethal due to spasm, extreme irritation of larynx and bronchi, chemical pneumonitis and pulmonary oedema.

The highly irritant properties of ammonia vapour result as the gas dissolves in mucous fluids and forms irritant, even corrosive solutions.

Inhalation of the ammonia fumes causes coughing, vomiting, reddening of lips, mouth, nose, throat and conjunctiva while higher concentrations can cause temporary blindness, restlessness, tightness in the chest, pulmonary oedema (lung damage), weak pulse and cyanosis.

#### Inhaled

Inhalation of high concentrations of vapour may cause breathing difficulty, tightness in chest, pulmonary oedema and lung damage. Brief exposure to high concentrations > 5000 ppm may cause death due to asphyxiation (suffocation) or fluid in the lungs.

Inhalation of aerosols (mists, fumes), generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may produce toxic effects; these may be fatal.

Inhalation of alkaline corrosives may produce irritation of the respiratory tract with coughing, choking, pain and mucous membrane damage. Pulmonary oedema may develop in more severe cases; this may be immediate or in most cases following a latent period of 5-72 hours. Symptoms may include a tightness in the chest, dyspnoea, frothy sputum, cyanosis and dizziness. Findings may include hypotension, a weak and rapid pulse and moist rales.

|Inhalation of concentrated vapours may result in central nervous system depression, dizziness, confusion, unconsciousness and pulmonary oedema.

# Ingestion

Accidental ingestion of the material may be harmful; animal experiments indicate that ingestion of less than 150 gram may be fatal or may produce serious damage to the health of the individual.

The material can produce chemical burns within the oral cavity and gastrointestinal tract following ingestion.

Human metabolism allows detoxification of ammonia, however toxic effects appear if this mechanism is overwhelmed by other than small doses.

Ingestion of ammonium salts may produce local irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea. Very large doses of ammonium salts may produce a drop in blood pressure, collapse, central nervous system disorders, spasms, narcosis, respiratory paralysis and haemolysis.

Large doses of ammonium salts may be sufficiently absorbed to produce diuresis and systemic ammonia poisoning. Ingestion of alkaline corrosives may produce immediate pain, and circumoral burns. Mucous membrane corrosive damage is characterised by a white appearance and soapy feel; this may then become brown, oedematous and ulcerated. Profuse salivation with an inability to swallow or speak may also result. Even where there is limited or no evidence of chemical burns, both the oesophagus and stomach may experience a burning pain; vomiting and diarrhoea may follow.

Skin contact with the material may produce severely toxic effects; systemic effects may result following absorption and these may be fatal.

The material can produce chemical burns following direct contact with the skin.

The material produces severe skin irritation; evidence exists, or practical experience predicts, that the material either:

- ▶ produces severe inflammation of the skin in a substantial number of individuals following direct contact, and/or
- produces significant and severe inflammation when applied to the healthy intact skin of animals (for up to four hours), such inflammation being present twenty-four hours or more after the end of the exposure period.

# Skin irritation may also be present after prolonged or repeated exposure; this may result in a form of contact dermatitis (nonallergic). The dermatitis is often characterised by skin redness (erythema) and swelling (oedema) which may progress to blistering (vesiculation), scaling and thickening of the epidermis. At the microscopic level there may be intercellular oedema of the spongy layer of the skin (spongiosis) and intracellular oedema of the epidermis.

Hexamethyldisilazane (HMDS) reacts with moisture in living tissue to generate ammonia. HMDS may produce irritation or contact dermatitis, which may be delayed by several hours

Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material

Entry into the blood-stream through, for example, cuts, abrasions, puncture wounds or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects. Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably

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protected.

Mild irritation is produced on moist skin when vapour concentrations of ammonia exceed 10000 ppm. High vapour concentrations (>30000 ppm) or direct contact with solutions produces severe pain, a stinging sensation, burns and vesiculation and possible brown stains. Extensive burning may be fatal. Vapour exposure may, rarely, produce urticaria. Skin contact with alkaline corrosives may produce severe pain and burns; brownish stains may develop. The corroded area may be soft, gelatinous and necrotic; tissue destruction may be deep.

Eye

The material can produce chemical burns to the eye following direct contact. Vapours or mists may be extremely irritating. When applied to the eye(s) of animals, the material produces severe ocular lesions which are present twenty-four hours or more after instillation.

Direct contact with alkaline corrosives may produce pain and burns. Oedema, destruction of the epithelium, corneal opacification and iritis may occur. In less severe cases these symptoms tend to resolve. In severe injuries the full extent of the damage may not be immediately apparent with late complications comprising a persistent oedema, vascularisation and corneal scarring, permanent opacity, staphyloma, cataract, symblepharon and loss of sight.

Chronic

Repeated or prolonged exposure to corrosives may result in the erosion of teeth, inflammatory and ulcerative changes in the mouth and necrosis (rarely) of the jaw. Bronchial irritation, with cough, and frequent attacks of bronchial pneumonia may ensue. Gastrointestinal disturbances may also occur. Chronic exposures may result in dermatitis and/or conjunctivitis. Limited evidence suggests that repeated or long-term occupational exposure may produce cumulative health effects involving organs or biochemical systems.

Prolonged or repeated minor exposure to ammonia gas/vapour may cause long-term irritation to the eyes, nose and upper respiratory tract. Repeated exposure or prolonged contact may produce dermatitis, and conjunctivitis.

Other effects may include ulcerative changes to the mouth and bronchial and gastrointestinal disturbances. Adaptation to usually irritating concentrations may result in tolerance.

	TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: 0.75 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye : Severe	
hexamethyldisilazane	Inhalation (rat) LC50: 8.7 mg/L/4h * <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye: Corrosive *	
	Oral (rat) LD50: 770 mg/kg <sup>[1]</sup>	Skin : Severe *	
		Skin: Corrosive *	
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
	Inhalation (mouse) LC50: >15.6-<17.9 mm/l/2hr>[1]	Not Available	
	Inhalation (mouse) LC50: 326 mg/L/2hr <sup>[2]</sup>		
	Inhalation (mouse) LC50: 410000 ppm/2hr <sup>[1]</sup>		
	Inhalation (mouse) LC50: 500000 ppm/2hr <sup>[2]</sup>		
methane	Inhalation (rat) LC50: >800000 ppm15 min <sup>[1]</sup>		
	Inhalation (rat) LC50: 1354.944 mg/L15 min <sup>[1]</sup>		
	Inhalation (rat) LC50: 1355 mg/l15 min <sup>[1]</sup>		
	Inhalation (rat) LC50: 1442.738 mg/L15 min <sup>[1]</sup>		
	Inhalation (rat) LC50: 1443 mg/l15 min <sup>[1]</sup>		
	Inhalation (rat) LC50: 570000 ppm15 min <sup>[1]</sup>		
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
ammonia	Inhalation (rat) LC50: 2000 ppm/4hr <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye (rabbit): 0.25 mg SEVERE  Eye (rabbit): 1 mg/30s SEVERE	
	Oral (rat) LD50: 350 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Eye (rabbit): 1 mg/30s SEVERE	
	TOXICITY	IRRITATION	
	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: >2000 mg/kg <sup>[1]</sup>	* [Grace]	
silica amorphous	Inhalation (rat) LC50: >0.139 mg/l/14hr *[2]	Eye (rabbit): non-irritating *	
	Oral (rat) LD50: 3160 mg/kg <sup>[2]</sup>	Skin (rabbit): non-irritating *	
Legend:	Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Acute toxicity 2.* Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS.		

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The material may produce severe skin irritation after prolonged or repeated exposure, and may produce a contact dermatitis (nonallergic). This form of dermatitis is often characterised by skin redness (erythema) thickening of the epidermis

Unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances

Histologically there may be intercellular oedema of the spongy layer (spongiosis) and intracellular oedema of the epidermis. Prolonged contact is unlikely, given the severity of response, but repeated exposures may produce severe ulceration.

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	Mouse cell tumorigen * Alfa Aesar MSDS			
AMMONIA	The material may produce severe irritation to the eye causing pronounced inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis.			
SILICA AMORPHOUS	Following absorption across the gut, SAS is e expected to be broken down (metabolised) in	SAS is excreted in the faece eliminated via urine without momentum mammals.  up 3: numans. ate or limited in animal testing amorphous silicas induced lu	s and there is little accumulation in the body. odification in animals and humans. SAS is not	
Asthma-like symptoms may continue for months or even years after exposure to the material ceases. This a non-allergenic condition known as reactive airways dysfunction syndrome (RADS) which can occur following high levels of highly irritating compound. Key criteria for the diagnosis of RADS include the absence of precedent respiratory disease, in a non-atopic individual, with abrupt onset of persistent asthma-like symptoms within hours of a documented exposure to the irritant. A reversible airflow pattern, on spirometry, with the presence to severe bronchial hyperreactivity on methacholine challenge testing and the lack of minimal lymphocytic without eosinophilia, have also been included in the criteria for diagnosis of RADS.				
METHANE & AMMONIA	No significant acute toxicological data identifi	ed in literature search.		
Acute Toxicity	✓	Carcinogenicity	0	
Skin Irritation/Corrosion	<b>~</b>	Reproductivity	0	
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation	<b>~</b>	STOT - Single Exposure	0	
Respiratory or Skin sensitisation	0	STOT - Repeated Exposure	0	

**Legend: X** − Data available but does not fill the criteria for classification

✓ – Data required to make classification available

○ – Data Not Available to make classification

# **SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# **Toxicity**

Ingredient	Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
hexamethyldisilazane	LC50	96	Fish	0.083mg/L	2
hexamethyldisilazane	EC50	48	Crustacea	80mg/L	2
hexamethyldisilazane	EC50	96	Algae or other aquatic plants	<1.000mg/L	3
hexamethyldisilazane	EC50	72	Algae or other aquatic plants	19mg/L	2
hexamethyldisilazane	NOEC	1752	Fish	0.014mg/L	2
methane	LC50	96	Fish	24.11mg/L	2
methane	EC50	96	Algae or other aquatic plants	7.71mg/L	2
methane	EC50	96	Algae or other aquatic plants	8.57mg/L	2
ammonia	LC50	96	Fish	15mg/L	4
ammonia	NOEC	72	Fish	3.5mg/L	4
silica amorphous	LC50	96	Fish	120.743mg/L	3
silica amorphous	EC50	48	Crustacea	>1000mg/L	2
silica amorphous	EC50	72	Algae or other aquatic plants	440mg/L	1
silica amorphous	EC50	384	Crustacea	28.000mg/L	3
silica amorphous	NOEC	72	Algae or other aquatic plants	60mg/L	1
Legend:	3. EPIWIN Suite	V3.12 - Aquatic Toxicity Data	ope ECHA Registered Substances - E a (Estimated) 4. US EPA, Ecotox data pan) - Bioconcentration Data 7. METI	base - Aquatic Toxicity	Data 5. ECET

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In air ammonia is persistent whilst, in water, it biodegrades rapidly to nitrate, producing a high oxygen demand. Ammonia is strongly adsorbed to soil. Ammonia is non-persistent in water (half-life 2 days) and is moderately toxic to fish under normal temperature and pH conditions. Ammonia is harmful to aquatic life at low concentrations but does not concentrate in the food chain.

#### DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways.

|Fish LC50 (96 h): Brachydanio rerio 88 mg/l|Daphnia EC50 (48 h): 80 mg/l|Algae EC50 (72 h): Scenedesmus subspicatus 19 mg/l

## Persistence and degradability

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air
hexamethyldisilazane	HIGH	HIGH
ammonia	LOW	LOW
silica amorphous	LOW	LOW

## **Bioaccumulative potential**

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation
hexamethyldisilazane	LOW (LogKOW = 2.6174)
methane	LOW (LogKOW = 1.09)
ammonia	LOW (LogKOW = 0.229)
silica amorphous	LOW (LogKOW = 0.5294)

#### Mobility in soil

Ingredient	Mobility
hexamethyldisilazane	LOW (KOC = 393.3)
ammonia	LOW (KOC = 14.3)
silica amorphous	LOW (KOC = 23.74)

# **SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### Waste treatment methods

Product / Packaging

disposal

- ► Containers may still present a chemical hazard/ danger when empty.
- ► Return to supplier for reuse/ recycling if possible.

#### Otherwise:

- If container can not be cleaned sufficiently well to ensure that residuals do not remain or if the container cannot be used to store the same product, then puncture containers, to prevent re-use, and bury at an authorised landfill.
- ▶ Where possible retain label warnings and SDS and observe all notices pertaining to the product.

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- ▶ Reduction
- ► Reuse
- ► Recycling
- ► Disposal (if all else fails)

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use.

- ▶ DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning or process equipment to enter drains.
- ▶ It may be necessary to collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.
- ▶ In all cases disposal to sewer may be subject to local laws and regulations and these should be considered first.
- Where in doubt contact the responsible authority.
- ► Recycle wherever possible.
- Consult manufacturer for recycling options or consult local or regional waste management authority for disposal if no suitable treatment or disposal facility can be identified.
- Treat and neutralise at an approved treatment plant. Treatment should involve: Neutralisation with suitable dilute acid followed by: burial in a land-fill specifically licenced to accept chemical and / or pharmaceutical wastes or Incineration in a licenced apparatus
- ▶ Decontaminate empty containers.

## **SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# Labels Required

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# Land transport (DOT)

UN number	3286
UN proper shipping name	Flammable liquid, toxic, corrosive, n.o.s. (contains hexamethyldisilazane)
Transport hazard class(es)	Class 3 Subrisk 6.1, 8
Packing group	Ш
Environmental hazard	Not Applicable
Special precautions for user	Hazard Label 3, 6.1, 8  Special provisions IB2, T11, TP2, TP13, TP27

# Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR)

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UN number	3286			
UN proper shipping name	Flammable liquid, toxic, corrosive, n.o.s. * (contains hexamethyldisilazane)			
Transport hazard class(es)	ICAO/IATA Class ICAO / IATA Subrisk ERG Code	3 6.1, 8 3CP		
Packing group	II			
Environmental hazard	Not Applicable			
	Special provisions		Not Applicable	
	Cargo Only Packing Instructions		363	
Special precautions for user	Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack		5 L	
	Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions		352	
	Passenger and Cargo Maximum Qty / Pack		1 L	
	Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions		Y340	
	Passenger and Cargo Limited Maximum Qty / Pack		0.5 L	

# Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee)

UN number	3286
UN proper shipping name	FLAMMABLE LIQUID, TOXIC, CORROSIVE, N.O.S. (contains hexamethyldisilazane)
Transport hazard class(es)	IMDG Class 3 IMDG Subrisk 6.1, 8
Packing group	II
Environmental hazard	Not Applicable
Special precautions for user	EMS Number F-E, S-C Special provisions 274 Limited Quantities 1 L

# Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC code

Not Applicable

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

#### HEXAMETHYLDISILAZANE(999-97-3) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations - Prohibited List Passenger and Cargo Aircraft

US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) - Chemical Substance Inventory

#### METHANE(74-82-8) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations - Prohibited List Passenger and Cargo Aircraft

- US California Permissible Exposure Limits for Chemical Contaminants
- US Oregon Permissible Exposure Limits (Z-1)
- US Washington Permissible exposure limits of air contaminants

#### US ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)

US Spacecraft Maximum Allowable Concentrations (SMACs) for Airborne Contaminants

US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) - Chemical Substance Inventory

## AMMONIA(1336-21-6) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

- US Alaska Limits for Air Contaminants
- US California OEHHA/ARB Acute Reference Exposure Levels and Target Organs (RELs)
- US California OEHHA/ARB Chronic Reference Exposure Levels and Target Organs (CRELs)
- US California Permissible Exposure Limits for Chemical Contaminants
- US Hawaii Air Contaminant Limits
- US Idaho Limits for Air Contaminants
- US Michigan Exposure Limits for Air Contaminants
- US Minnesota Permissible Exposure Limits (PELs)
- US Oregon Permissible Exposure Limits (Z-1)
- US Tennessee Occupational Exposure Limits Limits For Air Contaminants
- US Vermont Permissible Exposure Limits Table Z-1-A Final Rule Limits for Air Contaminants
- US Vermont Permissible Exposure Limits Table Z-1-A Transitional Limits for Air Contaminants

- US Washington Permissible exposure limits of air contaminants
- US Washington Toxic air pollutants and their ASIL, SQER and de minimis emission values
- US Wyoming Toxic and Hazardous Substances Table Z1 Limits for Air Contaminants
- US ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
- US ATSDR Minimal Risk Levels for Hazardous Substances (MRLs)
- US EPCRA Section 313 Chemical List
- US NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits (RELs)
- US OSHA Permissible Exposure Levels (PELs) Table Z1
- US SARA Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances
- US Spacecraft Maximum Allowable Concentrations (SMACs) for Airborne Contaminants
- US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Chemical Substance Inventory

US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) - Chemical Substance Inventory

# SILICA AMORPHOUS(7631-86-9) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

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International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) - Agents Classified by the IARC Monographs	US - Vermont Permissible Exposure Limits Table Z-1-A Final Rule Limits for Air Contaminants
US - Alaska Limits for Air Contaminants	US - Vermont Permissible Exposure Limits Table Z-1-A Transitional Limits
US - California Permissible Exposure Limits for Chemical Contaminants	for Air Contaminants
US - Hawaii Air Contaminant Limits	US - Washington Permissible exposure limits of air contaminants
US - Idaho - Limits for Air Contaminants	US - Washington Toxic air pollutants and their ASIL, SQER and de minimis
US - Idaho - Toxic and Hazardous Substances - Mineral Dust	emission values
US - Michigan Exposure Limits for Air Contaminants	US - Wyoming Toxic and Hazardous Substances Table Z1 Limits for Air
US - Minnesota Permissible Exposure Limits (PELs)	Contaminants
US - Oregon Permissible Exposure Limits (Z-1)	US - Wyoming Toxic and Hazardous Substances Table Z-3 Mineral Dusts
US - Oregon Permissible Exposure Limits (Z-3)	US NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits (RELs)
US - Tennessee Occupational Exposure Limits - Limits For Air	US OSHA Permissible Exposure Levels (PELs) - Table Z1
Contaminants	US OSHA Permissible Exposure Levels (PELs) - Table Z3

# **Federal Regulations**

## Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

#### SECTION 311/312 HAZARD CATEGORIES

Immediate (acute) health hazard	Yes
Delayed (chronic) health hazard	No
Fire hazard	Yes
Pressure hazard No	
Reactivity hazard	No

# US. EPA CERCLA HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES AND REPORTABLE QUANTITIES (40 CFR 302.4)

Name	Reportable Quantity in Pounds (lb)	Reportable Quantity in kg
Ammonium hydroxide	1000	454
Ammonia	100	45.4

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## **State Regulations**

#### **US. CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65**

None Reported

National Inventory	Status
Australia - AICS	Y
Canada - DSL	Y
Canada - NDSL	N (ammonia; hexamethyldisilazane; methane)
China - IECSC	Υ
Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP	Y
Japan - ENCS	Y
Korea - KECI	Y
New Zealand - NZIoC	Y
Philippines - PICCS	Υ
USA - TSCA	Υ
Legend:	Y = All ingredients are on the inventory N = Not determined or one or more ingredients are not on the inventory and are not exempt from listing(see specific ingredients in brackets)

#### **SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION**

#### Other information

# Ingredients with multiple cas numbers

Name	CAS No
ammonia	1336-21-6, 14798-03-9
silica amorphous	7631-86-9, 112945-52-5, 67762-90-7, 68611-44-9, 68909-20-6, 112926-00-8, 61790-53-2, 60676-86-0, 91053-39-3, 69012-64-2, 844491-94-7

Classification of the preparation and its individual components has drawn on official and authoritative sources as well as independent review by the Chemwatch Classification committee using available literature references.

A list of reference resources used to assist the committee may be found at:

www.chemwatch.net

The SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.

# **Definitions and abbreviations**

PC-TWA: Permissible Concentration-Time Weighted Average PC-STEL: Permissible Concentration-Short Term Exposure Limit

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit。

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations

OSF: Odour Safety Factor

NOAEL :No Observed Adverse Effect Level LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level

TLV: Threshold Limit Value LOD: Limit Of Detection OTV: Odour Threshold Value BCF: BioConcentration Factors BEI: Biological Exposure Index

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