



Safety Data Sheet

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1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name:	Poly(dimethylsiloxane)
Product abbreviation:	DMS
Product use:	For laboratory research purposes.
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture	Not a hazardous substance or mixture.
GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements	Not a hazardous substance or mixture.
Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS	None

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula:	Poly(dimethylsiloxane):	[Si(CH ₃) ₂ O] _n
Synonym:	PDMS, Dimethylpolysiloxane	
Concentration:	≤ 100%	
CAS registry number:	α-Methyl-ω-methoxypolydimethylsiloxane:	63148-62-9

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice:	Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
If inhaled:	If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.
In case of skin contact:	Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.
In case of eye contact:	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.
If swallowed:	Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in section 2.2 and/or in section 11.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media:

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Special protective equipment for firefighters:

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

Hazardous combustion products:

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions: Carbon oxides, Silicon oxides.

Explosion data:

Sensitivity to mechanical impact: no data available

Sensitivity to static discharge: no data available

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions:

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation.

For personal protection see section 8.

Environmental precautions:

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste.

Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling:

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust or mist.

For precautions see section 2.2.

Conditions for safe storage:

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

Storage class (TRGS 510): 10: Combustible liquids

Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Personal protective equipment:

• Respiratory protection:

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

• Hand protection:

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin

contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

- Eye protection: Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).
- Skin and body protection: Wear impervious clothing. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.
- Control of environmental exposure: Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	Form:	Viscous liquid
	Colour:	Colourless
Safety data:	pH:	no data available
	Melting point / Freezing point:	-54.99 °C (-66.98 °F)
	initial boiling point and boiling range:	> 140 °C > 284 °F at 0.003 hPa
	Flash point:	316.00 °C (600.80 °F) - closed cup
	Ignition temperature:	no data available
	Auto-ignition temperature:	> 400 °C (> 752 °F)
	Decomposition temperature	> 200 °C (> 392 °F)
	Lower explosion limit:	no data available
	Upper explosion limit:	no data available
	Vapour pressure:	< 7 hPa at 25 °C (77 °F)
	Density:	no data available
	Water solubility:	slightly soluble
	Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	no data available
	Relative density:	0.970 g/cm ³
	Odour:	no data available
	Odour threshold:	no data available
	Evaporation rate:	no data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity:	no data available.
Chemical stability:	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions:	no data available
Conditions to avoid:	no data available
Materials to avoid:	Acids, bases.
Hazardous decomposition products:	Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions:

Carbon oxides, Silicon oxides.
Other decomposition products: no data available.
In the event of fire: see section 5

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity:	Oral LD50:	no data available
	Inhalation LC50:	no data available
	Dermal LD50:	no data available
	Other information on acute toxicity:	no data available
Skin corrosion/irritation:	Skin – Rabbit – Mild skin irritation – 24 h	
Serious eye damage/eye irritation.	Eyes – Rabbit – Mild eye irritation – 24 h	
Respiratory or skin sensitization:	no data available	
Germ cell mutagenicity:	no data available	
Carcinogenicity:	IARC:	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
	ACGIH:	No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.
Reproductive toxicity:	no data available	
Teratogenicity:	no data available	
Specific target organ toxicity:	Single exposure (Globally Harmonized System):	no data available
	Repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System):	no data available
Aspiration hazard:	no data available	
Potential health effects:	Inhalation:	May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.
	Ingestion:	May be harmful if swallowed.
	Skin:	May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.
	Eyes:	May cause eye irritation.
Signs and symptoms of exposure:	To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.	
Synergistic effects:	no data available	
Additional information:	RTECS:	TQ2690000

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity:	no data available
Persistence and degradability:	no data available
Bioaccumulative potential:	no data available
Mobility in soil:	no data available
PBT and vPvB assessment:	PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not

Other adverse effects: required/not conducted
An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.
Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
No data available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product: Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.
Contaminated packaging: Dispose of as unused product.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US): Not dangerous goods.
IMDG: Not dangerous goods.
IATA: Not dangerous goods.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

WHMIS classification: Not rated.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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Further information: The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Polymer Source, Inc. shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See www.polymersource.ca for additional terms and conditions of sale.