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Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Product Identifier

Product Form Mixture
Product Name MED-4174
Synonyms Silicone Elastomer

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

Use of the Substance/Mixture For professional use only.

1.3. Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

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1.4. Emergency Telephone Number

Emergency Number 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (in US); +1 703-527-3887 CHEMTREC (International and Maritime)

SECTION 2: Hazards Identification

2.1. Classification of the Substance or Mixture

GHS-US Classification

Reproductive toxicity Category 2 H361
Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Hazard Category 2 H411

2.2. Label Elements

GHS-US Labeling

Hazard Pictograms (GHS-US)



GHS08

GHS09

Signal Word (GHS-US) Warning

Hazard Statements (GHS-US)

H361 - Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child
H411 - Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

Precautionary Statements (GHS-US)

P201 - Obtain special instructions before use.
P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P273 - Avoid release to the environment.
P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection.
P308+P313 - If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
P391 - Collect spillage.
P405 - Store locked up.
P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations.

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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.

2.4. Unknown Acute Toxicity (GHS-US)

20 - 30% of the mixture consists of ingredients of unknown acute toxicity.

SECTION 3: Composition/Information On Ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product Identifier	%*	GHS-US Classification
Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane	(CAS-No.) 556-67-2	0.1 - 1	Flam. Liq. 3, H226 Repr. 2, H361 Aquatic Chronic 1, H410
Decamethylcyclopentasiloxane	(CAS-No.) 541-02-6	0.1 - 1	Flam. Liq. 4, H227

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

*The specific chemical identity and/or exact percentage of composition have been withheld as a trade secret [29 CFR 1910.1200].

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. If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
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. Obtain medical attention.

4.2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects Both Acute and Delayed

Symptoms/Injuries	Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.
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	Ingestion may cause adverse effects.
Chronic Symptoms	Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

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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: Fire-Fighting Measures

5.1. Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media : Water spray, fog, carbon dioxide (CO₂), 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.

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.

Hazardous Combustion Products Oxides of silicon and carbon. Formaldehyde.

Other Information Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures

6.1. Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment And Emergency Procedures

General Measures Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe dust.

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 recognize 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. Avoid release to the environment. Collect spillage.

6.3. Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

For Containment Contain solid spills with appropriate barriers and prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams.

Methods for Cleaning Up Clean up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Recover the product by vacuuming, shoveling or sweeping. Transfer spilled material to a suitable container for disposal. Contact competent authorities after a spill.

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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

Will decompose above 150 °C (> 300 °F) releasing formaldehyde vapors.

Precautions for Safe Handling

Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe dust. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.

Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures.

7.2. Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities

Technical Measures
Storage Conditions

Comply with applicable regulations.

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 oxidizers.

7.3. Specific End Use(S)

For professional use only.

SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

8.1. Control Parameters

For substances listed in section 3 that are not listed here, there are no established exposure limits from the manufacturer, supplier, importer, or the appropriate advisory agency including: ACGIH (TLV), or OSHA (PEL).

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. Insufficient ventilation: wear respiratory protection. Protective goggles or glasses.



Materials For Protective Clothing

Chemically resistant materials and fabrics.

Hand Protection

Wear protective gloves.

Eye And Face Protection

Goggles or safety glasses with side-shields.

Skin And Body Protection

Wear suitable protective clothing.

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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	Solid
Appearance	Colorless gum
Odor	Odorless
Odor Threshold	No data available
pH	No data available
Evaporation Rate	No data available
Melting Point	No data available
Freezing Point	No data available
Boiling Point	No data available
Flash Point	> 135 °C (275 °F)
Auto-ignition Temperature	No data available
Decomposition Temperature	No data available
Flammability	No data available
Vapor Pressure	No data available
Relative Vapor Density at 20°C	No data available
Relative Density	No data available
Specific Gravity	> 1
Solubility	No data available
Partition Coefficient n-Octanol/Water	No data available
Viscosity	No data available

9.2. Other Information

VOC Content	< 1 %
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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 polymerization 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 oxidizers.

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10.6. Hazardous Decomposition Products

Thermal decomposition may produce: Oxides of silicon and carbon. Will decompose above 150 °C (>300° F) releasing formaldehyde vapors. Formaldehyde is a potential carcinogen and can act as a potential skin and respiratory sensitizer. Formaldehyde can also cause respiratory and eye irritation.

SECTION 11: Toxicological Information

11.1. Information on Toxicological Effects

Acute Toxicity (Oral)	Not classified
Acute Toxicity (Dermal)	Not classified
Acute Toxicity (Inhalation)	Not classified

Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (556-67-2)	
LD50 Oral Rat	> 4800 mg/kg (No mortality)
LD50 Dermal Rat	> 2375 mg/kg
LD50 Dermal Rabbit	> 2.5 ml/kg (No mortality)
LC50 Inhalation Rat	36 mg/l/4h

Decamethylcyclopentasiloxane (541-02-6)	
LD50 Oral Rat	> 5000 mg/kg (Species: Sprague-Dawley)
LD50 Dermal Rabbit	> 2000 mg/kg (Species: New Zealand White) No deaths reported
LC50 Inhalation Rat	8.67 mg/l/4h (Species: Fischer)

Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Not classified
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation	Not classified
Respiratory or Skin Sensitization	Not classified
Germ Cell Mutagenicity	Not classified
Carcinogenicity	Not classified
Reproductive Toxicity	Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.
Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure)	Not classified
Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure)	Not classified
Aspiration Hazard	Not classified
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	Ingestion may cause adverse effects.
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SECTION 12: Ecological Information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - General Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (556-67-2)	
LC50 Fish 1	> 22 µg/l
NOEC Chronic Fish	0.0044 mg/l

12.2. Persistence and Degradability

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Persistence and Degradability	May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.

12.3. Bioaccumulative Potential

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Bioaccumulative Potential	Not established.
Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (556-67-2)	
BCF Fish 1	(12400 dimensionless)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	6.488 (at 25.1 °C)
Decamethylcyclopentasiloxane (541-02-6)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	8.023 (at 25.3 °C)

12.4. Mobility In Soil

No additional information available

12.5. Other Adverse Effects

Other Information Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations

13.1. Waste Treatment Methods

Waste Disposal Recommendations Additional Information Ecology - Waste Materials Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations. Container may remain hazardous when empty. Continue to observe all precautions. Avoid release to the environment. This material is hazardous to the aquatic environment. Keep out of sewers and waterways.

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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.

14.1. In Accordance with DOT

Proper Shipping Name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES, SOLID, N.O.S.
(Contains: Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane)

Hazard Class 9 

Identification Number UN3077

Label Codes 9


Packing Group III

Marine Pollutant Marine pollutant

ERG Number 171

14.2. In Accordance with IMDG

Proper Shipping Name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.
(Contains: Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane)

Hazard Class 9 

Identification Number UN3077

Packing Group III

Label Codes 9

EmS-No. (Fire) F-A

EmS-No. (Spillage) S-F

Marine Pollutant Marine pollutant

14.3. In Accordance with IATA

Proper Shipping Name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.
(Contains: Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane)

Packing Group III 

Identification Number UN3077

Hazard Class 9

Label Codes 9

ERG Code (IATA) 9L

SECTION 15: Regulatory Information

15.1. US Federal Regulations

All components in this mixture are listed on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory, have been exempted, are not listed, not disclosed due to CBI requirements or disclosure rules according to the relevant regulation.

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SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Health hazard - Reproductive toxicity

15.2. US State Regulations

Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (556-67-2)
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term

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U.S. - Maine - Chemicals of Concern
U.S. - Oregon - Priority Persistent Pollutant - Tier I - Persistent Pollutants
U.S. - Minnesota - Chemicals of High Concern
U.S. - Minnesota - Chemicals of High Concern - Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxins
U.S. - California - Safer Consumer Products - Initial List of Candidate Chemicals and Chemical Groups

Decamethylcyclopentasiloxane (541-02-6)

U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Long Term
U.S. - Texas - Effects Screening Levels - Short Term
U.S. - Maine - Chemicals of Concern
U.S. - Oregon - Priority Persistent Pollutant - Tier I - Persistent Pollutants
U.S. - Minnesota - Chemicals of High Concern
U.S. - Minnesota - Chemicals of High Concern - Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxins
U.S. - California - Safer Consumer Products - Initial List of Candidate Chemicals and Chemical Groups

SECTION 16: Other Information, Including Date of Preparation or Last Revision

Date of Preparation or Latest Revision 09/08/2022

Other Information This document has been prepared in accordance with the SDS requirements of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

GHS Full Text Phrases:

Flam. Liq. 3	Flammable Liquids Category 3
Flam. Liq. 4	Flammable Liquids Category 4
Repr. 2	Reproductive Toxicity Category 2
Aquatic Chronic 1	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Hazard Category 1
Aquatic Chronic 2	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Hazard Category 2
H226	Flammable liquid and vapor
H227	Combustible liquid
H361	Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

NFPA Health Hazard

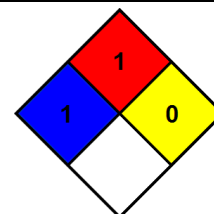
1 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can cause significant irritation.

NFPA Fire Hazard

1 - Materials that must be preheated before ignition can occur.

NFPA Reactivity Hazard

0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even under fire conditions.



HMIS III Rating Health

1 Slight Hazard
* Chronic - Chronic (long-term) health effects may result from repeated overexposure

Flammability Physical

1 Slight Hazard
0 Minimal Hazard

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