

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product name : Ambicat LE4476

Manufacturer or supplier's details

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Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : raw material for plastics industry

Restrictions on use : Use only according to our recommendations.

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS Classification

Reproductive toxicity : Category 2

GHS-Labeling

Hazard pictograms :



Signal word : Warning

Hazard statements : H361d Suspected of damaging the unborn child.

Precautionary statements : **Prevention:**
P201 Obtain special instructions before use.
P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
Response:
P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/

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attention.

Storage:

P405 Store locked up.

Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Other hazards which do not result in classification

During crosslinking reaction in combination with base resin: methanol (Flam. Liq. 2; H225, Acute Tox. 3; H301, Acute Tox. 3; H311, Acute Tox. 3; H331, STOT SE 1; H370) is released. In contact with water or moisture methanol will be released. The product burns, but is not classified as flammable. Dust from the product gives a potential risk for dust explosion.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Pure substance/mixture : Mixture

Chemical nature : The product is a silane crosslinkable polyethylene copolymer.

Hazardous components

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Classification	MAC value mg/m ³ / TSEL value	Concentration (% w/w)
Phenol, 4-methyl-, reaction products with dicyclopentadiene and isobutylene	68610-51-5	Repr. 2; H361 Aquatic Chronic 4; H413		>= 2,5 - < 10
Benzenesulfonic acid, 4-C10-13-sec-alkyl derivs.	85536-14-7	Acute Tox. 4; H302 Skin Corr. 1C; H314 Eye Dam. 1; H318 Aquatic Chronic 3; H412		>= 1 - < 2,5

For explanation of abbreviations see section 16.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

If inhaled : Move to fresh air in case of accidental inhalation of vapours.
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- In case of skin contact : Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

If molten material comes in contact with the skin, cool with plenty of water. DO NOT remove solidified product, as removal could result in severe tissue damage. Obtain medical attention.
- In case of eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.
- If swallowed : If swallowed, rinse mouth with water (only if the person is conscious).
Seek medical advice immediately.
- Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed : Inhalation of dust may irritate the respiratory tract. Prolonged inhalation of high doses of decomposition products may give headache or irritation of the respiratory tract.

Symptoms of poisoning (methanol):
Daze
Dizziness
Nausea
Abdominal pain
Respiratory disorders

Symptoms of poisoning, prolonged exposure (methanol):
Blindness

Suspected of damaging the unborn child.
- Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically.
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5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable properties

- Flash point : Not applicable (solid)
- Ignition temperature : > 320 °C
- Upper explosion limit : Not applicable
- Lower explosion limit : Not applicable
- Flammability (solid, gas) : The product is not flammable.
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- Suitable extinguishing media : Water in spread jet, dry chemicals, foam or carbon dioxide.
- Specific hazards during firefighting : Principal toxicant in the smoke is carbon monoxide.
- Special protective equipment for firefighters : Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.
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6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Ensure adequate ventilation.
Use personal protective equipment.
- Environmental precautions : Prevent product from entering environment and drains.
- Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : Vacuum or sweep up spill.
All spill of material must be removed immediately to prevent slipping accidents.
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7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

- Advice on protection against fire and explosion : Dust from the product represents a risk for dust explosions when dispersed with air in a sufficient concentration and with the presence of an ignition source. Routine housekeeping should be instituted to ensure that dusts do not accumulate on surfaces. All equipment shall be grounded.
- Advice on safe handling : Do not breathe vapours/dust.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary.
Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
Minimize dust generation and accumulation.
- Conditions for safe storage : Store in a place accessible by authorized persons only.
- Further information on storage stability : Keep in a dry place.
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8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

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Occupational exposure limits of decomposition products

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Data Source
methanol	67-56-1	TWA	200 ppm 260 mg/m ³	2006/15/EC
	Further information: Indicative, Identifies the possibility of significant uptake through the skin			
		MPC-TWA (vapour and/or gas)	5 mg/m ³	RU OEL
	Further information: Class 3 - Moderately dangerous, Substances which require special skin and eye protection			
		MPC-STEL (vapour and/or gas)	15 mg/m ³	RU OEL
	Further information: Class 3 - Moderately dangerous, Substances which require special skin and eye protection			

Engineering measures : Provide adequate ventilation.
Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : In case of dust development use dust mask.
In the case of vapour formation use a respirator with an approved filter.

When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators. The filter class for the respirator must be suitable for the maximum expected contaminant concentration (gas/vapour/aerosol/particulates) that may arise when handling the product. If this concentration is exceeded, self-contained breathing apparatus must be used.

Hand protection
Material : Nitrile rubber

Remarks : Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. Also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion, and the contact time.

Eye protection : Safety glasses

Skin and body protection : Protective clothing

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Protective measures : Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : pellets

Colour : beige

Odour : acrylic-like

Odour Threshold : Methanol: Do NOT rely on the odour: olfactory level is above the exposure limit.

pH : No data available

Melting range : 100 - 140 °C

Boiling range : Decomposes on heating.

Flash point : Not applicable (solid)

Evaporation rate : Not applicable (solid)

Flammability (solid, gas) : The product is not flammable.

Upper explosion limit : Not applicable

Lower explosion limit : Not applicable

Vapour pressure : Not applicable (solid)

Density : 0,9 - 1,0 g/cm³

Bulk density : 500 - 600 kg/m³Method: ASTM D 1895

Solubility(ies)
Water solubility : insoluble

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : Not applicable (solid)

Auto-ignition temperature : > 320 °C

Viscosity
Viscosity, kinematic : Not applicable

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Explosive properties : Not explosive
Oxidizing properties : The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity : Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Chemical stability : The product is a stable thermoplastic.
The intended crosslinking reaction occurs in combination with the base resin and moisture: at ambient conditions, in sauna or hot water bath.

Possibility of hazardous reactions : In contact with water or moisture methanol will be released.

Conditions to avoid : Exposure to moisture

Incompatible materials : None known.

Hazardous decomposition products : Under fire conditions:
Carbon monoxide

During processing and thermal treatment of the product, small amounts of volatile hydrocarbons may be released.

During crosslinking reaction in combination with base resin:
methanol

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

Components:

Benzenesulfonic acid, 4-C10-13-sec-alkyl derivs.:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): 1.470 mg/kg
Method: OECD Test Guideline 401

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 2.000 mg/kg
Method: OECD Test Guideline 402
Remarks: Read-across (Analogy)

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Skin corrosion/irritation

Not classified based on available information.

Product:

Species: reconstructed human epidermis (RhE)
Method: OECD Test Guideline 439
Result: No skin irritation

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Not classified based on available information.

Product:

Species: Bovine cornea
Result: No eye irritation
Method: OECD Test Guideline 437

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Skin sensitisation: Not classified based on available information.
Respiratory sensitisation: Not classified based on available information.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified based on available information.

Carcinogenicity

Not classified based on available information.

Reproductive toxicity

Suspected of damaging the unborn child.

Components:

Phenol, 4-methyl-, reaction products with dicyclopentadiene and isobutylene:

Effects on fertility : Test Type: Pre-/postnatal development
Species: Rabbit, female
Application Route: Oral
Dose: 50 mg/kg
Method: OECD Test Guideline 414
Result: Some evidence of adverse effects on development,
based on animal experiments.
GLP: yes

STOT - single exposure

Not classified based on available information.

STOT - repeated exposure

Not classified based on available information.

Aspiration toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

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Further information

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Methanol: Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.
Causes damage to organs.

Remarks: Inhalation of dust may irritate the respiratory tract.
Prolonged inhalation of high doses of decomposition products may give headache or irritation of the respiratory tract.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Components:

Phenol, 4-methyl-, reaction products with dicyclopentadiene and isobutylene:

Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout)): > 0,2 mg/l
Exposure time: 96 h
Method: OECD Test Guideline 203
Remarks: No effect up to the limit of solubility.

Toxicity to daphnia and other : EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): > 0,2 mg/l
aquatic invertebrates : Exposure time: 48 h
Method: OECD Test Guideline 202
Remarks: No effect up to the limit of solubility.

Toxicity to algae : EC50 (Selenastrum capricornutum (fresh water algae)): > 0,2 mg/l
Exposure time: 72 h
Method: OECD Test Guideline 201
Remarks: No effect up to the limit of solubility.

Persistence and degradability

Product:

Biodegradability : Remarks: Not readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential

Product:

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: Does not accumulate in organisms.

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Mobility in soil

Product:

Mobility : Remarks: The product is insoluble and floats on water.
Not expected to adsorb on soil.

Other adverse effects

Product:

Additional ecological information : The product is not classified as hazardous for the environment.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods

Waste from residues : Check with local regulations.
Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Contaminated packaging : Dispose of as unused product.
Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ADR

Not regulated as a dangerous good

UNRTDG

Not regulated as a dangerous good

IATA-DGR

Not regulated as a dangerous good

IMDG-Code

Not regulated as a dangerous good

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

No data available

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Full text of H-Statements

H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H361	Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.
H412	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
H413	May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life.

Full text of other abbreviations

Acute Tox.	: Acute toxicity
Aquatic Chronic	: Long-term (chronic) aquatic hazard
Eye Dam.	: Serious eye damage
Repr.	: Reproductive toxicity
Skin Corr.	: Skin corrosion

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; AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); 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 Harmonized 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 Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; 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 - Organization 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,

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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; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

Further information

Other information : SDS According to GOST 30333-2007

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Sources of key data used to compile the Safety Data Sheet : Information given is based on tests on the mixture itself., The classification information of components is based on raw material supplier data.

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