WACKER

SAFETY DATA SHEET

Material: 60003872 **WACKER® CATALYST PASTE T 40**

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1. Product and company identification

1.1 Identification of the substance or preparation:

Trade name **WACKER® CATALYST PASTE T 40**
Product group: Catalyst

Use of the Substance/Mixture: Industrial. Commercial.
Intermediate chemical

1.2 Company/undertaking identification:

Manufacturer/distributor:
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This SDS was prepared by the Regulatory Affairs and Product Safety Department (RAPS) of Wacker Chemical Corporation.

2. Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS classification in accordance with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200):

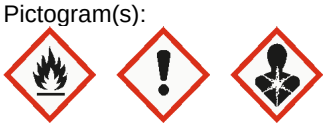
Hazards for the product as supplied

Classification	H-Code
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure, Category 2	H373
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure, Category 3	H335
Flammable liquids, Category 3	H226
Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2A	H319

2.2 Label elements

GHS-Labelling:

Pictogram(s):



Signal word: Warning

H-Code	Hazard statements
H226	Flammable liquid and vapour.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

P-Code	Precautionary statements
P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P233	Keep container tightly closed.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P260	Do not breathe vapours/spray.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection.
P243	Take action to prevent static discharges.
P304 + P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P312	Call a POISON CENTER/ doctor if you feel unwell.
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P337 + P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.
P403 + P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
P501	Dispose of contents/container to waste disposal.

The following percentage of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) with unknown hazards to the aquatic environment: 16.92 %.

2.3 Other hazards

No data available.
Endocrine disrupting properties - human health: The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.
Endocrine disrupting properties - environment: The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Chemical characterization (preparation)

Chemical characterization
Organotin compound+Silicic acid ester+auxiliary

3.2 Information on ingredients:

Type	Numerical identifier	Substance	Content [wt. %]	Note
INHA	78-10-4 CAS-No.	Ethyl silicate	>=25 – <40	
INHA	68299-15-0 CAS-No.	Bis(neodecanoyloxy)dioctylstannane	>=10 – <20	

Type: INHA - ingredient, VERU - impurity. *** **Note:** C1 - IARC carcinogen, C2 - NTP carcinogen, C3 - OSHA carcinogen, R - reproductive toxin.

Substances listed in the Subsections "HAPS" and "California Proposition 65 Carcinogens / Reproductive Toxins" that are not listed in this section are only present at quantities below 0.1% for California Proposition 65 listed toxins or below 1% for non-carcinogenic HAPS or they are inextricably bound in the product. Specific chemical identities and/or exact percentage (concentration) of the composition may have been withheld as a trade secret.

This product does not contain substances of very high concern (Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 57) in amounts above ≥ 0.1%.

4. First-aid measures

4.1 General information:

Get medical attention if irritation or other symptoms occur. Before seeking medical attention remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Take a copy of the Safety Data Sheet when going for medical treatment.

4.2 If inhaled

If inhaled remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult give oxygen.

4.3 In case of skin contact

For skin contact, immediately wipe away excess material. Use a waterless hand cleaner to remove as much of the remaining material as possible. Wash with soap and water.

4.4 In case of eye contact

If contact with eyes, immediately hold eyelids apart and flush with plenty of water for at least 15 min.

4.5 If swallowed

For ingestion, if conscious, give several glasses of water but do not induce vomiting. If vomiting does occur, give additional fluids. Get medical attention immediately. Show label if possible.

5. Fire-fighting measures

5.1 Flammable properties:

Property:	Value:	Method:
Flash point	55 °C (131 °F)	(ISO 2719)
Boiling point/boiling range	not applicable	
Lower explosion limit	exempt	
Upper explosion limit	exempt	
Ignition temperature	410 °C (770 °F)	(DIN 51794)
NFPA Hazard Class (comb./flam.liquid)	II	

5.2 Fire and explosion hazards:

Caution! OSHA combustible, DOT flammable liquid and vapor. Hydrolyzes on contact with moisture releasing ignitable vapors. Consider possible formation of explosive mixtures with air, for example in uncleaned containers. Explosion limits for hydrolysis product ethanol: 3.5-15% v/v.

5.3 Recommended extinguishing media:

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

5.4 Unsuitable extinguishing media:

sharp water jet .

5.5 Special exposure hazards arising from the substance or preparation itself, combustion products, resulting gases

Hazardous decomposition products: carbon dioxide , carbon monoxide , , ethanol silicon dioxide , tin dioxide and incompletely burnt hydrocarbons .

5.6 Fire fighting procedures:

Fire fighters should wear full protective clothing including a self-contained breathing apparatus. Cool endangered containers with water.

6. Accidental release measures

6.1 Precautions:

Secure the area. Wear personal protection equipment (see section 8). Keep unprotected persons away. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Do not inhale gases/vapours/aerosols. If material is released indicate risk of slipping. Do not walk through spilled material.

HAZWOPER PPE Level: D

6.2 Containment:

Prevent material from entering surface waters, drains or sewers and soil. Close leak if possible without risk. Contain any fluid that runs out using suitable material (e.g. earth). Retain contaminated water/extinguishing water. Dispose of in prescribed marked containers. Inform authorities if substance leaks into surface waters, sewerage or ground.

Spills of material which could reach surface waters must be reported to the United States Coast Guard National Response Center's toll free phone number (800) 424-8802.

6.3 Methods for cleaning up

Take up mechanically and dispose of according to local/state/federal regulations. Do not flush away with water. For small amounts: Absorb with a neutral (non-acidic / non-basic) liquid binding material such as diatomaceous earth and dispose of according to government regulations. For large amounts: Liquids may be recovered using suction devices or pumps. If flammable, only air driven or properly rated electrical equipment should be used. Clean any slippery coating that remains using a detergent / soap solution or another biodegradable cleaner. Silicone fluids are slippery; spills are a safety hazard. Apply sand or other inert granular material to improve traction.

6.4 Further information:

Exhaust vapours. Eliminate all sources of ignition. Consider explosion protection. Observe notes under section 7.

7. Handling and storage

7.1 Handling

Precautions for safe handling:
Ensure adequate ventilation. Must be syphoned off in situ. Spilled substance increases risk of slipping. Avoid formation of aerosols. In case of aerosol formation special protective measures are required (exhausting by suction, respiratory protection). Observe information in section 8. Keep away from incompatible substances in accordance with section 10.

Precautions against fire and explosion:
Flammable vapors may accumulate and form explosive mixtures with air in containers, process vessels, including partial, empty and uncleaned containers and vessels, or other enclosed spaces. Keep away from sources of ignition and do not smoke. Take precautionary measures against electrostatic charging. Cool endangered containers with water.

7.2 Storage

Conditions for storage rooms and vessels:
Observe local/state/federal regulations.

Advice for storage of incompatible materials:
Observe local/state/federal regulations.

Further information for storage:
Store in a dry and cool place. Protect against moisture. Store container in a well ventilated place.

8. Exposure controls and personal protection

8.1 Engineering controls

Ventilation:
Use only with adequate ventilation.

Local exhaust:
To control flammable/combustible vapors: Local exhaust ventilation which meets the requirements of ANSI Z9.2 is recommended to control airborne contaminants at the point of use. (to maintain concentration below TLV) .

8.2 Associate substances with specific control parameters such as limit values

Maximum airborne concentrations at the workplace:

Substance	Type	mg/m³	ppm	Dust fract.
Tetraethyl silicate	OSHA PEL	850.0	100.0	
Tin compounds (organic)	OSHA PEL	0.1		
Ethanol	OSHA PEL	1,900.0	1,000.0	
Tetraethyl silicate	ACGIH TWA		10.0	
Tin compounds (organic)	ACGIH TWA	0.1		

Re Tin compounds (organic): STEL is 0,2 mg/m3, skin notation (ACGIH).

Re Ethanol (CAS no. 64-17-5): STEL is 1000 ppm; carcinogenicity: A3 (ACGIH).

8.3 Personal protection equipment (PPE)

Respiratory protection:
Recommendation in case of long or strong exposure: A NIOSH approved air purifying respirator equipped with universal multi-contaminant multi-gas/vapor cartridges is recommended if overexposure to chemical vapors could occur. If eye-irritating dusts or vapors are present, a full-face respirator should be worn.

Hand protection:
Any liquid-tight rubber or vinyl gloves.

Eye protection:
Safety glasses with side shields or chemical safety goggles. Where there is risk of splashing: tight fitting chemical safety goggles .

Other protective clothing or equipment:
Additional skin protection, such as SARANEX coated Tyvek apron, over-sleeves, lab coat, coveralls, or protective suit should be worn if splashing could occur. Provide eye bath and safety shower.

8.4 General hygiene and protection measures:

Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing dust/vapor/mist/gas/aerosol. When handling do not eat, drink, smoke or apply cosmetics. Wash thoroughly after handling.

9. Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Property:	Value:	Method:
Physical state	liquid	
Form	paste	
Colour	red	
Odour	faint	
Odour Threshold	no data available	
Melting point	not determined	
Boiling point/boiling range	not applicable	
Lower explosion limit	exempt	
Upper explosion limit	exempt	
Flash point	55 °C	(ISO 2719)
Ignition temperature	410 °C	(DIN 51794)
Thermal decomposition	exempt	
pH	Not applicable. Insoluble in water.	
Viscosity, kinematic	no data available	
Viscosity, dynamic	not applicable	
Water solubility	practically insoluble	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	not applicable	
Vapour pressure	not determined	
Density	1.1 g/cm³ (20 °C)	(DIN 51757)
Relative vapour density	no data available	
Particle Size Distribution	Not applicable.	

9.2 Other information

Hydrolysis products reduce the flash point.

Property:	Value:	Method:
Evaporation rate	no data available	
Molecular weight	not applicable	

10. Stability and reactivity

10.1 General information:

If stored and handled in accordance with standard industrial practices no hazardous reactions are known.

10.2 Conditions to avoid

Moisture, heat, open flames, and other sources of ignition.

10.3 Materials to avoid

Reacts with water, basic substances and acids. The reaction takes place with the formation of alcohols.

10.4 Hazardous decomposition products

If stored and handled properly: none known. Alcohols under the effect of humidity, water and protic agents.

10.5 Further information:

Hazardous polymerization cannot occur.

11. Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

11.1.1 Acute toxicity

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

Acute toxicity estimate (ATE):
ATE_{mix} (Oral): > 2000 mg/kg

11.1.2 Skin corrosion/irritation

Assessment:

Based on the available data a clinically relevant skin irritation hazard is not expected.

Product details:

No skin irritation
(Species: Rabbit, Source: test report)

11.1.3 Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

11.1.4 Respiratory or skin sensitization

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

11.1.5 Germ cell mutagenicity

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

11.1.6 Carcinogenicity

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

11.1.7 Reproductive toxicity

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

11.1.8 Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

11.1.9 Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

Assessment:

For this endpoint no toxicological test data is available for the whole product.

11.1.10 Aspiration hazard

Assessment:

Based on the physical-chemical properties of the product no aspiration hazard must be expected.

11.1.11 Endocrine disrupting properties

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

11.1.12 Further toxicological information

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP. No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC. No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Other information: None known.

12. Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Assessment:

For the product as a whole, no test data is available.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Assessment:

The hydrolysis product (Ethanol) is readily biologically degradable. Silicone content: biologically not degradable. Separation by sedimentation.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Assessment:

No data known.

12.4 Mobility in soil

Assessment:

For the product as a whole, no test data is available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT assessment
No data available.

vPvB Assessment
No data available.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.7 Other adverse effects

none known

13. Disposal considerations

13.1 Product disposal

Recommendation:
Material that cannot be used, reprocessed or recycled should be disposed of in accordance with Federal, State, and local regulations at an approved facility. Depending on the regulations, waste treatment methods may include, e.g., landfill or incineration.

13.2 Packaging disposal

Recommendation:
Completely discharge containers (no tear drops, no powder rest, scraped carefully). Containers may be recycled or re-used. Observe local/state/federal regulations. Uncleaned packaging should be treated with the same precautions as the material.

14. Transport information

14.1 US DOT & CANADA TDG SURFACE

Valuation	Dangerous Goods
Proper Shipping Name	Flammable liquid, n.o.s.
Technical name	(Contains Tetraethyl silicate)
Class	3
UN no.	1993
Packing group	III
Label	**TL:flammable liquid/3
NAERG Guide	128
Other Information	Protect from freezing, when exposed to cold temperatures approaching 0 °C (32 °F) or below.

14.2 Transport by sea IMDG-Code

Valuation	Dangerous Goods
Class	3
Packing group	III
UN no.	1993
Proper Shipping Name	Flammable liquid, n.o.s.
Technical name	(Contains Tetraethyl silicate)
EmS No.	F-E, S-E
Marine pollutant	no

14.3 Air transport ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR

Valuation	Dangerous Goods
Class	3
UN no.	1993
Proper Shipping Name	Flammable liquid, n.o.s.
Technical name	(Contains Tetraethyl silicate)
Packing group	III

15. Regulatory information

15.1 U.S. Federal regulations

TSCA inventory status and TSCA information:
This material or its components are listed on or are in compliance with the requirements of the TSCA Chemical Substance Inventory.

TSCA 12(b) Export Notification:
This material does not contain reportable amounts of any TSCA 12(b) listed chemicals.

CERCLA Regulated Chemicals:
This material does not contain any CERCLA regulated chemicals.

SARA 302 EHS Chemicals:
This material does not contain any SARA extremely hazardous substances.

SARA 311/312 Hazard Class:
Acute toxicity (any route of exposure). Serious eye damage or eye irritation. Flammable (gases, aerosols, liquids, or solids)

SARA 313 Chemicals:
This material does not contain any SARA 313 chemicals above de minimus levels.

HAPS (Hazardous Air Pollutants):

CAS-No.	Chemical	Upper limit
110-54-3	n-Hexane	<=0.0124 %

15.2 US State Regulations

US. California Safe Drinking Water & Toxic Enforcement Act (Proposition 65)

This material does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer.

This material does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause reproductive effects.

Massachusetts Right To Know

78-10-4	Ethyl silicate
8009-03-8	Petroleum (C>25)

15.3 Details of international registration status

Relevant information about individual substance inventories, where available, is given below.

Japan ..... :	**ENCS** (Handbook of Existing and New Chemical Substances): This product is listed in, or complies with, the substance inventory.
Australia ..... :	**AIIC** (Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals): This product is listed in, or complies with, the substance inventory.
China..... :	**IECSC** (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China): This product is listed in, or complies with, the substance inventory.
Canada ..... :	**DSL** (Domestic Substance List): This product is listed in, or complies with, the substance inventory.
Philippines..... :	**PICCS** (Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances): This product is listed in, or complies with, the substance inventory.
United States of America (USA)..... :	**TSCA** (Toxic Substance Control Act Chemical Substance Inventory): All components of this product are listed as active or are in compliance with the substance inventory.
Taiwan ..... :	**TCSI** (Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory): This product is listed in, or complies with, the substance inventory. General note: The Taiwanese chemicals regulation requires a phase 1 registration for TCSI-listed or TCSI-compliant substances if imports to Taiwan or manufacturing in Taiwan exceed the trigger quantity of 100 kg/a (for mixtures to be calculated per each ingredient). It is the duty of the importing/manufacturing legal entity to take care of this obligation.
European Economic Area (EEA)..... :	**REACH** (Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006): General note: the registration obligations for substances imported into the EEA or manufactured within the EEA by the supplier mentioned in section 1 are fulfilled by the said supplier. The registration obligations for substances imported into the EEA by customers or other downstream users must be fulfilled by the latter.
South Korea (Republic of Korea) ..... :	**AREC** (Act on Registration and Evaluation of Chemicals; “K-REACH”): Please approach your regular contact for more detailed information.

16. Other information

16.1 Additional information:

This Safety Data Sheet (SDS) meets the requirements of the Federal OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).This information relates to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process. Such information is to the best of our knowledge and belief accurate and reliable as of the date compiled. However, no representation, warranty or guarantee expressed or implied, is made as to its accuracy, reliability or completeness. It is the user's responsibility to satisfy himself as to the suitability and completeness of such information for his own particular use. We do not accept liability for any loss or damage that may occur from the use of this information. Nothing herein shall be construed as a recommendation for uses which infringe valid patents or as extending a license under valid patents. This SDS provides selected regulatory information on this product, including its components. This is not intended to include all regulations. It is the responsibility of the user to know and comply with all applicable rules, regulations and laws relating to the product being used.

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WACKER restricts the use of its products inside the human body or in contact with bodily fluids and mucosa. For further details please review our Health Care Policy on www.wacker.com. WACKER may cancel any delivery obligation(s) if the Health Care Policy is not observed.

16.2 Glossary of Terms:

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
DOT - Department of Transportation
hPa - Hectopascals
mPa*s - Milli Pascal-Seconds
OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PEL - Permissible Exposure Limit
ppm - Parts per Million
SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
STEL - Short Term Exposure Limit
TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act
TWA - Time Weighted Average

Flash point determination methods	**Common name**
ASTM D56	Tagliabue (Tag) closed cup
ASTM D92, DIN 51376, ISO 2592	Cleveland open cup
ASTM D93, DIN 51758, ISO 2719	Pensky-Martens closed cup
ASTM D3278, DIN 55680, ISO 3679	Setaflash or Rapid closed cup
DIN 51755	Abel-Pensky closed cup

16.3 Conversion table:

Pressure: 1 hPa * 0.75 = 1 mm Hg = 1 torr; 1 bar = 1000 hPa
Viscosity: 1 mPa*s = 1 centipoise (cP)