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**HEXAMETHYLCYCLOTTRISILOXANE, 98%**

Safety Data Sheet SIH6105.1

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**SECTION 1: Identification****1.1. Identification**

Product name	: HEXAMETHYLCYCLOTTRISILOXANE, 98%
Product code	: SIH6105.1
Product form	: Substance
Physical state	: Solid
Formula	: C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>18</sub> O <sub>3</sub> Si <sub>3</sub>
Synonyms	: D3 CYCLIC TRIMER CYCLOTTRISILOXANE DIMETHYLSILOXANE CYCLIC TRIMER 2,2,4,4,6,6-HEXAMETHYLCYCLOTTRISILOXANE
Chemical family	: ORGANOSILOXANE

**1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use**

Recommended use	: Chemical intermediate
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Emergency number	: CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (USA); +1 703-527-3887 (International)
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**SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification****2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****GHS-US classification**

Flammable solids Category 2 H228 Flammable solid

Full text of H statements : see section 16

**2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements****GHS US labeling**

Hazard pictograms (GHS US)



Signal word (GHS US)

: Warning

Hazard statements (GHS US)

: H228 - Flammable solid

Precautionary statements (GHS US)

: P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
 P210 - Keep away from heat, open flames, sparks. - No smoking.  
 P240 - Ground/Bond container and receiving equipment  
 P241 - Use explosion-proof electrical equipment  
 P370+P378 - In case of fire: Use water spray, foam, carbon dioxide, dry chemical to extinguish.

**2.3. Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

No additional information available

**2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)**

Not applicable

**SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients****3.1. Substances**

Substance type	: Multi-constituent
Name	: HEXAMETHYLCYCLOTTRISILOXANE, 98%
CAS-No.	: 541-05-9

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Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
Hexamethylcyclotrisiloxane	(CAS-No.) 541-05-9	> 98	Flam. Sol. 2, H228
Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane	(CAS-No.) 556-67-2	< 2	Flam. Liq. 3, H226 Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Acute Tox. 4 (Dermal), H312 Eye Irrit. 2B, H320 Repr. 2, H361 Aquatic Chronic 4, H413

Full text of hazard classes and H-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 : Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible). If possible show this sheet; if not available show packaging or label.
- First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.
- First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash with plenty of soap and water.
- First-aid measures after eye contact : Immediately flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical advice/attention.
- First-aid measures after ingestion : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical advice/attention.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

- Symptoms/effects after inhalation : May cause irritation to the respiratory tract. Overexposure may cause: Coughing. Headache. Nausea.
- Symptoms/effects after skin contact : May cause skin irritation.
- Symptoms/effects after eye contact : May cause eye irritation.
- Symptoms/effects after ingestion : May be harmful if swallowed.

### 4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

No additional information available

## SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

### 5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Foam. Carbon dioxide. Dry chemical.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : None known.

### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

- Fire hazard : Flammable solid. Irritating fumes and organic acid vapors may develop when material is exposed to elevated temperatures or open flame.
- Explosion hazard : Liquid generates strong static charge when poured.

### 5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

- Firefighting instructions : Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Use water spray to cool exposed surfaces.
- Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

- General measures : Eliminate ignition sources. Use special care to avoid static electric charges.

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Protective equipment : Wear protective equipment as described in Section 8.
- Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Equip cleanup crew with proper protection. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- Methods for cleaning up : Sweep or shovel spills into appropriate container for disposal. Use only non-sparking tools.

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### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Additional hazards when processed : Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.  
Precautions for safe handling : Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust. Provide local exhaust or general room ventilation to minimize exposure to dust. Use only non-sparking tools.  
Hygiene measures : Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures : Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof electrical equipment.  
Storage conditions : Keep container tightly closed.  
Incompatible materials : Peroxides. Oxidizing agent.  
Storage area : Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from heat.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (556-67-2)		
AIHA	WEEL TWA (ppm)	10 ppm

### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Provide local exhaust or general room ventilation.

### 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

#### Personal protective equipment:

Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Avoid all unnecessary exposure.

#### Hand protection:

Neoprene or nitrile rubber gloves

#### Eye protection:

Chemical goggles. Contact lenses should not be worn

#### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

#### Respiratory protection:

Where exposure through inhalation may occur from use, respiratory protection equipment is recommended. NIOSH-certified dust and mist (teal cartridge) respirator.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Solid  
Appearance : Crystalline solid.  
Molecular mass : 222.46 g/mol  
Color : No data available  
Odor : No data available  
Odor threshold : No data available  
Refractive index : No data available  
pH : No data available  
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : ~ 1  
Melting point : 64 - 66 °C  
Freezing point : No data available  
Boiling point : 134 °C  
Flash point : 35 °C  
Auto-ignition temperature : No data available  
Decomposition temperature : No data available

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Flammability (solid, gas)	: Flammable solid
Vapor pressure	: 10 mm Hg @ 25°C
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: 8
Relative density	: 1.02
% Volatiles	: 100 %
Solubility	: Insoluble in water.
Log Pow	: No data available
Log Kow	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available
Explosion limits	: No data available

### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable in sealed containers in a cool place.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Bases can cause non-hazardous polymerization.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Heat. Sparks. Open flame.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Peroxides. Oxidizing agent.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Organic acid vapors. Silicon dioxide. In oxidizing atmospheres at temperatures greater than 150°C, the generation of formaldehyde has been observed.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not classified

Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (556-67-2)	
LD50 oral rat	1540 mg/kg RTECS Number: GZ4397000
LD50 dermal rat	1770 mg/kg
LD50 dermal rabbit	794 µl/kg
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	36 g/m <sup>3</sup> (Exposure time: 4 h)
ATE US (oral)	1540 mg/kg body weight
ATE US (dermal)	1770 mg/kg body weight
ATE US (vapors)	36 mg/l/4h
ATE US (dust, mist)	36 mg/l/4h

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 : Not classified  
Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : May cause irritation to the respiratory tract. Overexposure may cause: Coughing. Headache. Nausea.

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Symptoms/effects after skin contact : May cause skin irritation.  
Symptoms/effects after eye contact : May cause eye irritation.  
Symptoms/effects after ingestion : May be harmful if swallowed.

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (556-67-2)	
LC50 fish 1	> 500 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Brachydanio rerio)
LC50 fish 2	> 1000 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Lepomis macrochirus)

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (556-67-2)	
BCF fish 1	12400
Log Pow	5.1

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

#### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects : This substance may be hazardous to the environment.  
Effect on the ozone layer : No additional information available

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Disposal methods

Sewage disposal recommendations : Do not dispose of waste into sewer.  
Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : May be incinerated. Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Dispose of contents/container to licensed waste disposal facility.  
Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### 14.1. UN number

UN-No.(DOT) : 1325  
DOT NA no. : UN1325

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Transport document description : UN1325 Flammable solids, organic, n.o.s. (HEXAMETHYLCYCLOTRISILOXANE), 4.1, III  
Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Flammable solids, organic, n.o.s.  
(HEXAMETHYLCYCLOTRISILOXANE)  
Class (DOT) : 4.1 - Class 4.1 - Flammable Solid 49 CFR 173.124  
Packing group (DOT) : III - Minor Danger  
Hazard labels (DOT) : 4.1 - Flammable solid



DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 213  
DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 240  
DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 151  
DOT Symbols : G - Identifies PSN requiring a technical name

#### 14.3. Additional information

Emergency Response Guide (ERG) Number : 133  
Other information : No supplementary information available.

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### Transport by sea

DOT Vessel Stowage Location : B - (i) The material may be stowed "on deck" or "under deck" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel carrying a number of passengers limited to not more than the larger of 25 passengers, or one passenger per each 3 m of overall vessel length; and (ii) "On deck only" on passenger vessels in which the number of passengers specified in paragraph (k)(2)(i) of this section is exceeded.

### Air transport

DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail : 25 kg  
(49 CFR 173.27)

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 : 100 kg  
CFR 175.75)

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. US Federal regulations

#### Hexamethylcyclotrisiloxane (541-05-9)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

#### Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (556-67-2)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

EPA TSCA Regulatory Flag

T - T - indicates a substance that is the subject of a final TSCA section 4 test rule.

### 15.2. International regulations

#### CANADA

#### Hexamethylcyclotrisiloxane (541-05-9)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

#### Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (556-67-2)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

#### EU-Regulations

#### Hexamethylcyclotrisiloxane (541-05-9)

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

#### Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (556-67-2)

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

#### National regulations

#### Hexamethylcyclotrisiloxane (541-05-9)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory  
Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)  
Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
Listed on CICR (Turkish Inventory and Control of Chemicals)

#### Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (556-67-2)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
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Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on CICR (Turkish Inventory and Control of Chemicals)

### 15.3. US State regulations

California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain any substances known to the state of California to cause cancer, developmental and/or reproductive harm

## SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H-phrases::

H226	Flammable liquid and vapor
H228	Flammable solid

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H302	Harmful if swallowed
H312	Harmful in contact with skin
H320	Causes eye irritation
H361	Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child
H413	May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life

### 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.

### Hazard Rating

Health : 1 Slight Hazard - Irritation or minor reversible injury possible  
Flammability : 3 Serious Hazard - Materials capable of ignition under almost all normal temperature conditions. Includes flammable liquids with flash points below 73 F and boiling points above 100 F. as well as liquids with flash points between 73 F and 100 F. (Classes IB & IC)  
Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that are normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will NOT react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-Explosives.

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