

BIMAX® CSEM 25/100

Safety Data Sheet

according to the REACH Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 amended by 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	: Substance
Substance name	: BIMAX® CSEM 25/100
Chemical name	: POLY(OXY-1,2-ETHANEDIYL), ALPHA-(2-METHYL-1-OXO-2-PROPENYL)-OMEGA-HYDROXY-, C16-18-ALKYL ETHERS
EC-No.	: 615-186-4
CAS-No.	: 70879-51-5
Product code	: 9174A
Synonyms	: CETYL STEARYL POLYETHOXY (25) METHACRYLATE
Product group	: Trade product
REACH authorisation exemptions	: Exempted from REACH registration
	Polymer

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	: Laboratory chemicals Manufacture of substances
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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	: CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (USA); +1 703-527-3887 (International)
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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 2	H315
Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1	H318
Skin sensitisation, Category 1	H317
Specific target organ toxicity – Single exposure, Category 3, Respiratory tract irritation	H335

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

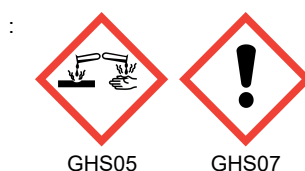
Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

May cause respiratory irritation. Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Causes serious eye damage.

2.2. Label elements

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

Hazard pictograms (CLP)



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Signal word (CLP)	: Danger
Hazard statements (CLP)	: H315 - Causes skin irritation. H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction. H318 - Causes serious eye damage. H335 - May cause respiratory irritation.
Precautionary statements (CLP)	: P261 - Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. P302+P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P333+P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. P405 - Store locked up.

2.3. Other hazards

Contains no PBT and/or vPvB substances $\geq 0.1\%$ assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Substance type	: Polymer
Name	: BIMAX® CSEM 25/100
CAS-No.	: 70879-51-5
EC-No.	: 615-186-4

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
cetyl stearyl polyethoxy (25) methacrylate	CAS-No.: 70879-51-5	94 – 96	Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2, H319 STOT SE 3, H335
Methacrylic acid	CAS-No.: 79-41-4 EC-No.: 201-204-4 EC Index-No.: 607-088-00-5	4 – 6	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Acute Tox. 3 (Dermal), H311 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation), H332 Skin Corr. 1A, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318 STOT SE 3, H335
Hydroquinone monomethyl ether	CAS-No.: 150-76-5 EC-No.: 205-769-8 EC Index-No.: 604-044-00-7	0.18 – 0.24	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Eye Irrit. 2, H319 Skin Sens. 1, H317

Specific concentration limits:

Name	Product identifier	Specific concentration limits
Methacrylic acid	CAS-No.: 79-41-4 EC-No.: 201-204-4 EC Index-No.: 607-088-00-5	(1 ≤ C ≤ 100) STOT SE 3; H335

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

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general	: Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.
First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.

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First-aid measures after skin contact	: Take off contaminated clothing. Wash skin with plenty of water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Call a physician immediately.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/effects after inhalation	: May cause respiratory irritation.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Serious damage to eyes.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	: Alcohol-resistant foam. Carbon dioxide. Dry chemical.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	: Avoid the use of streaming water, as this may spread the fire.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard	: No fire hazard.
Explosion hazard	: No direct explosion hazard.
Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire	: Carbon oxides.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions	: Fight fire from safe distance and protected location. Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.
Protection during firefighting	: Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment	: Wear recommended personal protective equipment.
Emergency procedures	: Ventilate spillage area. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment	: Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".
Emergency procedures	: Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment	: Stop leak without risks if possible.
Methods for cleaning up	: Shovel or sweep up and put in a closed container for disposal.
Other information	: Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

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SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

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| Precautions for safe handling | : Wear personal protective equipment. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. |
| Hygiene measures | : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. |

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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| Storage conditions | : Store locked up. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. |
| Incompatible materials | : Oxidizing agents. Bases. Free radical initiators. Peroxides. |
| Storage temperature | : < 32 °C (Recommended) |
| Packaging materials | : Store always product in container of same material as original container. |

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.1.1 National occupational exposure and biological limit values

No additional information available

8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available

8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available

8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

No additional information available

8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

Personal protective equipment:

Wear recommended personal protective equipment.

8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

Eye protection:

Chemical goggles or face shield

8.2.2.2. Skin protection

Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

Hand protection:

Protective gloves

8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection:

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

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8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

No additional information available

8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

Environmental exposure controls:

Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Solid
Colour	: white to light yellow.
Appearance	: white to light yellow waxy solid.
Molecular mass	: 1424 g/mol
Odour	: Not available
Odour threshold	: Not available
Melting point	: 50 °C
Freezing point	: Not applicable
Boiling point	: Not available
Flammability	: Non flammable.
Explosive limits	: Not applicable
Lower explosion limit	: Not applicable
Upper explosion limit	: Not applicable
Flash point	: Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature	: Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	: Not available
pH	: Not available
pH solution	: Not available
Viscosity, kinematic	: Not applicable
Solubility	: Soluble in water.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	: Not available
Vapour pressure	: Not available
Vapour pressure at 50°C	: Not available
Density	: Not available
Relative density	: Not available
Relative vapour density at 20°C	: Not applicable
Particle size	: Not available

9.2. Other information

9.2.1. Information with regard to physical hazard classes

No additional information available

9.2.2. Other safety characteristics

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal temperatures and pressures. Contains the following stabilizer(s): MEHQ.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Heat and light.

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10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agents. Bases. Free radical initiators. Peroxides.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No hazardous decomposition products known at room temperature. In the event of fire: see section 5.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute toxicity (oral) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

Methacrylic acid (79-41-4)

LD50 oral rat	1320 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Animal sex: male, Guideline: OECD Guideline 401 (Acute Oral Toxicity)
LD50 dermal rabbit	500 – 1000 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rabbit, Guideline: other:
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	7.1 mg/l air Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 403 (Acute Inhalation Toxicity), Remarks on results: other:
LC50 Inhalation - Rat (Dust/Mist)	7.1 mg/l Source: ECHA

Hydroquinone monomethyl ether (150-76-5)

LD50 oral rat	1600 mg/kg
LD50 dermal rat	> 2000 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Guideline: EU Method B.3 (Acute Toxicity (Dermal)), Guideline: other:
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 2000 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes skin irritation.

Methacrylic acid (79-41-4)

pH	2 – 2.2 Temp.: 20 °C Concentration: (≈)100 g/L
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Hydroquinone monomethyl ether (150-76-5)

pH	5.6 (aqueous solution)
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Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye damage.

Methacrylic acid (79-41-4)

pH	2 – 2.2 Temp.: 20 °C Concentration: (≈)100 g/L
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Hydroquinone monomethyl ether (150-76-5)

pH	5.6 (aqueous solution)
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Respiratory or skin sensitisation : May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Carcinogenicity : Not classified

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

STOT-single exposure : May cause respiratory irritation.

STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified

Methacrylic acid (79-41-4)

LOAEC (inhalation, rat, gas, 90 days)	350 ppm Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 413 (Subchronic Inhalation Toxicity: 90-Day Study)
NOAEC (inhalation, rat, gas, 90 days)	100 ppm Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 413 (Subchronic Inhalation Toxicity: 90-Day Study), Guideline: EPA OPPTS 870.3465 (90-Day Inhalation Toxicity), Guideline: other:

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Hydroquinone monomethyl ether (150-76-5)	
LOAEL (oral, rat, 90 days)	300 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 422 (Combined Repeated Dose Toxicity Study with the Reproduction / Developmental Toxicity Screening Test), Guideline: other:
NOAEL (oral, rat, 90 days)	150 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 422 (Combined Repeated Dose Toxicity Study with the Reproduction / Developmental Toxicity Screening Test), Guideline: other:

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

BIMAX® CSEM 25/100 (70879-51-5)	
Viscosity, kinematic	Not applicable
cetyl stearyl polyethoxy (25) methacrylate (70879-51-5)	
Viscosity, kinematic	Not applicable
Methacrylic acid (79-41-4)	
Viscosity, kinematic	≈ 1.36 mm²/s Temp.: 'other:' Parameter: 'kinematic viscosity (in mm²/s)'

11.2. Information on other hazards

11.2.1. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

11.2.2. Other information

Potential adverse human health effects and symptoms : To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms nor to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute) : Not classified

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic) : Not classified

Methacrylic acid (79-41-4)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	85 mg/l Test organisms (species): Oncorhynchus mykiss (previous name: Salmo gairdneri)
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	> 130 mg/l Test organisms (species): Daphnia magna
EC50 72h - Algae [1]	45 mg/l Test organisms (species): Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (previous names: Raphidocelis subcapitata, Selenastrum capricornutum)
EC50 72h - Algae [2]	20 mg/l Test organisms (species): Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (previous names: Raphidocelis subcapitata, Selenastrum capricornutum)
NOEC (chronic)	53 mg/l Test organisms (species): Daphnia magna Duration: '21 d'
NOEC chronic fish	10 mg/l Test organisms (species): Danio rerio (previous name: Brachydanio rerio) Duration: '35 d'

Hydroquinone monomethyl ether (150-76-5)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	84.3 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Pimephales promelas [flow-through])
LC50 - Fish [2]	28.5 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Oncorhynchus mykiss [flow-through])
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	3 mg/l Test organisms (species): Daphnia magna

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Hydroquinone monomethyl ether (150-76-5)

EC50 72h - Algae [1]	54.7 mg/l Test organisms (species): Raphidocelis subcapitata (previous names: Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata, Selenastrum capricornutum)
EC50 72h - Algae [2]	19 mg/l Test organisms (species): Raphidocelis subcapitata (previous names: Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata, Selenastrum capricornutum)
ErC50 algae	54.7 mg/l Source: EHCA
LOEC (chronic)	1.45 mg/l Test organisms (species): Daphnia magna Duration: '21 d'
NOEC (chronic)	0.68 mg/l Test organisms (species): Daphnia magna Duration: '21 d'

12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Methacrylic acid (79-41-4)

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	0.93 Source: HSDB
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Hydroquinone monomethyl ether (150-76-5)

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	1.34
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12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

12.7. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Regional waste regulation	: Disposal must be done according to official regulations.
Sewage disposal recommendations	: Do not dispose of waste into sewer.
Product/Packaging disposal recommendations	: Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

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

ADR	IMDG	IATA	ADN	RID
14.1. UN number or ID number				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
14.2. UN proper shipping name				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated

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ADR	IMDG	IATA	ADN	RID
14.4. Packing group				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
14.5. Environmental hazards				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
No supplementary information available				

14.6. Special precautions for user

Overland transport

Not regulated

Transport by sea

Not regulated

Air transport

Not regulated

Inland waterway transport

Not regulated

Rail transport

Not regulated

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

REACH Annex XVII (Restriction List)

EU restriction list (REACH Annex XVII)		
Reference code	Applicable on	Entry title or description
3(b)	Methacrylic acid	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

REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

Not listed on REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

REACH Candidate List (SVHC)

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

PIC Regulation (Prior Informed Consent)

Not listed on the PIC list (Regulation EU 649/2012)

POP Regulation (Persistent Organic Pollutants)

Not listed on the POP list (Regulation EU 2019/1021)

Ozone Regulation (1005/2009)

Not listed on the Ozone Depletion list (Regulation EU 2024/590)

Explosives Precursors Regulation (EU 2019/1148)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Explosives Precursors list (Regulation EU 2019/1148 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors)

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Drug Precursors Regulation (EC 273/2004)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Drug Precursors list (Regulation EC 273/2004 on the manufacture and the placing on market of certain substances used in the illicit manufacture of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances)

15.1.2. National regulations

Germany

Air Quality Control (TA Luft)					
Category	Class	Applicable on	Local name	Max. mass flow	Max. mass concentration

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

Abbreviations and acronyms:

	Abbreviations: ND: Not Determined, No Data; NA: Not Applicable; LD: Lethal Dose; LC: Lethal Concentration; ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimates; H: hour; °: °C unless otherwise stated; mm: millimeters Hg, torr; PEL: permissible exposure level; TWA: time weighted average; TLV: threshold limit value; TG: Test Guideline; NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer; NTP: National Toxicology Program; HMIS: Hazardous Material Information System; CAS No.: Chemical Abstract Service Registration Number; EC No.: European Commission Registration Number; EC Index No.: European Commission Index Number; OECD: The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; GHS: The Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling; APF: Assigned Protection Factor
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Full text of H- and EUH-statements:

Acute Tox. 3 (Dermal)	Acute toxicity (dermal), Category 3
Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation)	Acute toxicity (inhal.), Category 4
Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1
Eye Irrit. 2	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2
Skin Corr. 1A	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1, Sub-Category 1A
Skin Irrit. 2	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 2
Skin Sens. 1	Skin sensitisation, Category 1
STOT SE 3	Specific target organ toxicity – Single exposure, Category 3, Respiratory tract irritation
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H311	Toxic in contact with skin.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H332	Harmful if inhaled.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.

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