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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Dow Corning Corporation South Saginaw Road Midland, Michigan 48686 24 Hour Emergency Telephone: (989) 496-5900

Customer Service: (989) 496-6000 Product Disposal Information: (989) 496-6315

CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300

MSDS No.: 04116349

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Generic Description: Silicone compound

Physical Form: Paste Color: White

Odor: Ammonia-like odor

NFPA Profile: Health 1 Flammability 1 Instability/Reactivity 0

Note: NFPA = National Fire Protection Association

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

## **Acute Effects**

Eye:

Direct contact may cause moderate irritation.

Skin:

No significant irritation expected from a single short-term exposure.

Inhalation:

Irritates respiratory passages very slightly. Overexposure by inhalation may cause

drowsiness, dizziness, confusion or loss of coordination.

Oral:

Swallowing large amounts may cause drowsiness.

## Prolonged/Repeated Exposure Effects

Skin:

No known applicable information.

Inhalation:

Overexposure by inhalation may injure the following organ(s): Nervous system.

Oral:

No known applicable information.

### Signs and Symptoms of Overexposure

No known applicable information.

### Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure



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No known applicable information.

The above listed potential effects of overexposure are based on actual data, results of studies performed upon similar compositions, component data and/or expert review of the product. Please refer to Section 11 for the detailed toxicology information.

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CAS Number

Wt %

Component Name

123127-06-0

3.0 - 7.0

Methoxy and aminofunctional silane

999-97-3

1.0 - 5.0

Hexamethyldisilazane

The above components are hazardous as defined in 29 CFR 1910.1200.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye:

Immediately flush the contaminated eye(s) with lukewarm, gently flowing water for 15 - 20 minutes while holding the eyelid(s) open. If contact lens is present, DO NOT delay irrigation or attempt to remove the lens. Take care not to rinse contaminated water into the unaffected

eye or onto the face. Immediately obtain medical attention.

Skin:

No health effects expected. If irritation does occur flush with lukewarm, gently flowing water

for 5 minutes. If irritation persists, obtain medical advice.

Inhalation:

Remove from the source of contamination or move to fresh air. If irritation persists, obtain

medical advice.

Oral:

Never give anything by mouth if victim is rapidly losing consciousness or convulsing. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Have victim drink 2 to 8 oz. (60 to 240 mL) of water. If vomiting occurs naturally, have victim lean forward to reduce the risk of aspiration. Have victim rinse mouth

with water again. Obtain medical attention.

Notes to Physician:

Treat according to person's condition and specifics of exposure.

#### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point:

Not applicable.

Autoignition Temperature: Not determined.

Flammability Limits in Air:

Not determined.



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Extinguishing Media:

On large fires use dry chemical, foam or water spray. On small fires use carbon dioxide (CO2), dry chemical or water spray. Water can be used to cool fire exposed containers.

Fire Fighting Measures:

Self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing should be worn in fighting large fires involving chemicals. Determine the need to evacuate or isolate the area according to your local emergency plan. Use water spray to keep fire exposed containers cool.

Unusual Fire Hazards:

None.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Containment/Clean up:

Observe all personal protection equipment recommendations described in Sections 5 and 8. Wipe up or scrape up and contain for salvage or disposal. Clean area as appropriate since spilled materials, even in small quantities, may present a slip hazard. Final cleaning may require use of steam, solvents or detergents. Dispose of saturated absorbant or cleaning materials appropriately, since spontaneous heating may occur. Local, state and federal laws and regulations may apply to releases and disposal of this material, as well as those materials and items employed in the cleanup of releases. You will need to determine which federal, state and local laws and regulations are applicable. Sections 13 and 15 of this MSDS provide information regarding certain federal and state requirements.

Note: See Section 8 for Personal Protective Equipment for Spills. Call (989) 496-5900, if additional information is required.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Use with adequate ventilation. Product evolves flammable methyl alcohol when exposed to water or humid air. Provide ventilation during use to control exposure within Section 8 guidelines or use air-supplied or self-contained breathing apparatus. Product evolves ammonia when exposed to water or humid air. Provide ventilation during use to control ammonia within exposure guidelines or use an ammonia respirator. Avoid eye contact. Avoid breathing vapor, mist, dust, or fumes. Keep container closed.

Use reasonable care and store away from oxidizing materials. Keep container closed and store away from water or moisture. This material in its finely divided form presents an explosion hazard. Follow NFPA 654 (for chemical dusts) or 484 (for metal dusts) as appropriate for managing dust hazards to minimize secondary explosion potential.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **Component Exposure Limits**

CAS Number Component Name

**Exposure Limits** 

123127-06-0

Methoxy and aminofunctional silane

See methyl alcohol comments.



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999-97-3

Hexamethyldisilazane

Dow Corning guide: TWA 25 ppm, STEL 35 ppm. Also see ammonia comments.

Methyl alcohol forms on contact with water or humid air. Provide adequate ventilation to control exposures within guidelines of OSHA PEL: TWA 200 ppm and ACGIH TLV-skin: TWA 200 ppm, STEL 250 ppm. Ammonia is formed upon contact with water or humid air. Provide adequate ventilation to control exposures within guidelines of OSHA PEL: TWA 50 ppm and ACGIH TLV: TWA 25 ppm, STEL 35 ppm.

### **Engineering Controls**

Local Ventilation: General Ventilation: Recommended. Recommended.

## Personal Protective Equipment for Routine Handling

Eyes:

Use proper protection - safety glasses as a minimum.

Skin:

Washing at mealtime and end of shift is adequate.

Suitable Gloves:

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices.

Inhalation:

Use respiratory protection unless adequate local exhaust ventilation is provided or exposure assessment demonstrates that exposures are within recommended exposure guidelines. IH

personnel can assist in judging the adequacy of existing engineering controls.

Suitable Respirator:

General and local exhaust ventilation is recommended to maintain vapor exposures below recommended limits. Where concentrations are above recommended limits or are unknown, appropriate respiratory protection should be worn. Follow OSHA respirator regulations (29 CFR 1910.134) and use NIOSH/MSHA approved respirators.

## Personal Protective Equipment for Spills

Eyes:

Use full face respirator.

Skin:

Washing at mealtime and end of shift is adequate.

Inhalation/Suitable

Respirator:

Respiratory protection recommended. Follow OSHA Respirator Regulations (29 CFR 1910.134) and use NIOSH/MHSA approved respirators. Protection provided by air purifying respirators against exposure to any hazardous chemical is limited. Use a positive pressure air supplied respirator if there is any potential for uncontrolled release, exposure levels are unknown, or any other circumstance where air purifying respirators may not provide adequate protection.

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Precautionary Measures:

Avoid eye contact. Avoid breathing vapor, mist, dust, or fumes. Keep container closed. Use

reasonable care.



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Comments: Product evolves flammable methyl alcohol when exposed to water or humid air. Provide

ventilation during use to control exposure within Section 8 guidelines or use air-supplied or self-contained breathing apparatus. Product evolves ammonia when exposed to water or humid air. Provide ventilation during use to control ammonia within exposure guidelines or

use an ammonia respirator.

Note: These precautions are for room temperature handling. Use at elevated temperature or aerosol/spray applications may require added precautions.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical Form: Paste

Color: White

Odor: Ammonia-like odor

Specific Gravity @ 25°C: 1.24

Viscosity: 160,000 mPa s

Freezing/Melting Point: Not determined.

Boiling Point: > 35C/95F

Vapor Pressure @ 25°C: not applicable

Vapor Density: Not determined.

Solubility in Water: Not determined.

pH: Not determined.

Volatile Content: Not determined.

Flash Point: Not applicable.

Autoignition Temperature: Not determined.

Flammability Limits in Air: Not determined.

Note: The above information is not intended for use in preparing product specifications. Contact Dow Corning before writing specifications.

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability:

Stable.

Hazardous

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

Polymerization:

Conditions to Avoid:

None.

Materials to Avoid:

Oxidizing material can cause a reaction. Water, moisture, or humid air can cause hazardous vapors to form as described in Section 8.

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

Thermal breakdown of this product during fire or very high heat conditions may evolve the following decomposition products: Carbon oxides and traces of incompletely burned carbon compounds. Silicon dioxide. Formaldehyde. Metal



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oxides. Chlorine compounds. Nitrogen oxides. Quartz.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Component Toxicology Information

This material may liberate methanol upon exposure to moisture or humid air. Overexposure to methanol can result in blindness and nervous system effects.

This material contains octamethyltrisiloxane (L3). Repeated exposure in rats to L3 resulted in what appears to be protoporphyrin accumulation in the liver at dose levels that exceed typical workplace or consumer exposures. Without knowledge of the specific mechanism leading to the protoporphyrin accumulation the relevance of this finding to humans is unknown. Industrial, commercial, or consumer intended uses of products containing L3 do not represent a risk to humans.

### Special Hazard Information on Components

No known applicable information.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## **Environmental Fate and Distribution**

Complete information is not yet available.

## **Environmental Effects**

Complete information is not yet available.

## **Fate and Effects in Waste Water Treatment Plants**

Complete information is not yet available.

**Ecotoxicity Classification Criteria** 

Hazard Parameters (LC50 or EC50)	High	Medium	Low
Acute Aquatic Toxicity (mg/L)	<=1	>1 and <=100	>100
Acute Terrestrial Toxicity	<=100	>100 and <= 2000	>2000

This table is adapted from "Environmental Toxicology and Risk Assessment", ASTM STP 1179, p.34, 1993.

This table can be used to classify the ecotoxicity of this product when ecotoxicity data is listed above. Please read the other information presented in the section concerning the overall ecological safety of this material.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS



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## RCRA Hazard Class (40 CFR 261)

When a decision is made to discard this material, as received, is it classified as a hazardous waste? No

State or local laws may impose additional regulatory requirements regarding disposal. Call (989) 496-6315, if additional information is required.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

## **DOT Road Shipment Information (49 CFR 172.101)**

Not subject to DOT.

## Ocean Shipment (IMDG)

Not subject to IMDG code.

## Air Shipment (IATA)

Not subject to IATA regulations.

Call Dow Corning Transportation, (989) 496-8577, if additional information is required.

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Contents of this MSDS comply with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

TSCA Status:

All chemical substances in this material are included on or exempted from listing on the TSCA

Inventory of Chemical Substances.

## **EPA SARA Title III Chemical Listings**

Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 355):

None.

Section 304 CERCLA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302):

None.

#### Section 311/312 Hazard Class (40 CFR 370):

Acute: Yes Chronic: Yes Fire: No Pressure: No



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Reactive: No

## Section 313 Toxic Chemicals (40 CFR 372):

None present or none present in regulated quantities.

Note: Chemicals are listed under the 313 Toxic Chemicals section only if they meet or exceed a reporting threshold.

## **Supplemental State Compliance Information**

#### California

Warning: This product contains the following chemical(s) listed by the State of California under the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65) as being known to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

CAS Number	Wt %	Component Name
67-56-1	<1.0000	Methyl alcohol Developmental toxin.
Now James		
New Jersey		
CAS Number	<u>Wt %</u>	Component Name
P871176	40.0 - 60.0	Dimethyl siloxane, trimethoxysilyl-terminated
471-34-1	15.0 - 35.0	Calcium carbonate
63148-62-9	7.0 - 13.0	Polydimethylsiloxane
68611-44-9	7.0 - 13.0	Methylated silica
123127-06-0	3.0 - 7.0	Methoxy and aminofunctional silane
14808-60-7	<1.0	Quartz
67-56-1	<1.0	Methyl alcohol
Pennsylvania		
CAS Number	Wt %	Component Name
P871176	40.0 - 60.0	Dimethyl siloxane, trimethoxysilyl-terminated
471-34-1	15.0 - 35.0	Calcium carbonate



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63148-62-9 7.0 - 13.0 Polydimethylsiloxane

68611-44-9 7.0 - 13.0 Methylated silica

123127-06-0 3.0 - 7.0 Methoxy and aminofunctional silane

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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These data are offered in good faith as typical values and not as product specifications. No warranty, either expressed or implied, is hereby made. The recommended industrial hygiene and safe handling procedures are believed to be generally applicable. However, each user should review these recommendations in the specific context of the intended use and determine whether they are appropriate.

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