



# Cargille Refractive Index Liquid Series AA $n_D = 1.400$

## - 1.459

### Safety Data Sheet

According to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH) with its amendment 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  
**Product Name** : Cargille Refractive Index Liquid Series AA  $n_D = 1,400 - 1,459$   
**Product Code** : Cat No 18061, 18062, 18065, 1806X, 1806Y, 19061, 19062, 19063

### 1.2. Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance or Mixture and Uses Advised Against

#### 1.2.1. Relevant Identified Uses

**Use of the Substance/Mixture** : For professional and R&D use only. Conditions of Intended Use: (ABBR. C.I.U.) As an Optical Refractive Index Liquid at normal room pressure 101,32 kPa (760 mm Hg), temperature 18°C to 40°C in a non misted/non airborne state in a room having a normal air changes (2)/ HR., in a trained and supervised laboratory/ industrial setting using standard Good Laboratory/ Good Manufacturing procedures.  
Note: Product normally sold in 1/4 oz (7,4cc), 1 oz (30cc), 4 oz (120cc), and 16 oz (480cc) quantities. Used in single drop to a few cubic centimeters per application. See requisitioner for specific quantities involved.

#### 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** : VelocityEHS  
(800)255-3924 (North America)  
+1 (813)248-0585 (International)

## SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### 2.1. Classification of the Substance or Mixture

Classification According to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008

Asp. Tox. 1 H304

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

### 2.2. Label Elements

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

Hazard Pictograms (CLP)



GH508

Signal Word (CLP)

: Danger

Hazard Statements (CLP)

: H304 - May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

Precautionary Statements (CLP)

: P301+P310 - IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTRE or doctor.

P331 - Do NOT induce vomiting.

P405 - Store locked up.

P501 - Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulation.

EUH-statements

: EUH210 - Safety data sheet available on request.

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### 2.3. Other Hazards

**Other Hazards Not Contributing to the Classification** : Exposure may aggravate pre-existing eye, skin, or respiratory conditions.

This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

The substance/mixture does not contain substance(s) equal to or greater than 0,1% by weight that are present in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or 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

## 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
Poly(dimethylsiloxane)	(CAS-No.) 63148-62-9	30 – 60	Not classified.
White mineral oil, petroleum substance with national workplace exposure limit(s)	(CAS-No.) 8042-47-5 (EC-No.) 232-455-8;265-148-2	30 – 60	Asp. Tox. 1, H304

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** : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).
- First-Aid Measures After Inhalation** : When symptoms occur: go into open air and ventilate suspected area. Obtain medical attention if breathing difficulty persists.
- First-Aid Measures After Skin Contact** : Remove contaminated clothing. Drench affected area with water for at least 5 minutes. Obtain medical attention if irritation develops or persists.
- First-Aid Measures After Eye Contact** : Rinse cautiously with water for at least 5 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Obtain medical attention if irritation develops or persists.
- First-Aid Measures After Ingestion** : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Place affected person on their side. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. If vomiting occurs have person lean forward. If vomiting occurs, keep head below waistline.

### 4.2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects Both Acute and Delayed

- Symptoms/Effects** : May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.
- Symptoms/Effects After Inhalation** : Prolonged exposure may cause irritation.
- Symptoms/Effects After Skin Contact** : Prolonged exposure may cause skin irritation.
- Symptoms/Effects After Eye Contact** : May cause slight irritation to eyes.
- Symptoms/Effects After Ingestion** : Aspiration into the lungs can occur during ingestion or vomiting and may cause lung injury.
- Chronic Symptoms** : None known.

### 4.3. Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

If exposed or concerned, get medical advice and attention. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

## SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

### 5.1. Extinguishing Media

- Suitable Extinguishing Media** : Water spray, fog, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), alcohol-resistant foam, or dry chemical.
- Unsuitable Extinguishing Media** : Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

### 5.2. Special Hazards Arising From the Substance or Mixture

- Fire Hazard** : Not considered flammable but may burn at high temperatures.
- Explosion Hazard** : Product is not explosive.
- Reactivity** : Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.
- Hazardous Combustion Products** : Oxides of silicon and carbon.

### 5.3. Advice for Firefighters

- Precautionary Measures Fire** : Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.
- Firefighting Instructions** : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers.
- Protection During Firefighting** : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

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SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- 6.1. Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures**
- General Measures** : Spilled product presents a slipping hazard. Avoid prolonged contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing (vapour, mist, spray).
- 6.1.1. For Non-Emergency Personnel**
- Protective Equipment** : Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE).
- Emergency Procedures** : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.
- 6.1.2. For Emergency Responders**
- Protective Equipment** : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.
- Emergency Procedures** : Upon arrival at the scene, a first responder is expected to recognise the presence of dangerous goods, protect oneself and the public, secure the area, and call for the assistance of trained personnel as soon as conditions permit. Ventilate area.
- 6.2. Environmental Precautions**
- Prevent entry to sewers and public waters.
- 6.3. Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up**
- For Containment** : Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams.
- Methods for Cleaning Up** : Clean up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Absorb and/or contain spill with inert material. Transfer spilled material to a suitable container for disposal. Contact competent authorities after a spill.
- 6.4. Reference to Other Sections**
- See Section 8 for exposure controls and personal protection and Section 13 for disposal considerations.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

- 7.1. Precautions for Safe Handling**
- Additional Hazards When Processed** : Spilled material may present a slipping hazard.
- Precautions for Safe Handling** : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Avoid prolonged contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing (vapour, mist, spray).
- Hygiene Measures** : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures.
- 7.2. Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities**
- Technical Measures** : Comply with applicable regulations.
- Storage Conditions** : Store in accordance with applicable national storage class systems. Keep container closed when not in use. Store in a dry, cool place. Keep/Store away from direct sunlight, extremely high or low temperatures and incompatible materials. Store locked up/in a secure area.
- Incompatible Materials** : Strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidisers.
- 7.3. Specific End Use(s)**
- For professional and R&D use only. Conditions of Intended Use: (ABBR. C.I.U.) As an Optical Refractive Index Liquid at normal room pressure 101,32 kPa (760 mm Hg), temperature 18°C to 40°C in a non misted/non airborne state in a room having a normal air changes (2)/ HR., in a trained and supervised laboratory/ industrial setting using standard Good Laboratory/ Good Manufacturing procedures.
- Note: Product normally sold in 1/4 oz (7,4cc), 1 oz (30cc), 4 oz (120cc), and 16 oz (480cc) quantities. Used in single drop to a few cubic centimeters per application. See requisitioner for specific quantities involved.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

- 8.1. Control Parameters**
- Please see section 16 for the legal basis of limit value information in section 8.1, including the national legislation or provision which gives rise to a given limit.

Poly(dimethylsiloxane) (63148-62-9)		
Romania	OEL TWA (Legal Basis:Gov. Dec. No 1.218)	200 mg/m³ (oil)
Romania	OEL STEL (Legal Basis:Gov. Dec. No 1.218)	300 mg/m³ (oil)
Romania	OEL Chemical Category (Legal Basis:Gov. Dec. No 1.218)	Skin notation oil
White mineral oil, petroleum (8042-47-5)		
Germany	OEL TWA (Legal Basis:TRGS 900)	5 mg/m³ (the risk of damage to the embryo or fetus can be excluded when AGW and BGW values are observed-respirable fraction)
Hungary	OEL TWA (Legal Basis:Decree No. 05/2020)	5 mg/m³
USA ACGIH	OEL TWA (Legal Basis:IMDFN1)	5 mg/m³ (mist)

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Latvia	OEL TWA (Legal Basis:Reg. No. 325)	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Slovenia	OEL TWA (Legal Basis:No. 79/19)	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirable fraction)
Slovenia	OEL STEL (Legal Basis:No. 79/19)	20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirable fraction)
Switzerland	OEL TWA (Legal Basis:OLVSNAIF)	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (inhalable dust)

## 8.2. Exposure Controls

### Appropriate Engineering Controls

: Suitable eye/body wash equipment should be available in the vicinity of any potential exposure. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.

### Personal Protective Equipment

: Gloves. Protective clothing. Protective goggles. Insufficient ventilation: wear respiratory protection. Personal protective equipment should be chosen in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/425, CEN standards, and in discussion with the supplier of the protective equipment.



### Materials for Protective Clothing

: Chemically resistant materials and fabrics.

### Hand Protection

: Wear protective gloves.

### Eye Protection

: Chemical safety goggles. Safety glasses with side-shields.

### Skin and Body Protection

: Wear suitable protective clothing.

### Respiratory Protection

: If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, approved respiratory protection should be worn. In case of inadequate ventilation, oxygen deficient atmosphere, or where exposure levels are not known wear approved respiratory protection.

### Other Information

: When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1. Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State	: Liquid
Colour, Appearance	: Colourless
Odour	: Odourless
Odour Threshold	: No data available
pH	: No data available
Evaporation Rate	: ca 1 (Mineral oil=1)
Melting Point	: No data available
Freezing Point	: No data available
Boiling Point	: > 200 °C
Flash Point	: > 120 °C (Open Cup)
Auto-Ignition Temperature	: No data available
Decomposition Temperature	: No data available
Flammability	: Not applicable
Vapour Pressure	: < 6,67 hPa (< 5 mm Hg)
Relative Vapour Density At 20°C	: > 1 (air = 1)
Relative Density	: < 1 (water = 1)
Solubility	: Water: < 0,1%
Partition Coefficient n-Octanol/Water	: No data available
Viscosity	: 13 cSt @25 °C
Explosive Properties	: Product is not explosive.
Oxidising Properties	: No data available
Explosive Limits	: No data available
Particle Aspect Ratio	: Not applicable
Particle Aggregation State	: Not applicable
Particle Agglomeration State	: Not applicable
Particle Specific Surface Area	: Not applicable
Particle Dustiness	: Not applicable

### 9.2. Other Information

No additional information.

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SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

- 10.1. Reactivity**  
Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.
- 10.2. Chemical Stability**  
Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions (see section 7).
- 10.3. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**  
Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.
- 10.4. Conditions to Avoid**  
Direct sunlight, extremely high or low temperatures, and incompatible materials.
- 10.5. Incompatible Materials**  
Strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidisers.
- 10.6. Hazardous Decomposition Products**  
Thermal decomposition may produce: Carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>). Silicon oxides.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- 11.1. Information On Hazard Classes As Defined In Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
- Likely Routes of Exposure** : Dermal, Eye Contact, Inhalation, Oral
- Acute Toxicity (Oral)** : Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
- Acute Toxicity (Dermal)** : Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
- Acute Toxicity (Inhalation)** : Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
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|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| Poly(dimethylsiloxane) (63148-62-9) |           |
| LD50 Oral Rat                       | > 24 g/kg |
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|--|-------------------------------|
| White mineral oil, petroleum (8042-47-5) |                               |
| LD50 Oral Rat                            | > 5000 mg/kg (Source: IUCLID) |
- Skin Corrosion/Irritation** : Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
- Eye Damage/Irritation** : Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
- Respiratory or Skin Sensitisation** : Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
- Germ Cell Mutagenicity** : Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
- Carcinogenicity** : Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
- Reproductive Toxicity** : Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
- Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure)** : Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
- Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure)** : Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
- Aspiration Hazard** : May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.
- Symptoms/Injuries After Inhalation** : Prolonged exposure may cause irritation.
- Symptoms/Injuries After Skin Contact** : Prolonged exposure may cause skin irritation.
- Symptoms/Injuries After Eye Contact** : May cause slight irritation to eyes.
- Symptoms/Injuries After Ingestion** : Aspiration into the lungs can occur during ingestion or vomiting and may cause lung injury.
- Chronic Symptoms** : None known.

- 11.2. Information On Other Hazards**  
Based on available data this substance/the substances in this mixture not listed below do(es) not have endocrine disrupting properties with respect to humans as it does not meet the criteria set out in section A of Regulation (EU) No 2017/2100 and/or the criteria set out in Regulation (EU) 2018/605, or the substance(s) are not required to be disclosed.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- 12.1. Toxicity**
- Hazardous To The Aquatic Environment, Short-Term (Acute)** : Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
- Hazardous To The Aquatic Environment, Long-Term (Chronic)** : Not classified. (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
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|--|---|
| White mineral oil, petroleum (8042-47-5) |   |
| LC50 - Fish [1]                          | > 10000 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Lepomis macrochirus) |

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### 12.2. Persistence and Degradability

Cargille Refractive Index Liquid Series AA n <sub>D</sub> = 1,400 - 1,459	
Persistence and Degradability	Not established.

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative Potential

Cargille Refractive Index Liquid Series AA n <sub>D</sub> = 1,400 - 1,459	
Bioaccumulative Potential	Not established.
White mineral oil, petroleum (8042-47-5)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	> 6

### 12.4. Mobility in Soil

No additional information available

### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB Assessment

Does not contain any PBT/vPvB substances >= 0,1% assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII

### 12.6. Endocrine Disrupting Properties

Based on available data this substance/the substances in this mixture not listed below do(es) not have endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms as it does not meet the criteria set out in section B of Regulation (EU) No 2017/2100 and/or the criteria set out in Regulation (EU) 2018/605, or the substance(s) are not required to be disclosed.

### 12.7. Other Adverse Effects

Other Information : Avoid release to the environment.

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1. Waste Treatment Methods

Product/Packaging Disposal	: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, territorial, provincial, and international regulations.
Recommendations	
Additional Information	: Container may remain hazardous when empty. Continue to observe all precautions.
Ecology - Waste Materials	: Avoid release to the environment.

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The shipping description(s) stated herein were prepared in accordance with certain assumptions at the time the SDS was authored, and can vary based on a number of variables that may or may not have been known at the time the SDS was issued.

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

<b>14.1. UN Number or ID Number</b>
Not regulated for transport
<b>14.2. UN Proper Shipping Name</b>
Not regulated for transport
<b>14.3. Transport Hazard Class(es)</b>
Not regulated for transport
<b>14.4. Packing Group</b>
Not regulated for transport
<b>14.5. Environmental Hazards</b>
Not regulated for transport

### 14.6. Special Precautions For User

No additional information available

### 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

##### 15.1.1.1. REACH Annex XVII Information

Listed on REACH Annex XVII (Restriction Conditions). The following restrictions are applicable:

3(b) 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	Cargille Refractive Index Liquid Series AA n <sub>D</sub> = 1,400 - 1,459 ; White mineral oil, petroleum
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##### 15.1.1.2. REACH Candidate List Information

Contains no substance(s) listed on the REACH Candidate List

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### 15.1.1.3. POP (2019/1021) - Persistent Organic Pollutants Information

Contains no substance(s) listed on the POP list (Regulation EU 2019/1021 on persistent organic pollutants)

### 15.1.1.4. PIC Regulation EU (649/2012) - Export and Import of Hazardous Chemicals Information

Contains no substance(s) listed on the PIC list (Regulation EU 649/2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals)

### 15.1.1.5. REACH Annex XIV Information

Contains no substance(s) listed on REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

### 15.1.1.6. Substances Depleting the Ozone layer (1005/2009) Information

No additional information available

### 15.1.1.7. EC Inventory Information

**White mineral oil, petroleum (8042-47-5)**

Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)

### 15.1.1.8. Other Information

No additional information available

### 15.1.2. National Regulations

No additional information available

### 15.1.3. International Inventory Lists

**Poly(dimethylsiloxane) (63148-62-9)**

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory - Status: Active  
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)  
Listed introduction on Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS Inventory)  
Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory  
Listed on KECL/KECI (Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory)  
Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on the TCSI (Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory)  
Listed on the NCI (Vietnam - National Chemical Inventory)  
Listed on Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory (DIW)

**White mineral oil, petroleum (8042-47-5)**

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory - Status: Active  
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)  
Listed introduction on Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS Inventory)  
Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory  
Listed on KECL/KECI (Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory)  
Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
Listed on the Japanese ISHL (Industrial Safety and Health Law)  
Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on the TCSI (Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory)  
Listed on the NCI (Vietnam - National Chemical Inventory)  
Listed on Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory (DIW)

### 15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

**Date of Preparation or Latest Revision** : 15/05/2024

**Data Sources** : Information and data obtained and used in the authoring of this safety data sheet could come from database subscriptions, official government regulatory body websites, product/ingredient manufacturer or supplier specific information, and/or resources that include substance specific data and classifications according to GHS or their subsequent adoption of GHS.

**Other Information** : According to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH) with its amendment Regulation (EU) 2020/878

**Full Text of H- and EUH-statements:**

Asp. Tox. 1	Aspiration hazard, Category 1
EUH210	Safety data sheet available on request.
H304	May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

**Classification and Procedure Used to Derive the Classification for Mixtures According to Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 [CLP]:**

Asp. Tox. 1	Expert judgement
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Indication of Changes

Section	Change	Date Changed	Version
4,5,6,7	Language modified	15/05/2024	2.0
9	Review of data	15/05/2024	2.0

Abbreviations and Acronyms

ACGIH – American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists	NDS - Najwyższe Dopuszczalne Stezenie
ADN – European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways	NDSch - Najwyższe Dopuszczalne Stezenie Chwilowe
ADR - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road	NDSP - Najwyższe Dopuszczalne Stezenie Pulapowe
ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate	NOAEL - No-Observed Adverse Effect Level
BCF - Bioconcentration Factor	NOEC - No-Observed Effect Concentration
BEI - Biological Exposure Indices (BEI)	NRD - Nevirsytinas Ribinis Dydis
BOD – Biochemical Oxygen Demand	NTP – National Toxicology Program
CAS No. - Chemical Abstracts Service Number	OEL - Occupational Exposure Limits
CLP – Classification, Labeling and Packaging Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008	PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
COD – Chemical Oxygen Demand	PEL - Permissible Exposure Limit
EC – European Community	pH – Potential Hydrogen
EC50 - Median Effective Concentration	REACH – Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation, and Restriction of Chemicals
EEC – European Economic Community	RID – Regulations Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
EINECS – European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances	SADT - Self Accelerating Decomposition Temperature
EmS-No. (Fire) - IMDG Emergency Schedule Fire	SDS - Safety Data Sheet
EmS-No. (Spillage) - IMDG Emergency Schedule Spillage	STEL - Short Term Exposure Limit
EU – European Union	STOT - Specific Target Organ Toxicity
ErC50 - EC50 in Terms of Reduction Growth Rate	TA-Luft - Technische Anleitung zur Reinhaltung der Luft
GHS – Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals	TEL TRK – Technical Guidance Concentrations
IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer	ThOD – Theoretical Oxygen Demand
IATA - International Air Transport Association	TLM - Median Tolerance Limit
IBC Code - International Bulk Chemical Code	TLV - Threshold Limit Value
IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods	TPRD - Trumpalaikio Poveikio Ribinis Dydis
IPRV - Ilgalaikio Poveikio Ribinis Dydis	TRGS 510 - Technische Regel für Gefahrstoffe 510 - Lagerung von Gefahrstoffen in ortsbeweglichen Behältern
IOELV – Indicative Occupational Exposure Limit Value	TRGS 552 – Technische Regeln für Gefahrstoffe - N-Nitrosamine
LC50 - Median Lethal Concentration	TRGS 900 - Technische Regel für Gefahrstoffe 900 – Arbeitsplatzgrenzwerte
LD50 - Median Lethal Dose	TRGS 903 - Technische Regel für Gefahrstoffe 903 - Biologische Grenzwerte
LOAEL - Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level	TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act
LOEC - Lowest-Observed-Effect Concentration	TWA - Time Weighted Average
Log Koc - Soil Organic Carbon-water Partitioning Coefficient	VOC – Volatile Organic Compounds
Log Kow - Octanol/water Partition Coefficient	VLA-EC - Valor Límite Ambiental Exposición de Corta Duración
Log Pow - Ratio of the equilibrium concentration (C) of a dissolved substance in a two-phase system consisting of two largely immiscible solvents, in this case octanol and water	VLA-ED - Valor Límite Ambiental Exposición Diaria
MAK – Maximum Workplace Concentration/Maximum Permissible Concentration	VLE – Valeur Limite D’exposition
MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution	VME – Valeur Limite De Moyenne Exposition
	vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative
	WEL – Workplace Exposure Limit
	WGK - Wassergefährdungsklasse

Glossary of Data Source Abbreviations

ATSDR: Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (U.S. Department of Health and Human Services)	FOOD_JOURN: Food Research Journal (1956)
AU_WES: Australia WES	IARC: The International Agency for Research on Cancer
CHEMVIEW: ChemView (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency)	IDLH: National Institute for Occupational Health and Safety Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Value Profiles
EC_RAR: European Commission Renewal Assessment Report	IUCLID: International Uniform Chemical Information Database
EC_SCOEL: European Commission Scientific Committee on Occupational Exposure Limits	JAPAN_GHS: Japan GHS Basis for Classification Data
ECETOC: European Centre for Ecotoxicology and Toxicology of Chemicals Reports	JP_J-CHECK: Japan J-Check
ECHA_API: European Chemicals Agency API	KR_NIER: South Korea National Institute of Environmental Research Evaluations
ECHA_RAC: ECHA Committee for Risk Assessment	NICNAS: Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme
EFSA: European Food Safety Authority	NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Health and Safety (U.S. Department of Health and Human Services)
EPA: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	NLM_CIP: National Library of Medicine ChemID plus database
EPA_AEGL: Acute Exposure Guideline Levels (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency)	NLM_HSDB: National Library of Medicine Hazardous Substance Data Bank
EPA_FIFRA: Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act Reregistration Eligibility Decision (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency)	NLM_PUBMED: National Library of Medicine PubMed database
EPA_HPVC: High Production Volume Chemicals (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency)	NTP: National Toxicology Program
EPA_TRED: Risk Assessment for Tolerance Reassessment Eligibility Decision (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency)	NZ_CCID: New Zealand Chemical Classification and Information Database
EU_CLH: European Union Harmonised Classification and Labelling Proposal	OECD_EHSP: Environment, Health, and Safety Publication (Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development)
EU_RAR: European Union Risk Assessment Report	OECD_SIDS: Screening Information Data Sets (Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development)
	WHO: World Health Organization



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### Limit Value Legal Basis\*

\*Includes the below and any related regulations/provisions, and subsequent amendments

**EU - 2019/1831 EU in accor. with 98/24/EC** - Directive 2019/1831/EU of October 24, 2019 establishing a fifth list of indicative occupational exposure limit values pursuant to Council Directive 98/24/EC, and amending Commission Directives 2000/39/EC.

**EU - 2019/1243/EU, and 98/24/EC** - Council Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work and amendment Regulation (EU) 2019/1243.

**Austria - BGBl. II Nr. 254/2018** - Ordinance on Limit Values for Workplace Substances and on Carcinogens from the Federal Ministry of Economics and Labour, Published in 2003, Appendix 1: Substance List, Published through: Ministry of Economics and Labour of the Republic of Austria amended through the Government Gazette II (BGBl. II) No 119/2004) & BGBl. II No. 242/2006, BGBl. II No. 243/2007, lastly changed through BGBl. I Nr. 51/2011), BGBl. II Nr. 186/2015, BGBl. II Nr. 288/2017 amended by BGBl. II Nr. 254/2018.

**Austria - BLV BGBl. II Nr. 254/2018** - Ordinance on health monitoring at the workplace 2008, published through BGBl. II Nr. 224/2007 by Austria Minister for Labor and Social Affairs, Lastly changed through BGBl. II Nr. 254/2018

**Belgium - Royal Decree 21/01/2020** - Royal decree amending title 1 relating to chemical agents in Book VI of the code of well-being at work, with regard to the list of limit values of exposure to chemical agents and title 2 relating to carcinogens, mutagens and reprotoxics of Book VI of the code of well-being at work (1)

**Bulgaria - Reg. No. 13/10** - Regulation No. 13 of December 30, 2003 on the Protection of Workers from Hazards Related to Exposure to Chemical Agents at Work Labor Code, Annex No.1 Limit values of chemical agents in the air of the working environment, and Annex No 2 Biological limit values of chemical agents and their metabolites (bio markers of exposure) or bio markers of effect Amended by: 71/2006, 67/2007, 2/2012, 46/2015, 73/2018, 5/2020), and Regulation No.10 of September 26, 2003 on the Protection of Workers from the Risks Associated with Exposure to Carcinogens and Mutagens at Work Annex No.1 Occupational Exposure Limits, Amended by: 8/2004, 46/2015, 5/2020

**Croatia - OG No. 91/2018** - Regulation on the Protection of Workers from Exposure to Hazardous Chemicals at Work, the Limit Values of Exposure and the Biological Limit Values. Official Gazette No. 91 of October 12, 2018

**Cyprus - KDP 16/2019** - Government of Cyprus Cabinet of Ministers Regulation 268/2001 - Safety and Health in the Working Environment (Chemical Substances) Article 38, As amended by Regulation 16/2019 and Cabinet of Ministers Regulation 153/2001 - Safety and Health in the Working Environment (Chemical Substances-Carcinogens), as amended by Regulation 493/2004 - Safety and Health in the Working Environment (Chemical Substances - Carcinogens) AND Law 47(I) 2000 - Occupational Health and Safety (Asbestos), as amended by Decree 316/2006.

**Czech Republic - Reg. 41/2020** - Regulation 41/2020 amending Regulation 361/2007 of Coll. establishing Occupation Exposure Limits as amended

**Czech Republic - Decree No. 107/2013** - Decree No. 107/2013 Coll., amending Decree No. 432/2003 Coll., laying down the conditions for the application of the work into categories, limit values for the parameters of biological exposure tests, collection of biological material conditions for the implementation of biological exposure tests and requirements for reporting work with asbestos and biological agents

**Denmark - BEK No. 698 of 28/05/2020** - Order on Limit Values for Substances and Materials, The Statutory Order No. 507 of May 17, 2011, Appendix 1 - Limits for air pollution, etc. and Appendix 3 - Biological Exposure Values, Amended by: No. 986 of October 11, 2012, No. 655 of May 31, 2018, No. 1458 December 13, 2019, No. 698 of May 28, 2020

**Estonia - Regulation No. 105** - Health and Safety Requirements for the Use of Dangerous Chemicals and Materials Containing Them and Occupational Exposure Limits to Chemical Agents Government of the Republic, Regulation No. 105 of 20 March 2001, Amended 17 October 2019, and 17 January, 2020.

**Finland - HTP-ARVOT 2020** - Concentrations Known to be Hazardous, 654/2020 OEL values 2020 Publications of Ministry of Social Affairs and Health 2020:24 Annexes1, 2 and 3.

**France - INRS ED 984** - Occupational Exposure Limit Values to Chemical Agents in France Published 2016 by the INRS National Institute of Research and Safety Health and safety of work, revised, updated by: Decree 2016-344, JORF No 0119, and Decree 2019-1487.

**France - Decree 2009-1570** - Decree 2009-1570 of December 15, 2009,

**Greece - PWHSE** - Occupational Exposure Limits - Protection of workers' health and safety from exposure to certain chemical substances during the workday, (latest amendment 82/2018) and Occupation Exposure Limits - Protection of workers' health and safety from exposure to certain carcinogenic and mutagenic chemical substances (latest amendment 26/2020), and Presidential Decree 212/2006 - Protection of workers that are exposed to asbestos.

**Hungary - Decree 05/2020** - 5/2020. (II. 6.) ITM decree on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents

**Ireland - 2020 COP** - 2020 Code of Practice for the Chemical Agents Regulations, Schedule 1

**Italy - Decree 81** - Title IX, Annex XLIII and XXXVIII, Professional Exposure Limits and Annex XXXIX Mandatory Biological Limit Values and Health Monitoring, Article 1, Law 123 of August 3, 2007, Legislative Decree 81 of April 9, 2008, Last amended: January 2020

**Italy - IMDFN1** - Ministerial Decree of August 20, 1999 Final Note (1)

**Latvia - Reg. No. 325** - Cabinet of Ministers Regulation No. 325 - Labour Protection Requirements when Coming in Contact with Chemical Substances at Workplaces, Amended by Cabinet of Ministers Regulation No. 92, 163, 407 and No. 11.

**Lithuania - HN 23:2011** - Lithuanian Hygiene Standard HN 23:2011 Occupational Exposure Limit Values, Amended by Order V-695/A1-272.

**Luxembourg - A-N 684** - Grand-Ducal Regulation of 20 July 2018 amending the Grand-Ducal Regulation of 14 November 2016 concerning the protection of the safety and health of employees against the risks associated with chemical agents in the workplace. Official journal of the Grand-Duke of Luxembourg, A-N°684 of 2018

**Malta - MOSHAA Ch. 424** - Malta Occupational Health and Safety Authority Act: Chapter 424 as amended by: Legal Notice 353, 53, 198, and 57.

**Netherlands- OWCRLV** - Occupational Working Conditions Regulation, Limit Values for substances harmful to health, Annex XVIII, Updated from August 1, 2020.

**Norway - FOR-2020-04-060695** - Regulations concerning action and limit values for physical and chemical agents in the working environment and classified biological agents, FOR-2011-12-06-1358, Updated by: FOR-2020-04-06-695, FOR-2020-03-23-402, FOR-2018-12-20-2186, FOR-2018-08-21-1255, FOR-2017-12-20-2353.

**Poland - Dz. U. 2020 Nr. 61** - Regulation of the Minister of Family, Labor and Social Policy of June 12, 2018 on the Highest Allowable Concentrations and Intensities of Factors Harmful to Health in the Work Environment Dz.U. 2018 Nr. 1286 of June 12, 2018, Annex 1 - List of values of the highest permissible chemical concentrations and dust factors harmful to health in the work environment, amended by: Dz. U. 2020 Nr. 61.

**Portugal - Portuguese Norm NP 1796:2014** - Occupational exposure limits and biological exposure indices to chemical agents. Table 1 - Occupational exposure limits and biological exposure indices to chemical agents (OELs), Law Decree 35/2020.

**Romania - Gov. Dec. No 1.218** - Governmental Decision No. 1.218 from 06/09/2006 on the minimum health and safety requirements for protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to chemical agents, Annex No. 1 Mandatory National Occupational Exposure Limit Values for Chemical Agents. Amended by Decision no. 157, 584, 359, and 1.

**Slovakia - Gov. Decree 33/2018** - Government Decree of Slovak Republic 33/2018 on January 17, 2018 amending Government Decree of Slovak Republic 355/2006 about protection of health of employees when working with chemical agents

**Slovenia - No. 79/19** - Regulation for protection of workers against risks related to carcinogenic or mutagenic substances exposure. Annex III - Classification and binding levels of carcinogenic or mutagenic substances for occupational exposure. The Official Journal of the Republic of Slovenia, No. 101/2005. Amended by 38/15, 79/19. Regulation for protection of workers against risks related to exposure to chemical substances at the workplace. Republic of Slovenia, No. 100/2001 . Annex I - List of Binding Occupational Exposure Limit Values. Amended by 39/05, 53/07, 102/10, 38/15, 78/18, 78/19

**Spain - AFS 2018:1** - NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH AND SAFETY AT WORK. Occupational exposure limits for chemical agents in Spain. Tables 1 and 3. Latest edition Feb. 2019

**Sweden - AFS 2018:1** - Statute Book of the Swedish Work Environment Authority, AFS 2018:1

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**Germany - TRGS 900** - Occupational Exposure Limits, Technical Rules for Dangerous Substances, latest amendment March, 2020

**Germany - TRGS 903** - Biological Threshold Limits (BGW-Values), Technical Rules for Dangerous Substances, latest amendment March, 2020

**Gibraltar - LN. 2018/131** - Factories (Control of Chemical Agents at Work) Regulations 2003 LN. 2003/035, amended by LN. 2008/035, LN. 2008/050, LN. 2012/021, LN. 2015/143, LN. 2018/181.

The Swedish Work Environment Authority's Ordinance and General Guidance on Hygienic Limit Values

**Switzerland - OLVSNAIF** - Occupational Limit Values 2020 Swiss National Accident Insurance Fund. List of Biological Limit Values (BAT-Werte) and List of MAK Values.

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