

Safety data sheet

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Rheovis® HS 1980

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant identified uses: Raw material, for industrial use only

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company:

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

International emergency number:

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SECTION 2: Hazards Identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

For the classification of the mixture the following methods have been applied: extrapolation on the concentration levels of the hazardous substances, on basis of test results and after evaluation of experts. The methodologies used are mentioned at the respective test results.

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According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567

No need for classification according to GHS criteria for this product.

2.2. Label elements

According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567

The product does not require a hazard warning label in accordance with GHS criteria.

According to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]

Labeling of special preparations (GHS):

EUH208: May produce an allergic reaction. Contains: mixture of: 5-chloro-2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one and 2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one

2.3. Other hazards

According to GB-CLP Regulations UK SI 2019/720 and UK SI 2020/1567

Product does not contain a substance above legal limits included in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 for having endocrine disrupting properties or is identified to have endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605.

The product is under certain conditions capable of dust explosion.

The product does not contain a substance above legal limits fulfilling the PBT (persistent/bioaccumulative/toxic) criteria or the vPvB (very persistent/very bioaccumulative) criteria.

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

Chemical nature

Polymer based on: acrylic ester, methacrylic ester, copolymer

Hazardous ingredients (GHS)

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| mixture of: 5-chloro-2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one and 2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one

Content (W/W): ≥ 1.5 PPM - < 15 PPM	Acute Tox. 3 (oral)
CAS Number: 55965-84-9	Acute Tox. 2 (Inhalation - mist)
REACH registration number: 01-2120764691-48	Acute Tox. 2 (dermal)
INDEX-Number: 613-167-00-5	Skin Corr./Irrit. 1C
	Eye Dam./Irrit. 1
	Skin Sens. 1A
	Aquatic Acute 1
	Aquatic Chronic 1
	M-factor acute: 100
	M-factor chronic: 100
	H301, H317, H314, H310 + H330, H400, H410
	EUH071
	<u>Specific concentration limit:</u>
	Skin Corr./Irrit. 1C: ≥ 0.6 %
	Skin Sens. 1A: ≥ 0.0015 %
	Eye Dam./Irrit. 1: ≥ 0.6 %
	Skin Corr./Irrit. 2: $0.06 - < 0.6$ %
	Eye Dam./Irrit. 2: $0.06 - < 0.6$ %

For the classifications not written out in full in this section, including the hazard classes and the hazard statements, the full text is listed in section 16.

SECTION 4: First-Aid Measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Remove contaminated clothing.

If inhaled:

If difficulties occur after dust has been inhaled, remove to fresh air and seek medical attention.

On skin contact:

Wash thoroughly with soap and water

On contact with eyes:

Immediately wash affected eyes for at least 15 minutes under running water with eyelids held open, consult an eye specialist.

On ingestion:

Immediately rinse mouth and then drink 200-300 ml of water, seek medical attention.

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

Symptoms: (Further) symptoms and / or effects are not known so far

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

Treatment: Symptomatic treatment (decontamination, vital functions).

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SECTION 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:

foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder, water spray

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Advice: No particular hazards known.

5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment:

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus.

Further information:

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated extinguishing water in accordance with official regulations.

SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid dust formation. Sources of ignition should be kept well clear.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not release untreated into natural waters.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For small amounts: Pick up in dry form. Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with regulations.

For large amounts: Pick up in dry form. Dispose of absorbed material in accordance with regulations.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Information regarding exposure controls/personal protection and disposal considerations can be found in section 8 and 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and Storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Protection against fire and explosion:

Avoid deposition of dust. Dust can form an explosive mixture with air. Sources of ignition should be kept well clear. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Further information on storage conditions: Keep container tightly closed and dry; store in a cool place.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

For the relevant identified use(s) listed in Section 1 the advice mentioned in this section 7 is to be observed.

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SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

8.1. Control parameters

Components with occupational exposure limits

| No substance specific occupational exposure limits known.

8.2. Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection:

Respiratory protection in case of vapour/aerosol release. Particle filter with medium efficiency for solid and liquid particles (e.g. EN 143 or 149, Type P2 or FFP2)

Hand protection:

Chemical resistant protective gloves (EN ISO 374-1)

Suitable materials also with prolonged, direct contact (Recommended: Protective index 6, corresponding > 480 minutes of permeation time according to EN ISO 374-1):

e.g. nitrile rubber (0.4 mm), chloroprene rubber (0.5 mm), polyvinylchloride (0.7 mm) and other

Supplementary note: The specifications are based on tests, literature data and information of glove manufacturers or are derived from similar substances by analogy. Due to many conditions (e.g. temperature) it must be considered, that the practical usage of a chemical-protective glove in practice may be much shorter than the permeation time determined through testing.

Manufacturer's directions for use should be observed because of great diversity of types.

Eye protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields (frame goggles) (e.g. EN 166)

General safety and hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wearing of closed work clothing is recommended. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form: powder

Colour: white

Odour: pungent odour

Odour threshold:

No data available.

pH value:

4.5 - 6.0

(DIN ISO 976)

(water, 30 %(m))

Melting point:

233 °C

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decomposition point:	310 °C	
Flash point:	No data available.	
Evaporation rate:	The product is a non-volatile solid.	
Flammability:	not flammable	(derived from flash point)
Lower explosion limit:	20 g/m3	
Upper explosion limit:	For liquids not relevant for classification and labelling.	
Ignition temperature:	> 200 °C	
Vapour pressure:	No data available.	
Density:	No data available.	
Relative density:	No data available.	
Relative vapour density (air):	No data available.	
Solubility in water:	soluble	
Solubility (qualitative) :	insoluble	
Partitioning coefficient n-octanol/water (log Kow):	No data available.	
Self ignition:	Temperature: 275 °C	(Method: VDI 2263, sheet 1, 1.4.1 (May 1990))
Thermal decomposition:	No decomposition if used correctly.	
Viscosity, dynamic:	not applicable, the product is a solid	
Explosion hazard:	not explosive	
Fire promoting properties:	not fire-propagating	

9.2. Other information

Self heating ability:	It is not a substance capable of spontaneous heating.	
Minimum ignition energy:	> 30 - < 100 mJ	(DIN EN 13821)
	Inductivity: 0.1 mH	
Bulk density:	300 - 500 kg/m3 (20 °C)	(DIN EN ISO 60)
Miscibility with water:	completely (e.g. >=90%)	
Grain size distribution:	No data available.	
Solids content:	>= 97.0 %	(DIN EN ISO 3251)

SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No hazardous reactions if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

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10.2. Chemical stability

The product is stable if stored and handled as prescribed/indicated.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Dust explosion hazard.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Avoid extreme temperatures. Avoid dust formation.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Substances to avoid:

No substances known that should be avoided.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products:

No data available.

SECTION 11: Toxicological Information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Assessment of acute toxicity:

Virtually nontoxic after a single ingestion. Virtually nontoxic after a single skin contact. Virtually nontoxic by inhalation. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Experimental/calculated data:

ATE other (oral): > 5,000 mg/kg (calculated)

| ATE (dermal): > 5,000 mg/kg (calculated)

Irritation

Assessment of irritating effects:

Not irritating to eyes and skin. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Experimental/calculated data:

Skin corrosion/irritation

rabbit:

not determined

Serious eye damage/irritation

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rabbit:
not determined

Respiratory/Skin sensitization

Assessment of sensitization:

A sensitizing effect on particularly sensitive individuals cannot be excluded. The product has not been tested. The statement has been derived from the properties of the individual components.

Experimental/calculated data:
not determined

Germ cell mutagenicity

Assessment of mutagenicity:

The chemical structure does not suggest a specific alert for such an effect.

Carcinogenicity

Assessment of carcinogenicity:

The whole of the information assessable provides no indication of a carcinogenic effect.

Reproductive toxicity

Assessment of reproduction toxicity:

Not expected to cause reproductive toxicity (based on composition).

Developmental toxicity

Assessment of teratogenicity:

Based on the ingredients, there is no suspicion of a teratogenic effect.

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Remarks: No data available.

Repeated dose toxicity and Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

Experimental/calculated data:

Not expected to cause chronic toxic effects.

Aspiration hazard

No aspiration hazard expected.

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Other relevant toxicity information

Based on our experience and the information available, no adverse health effects are expected if handled as recommended with suitable precautions for designated uses.

SECTION 12: Ecological Information

12.1. Toxicity

Assessment of aquatic toxicity:

There is a high probability that the product is not acutely harmful to aquatic organisms.

Toxicity to fish:

LC50 (96 h), Fish (other)
not determined

Aquatic invertebrates:

LC50 (48 h), daphnia (other)
not determined

Aquatic plants:

EC50 (72 h), algae (other)
not determined

Microorganisms/Effect on activated sludge:

EC50 (0.5 h), bacteria (other)
not determined

Chronic toxicity to fish:

No data available.

Chronic toxicity to aquatic invertebrates:

No data available.

Assessment of terrestrial toxicity:

No data available concerning terrestrial toxicity.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Assessment biodegradation and elimination (H₂O):

The product can be virtually eliminated from water by abiotic processes e.g. adsorption onto activated sludge.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Assessment bioaccumulation potential:

The product has not been tested.

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12.4. Mobility in soil

Assessment transport between environmental compartments:

Volatility: No data available.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

According to Annex XIII of Regulation (EC) No.1907/2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH): The product does not contain a substance fulfilling the PBT (persistent/bioaccumulative/toxic) criteria or the vPvB (very persistent/very bioaccumulative) criteria.

12.6. Other adverse effects

The product does not contain substances that are listed in Regulation (EC) 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer.

12.7. Additional information

Add. remarks environm. fate & pathway:

Treatment in biological waste water treatment plants has to be performed according to local and administrative regulations.

Other ecotoxicological advice:

Do not release untreated into natural waters. The inhibition of the degradation activity of activated sludge is not anticipated when introduced to biological treatment plants in appropriate low concentrations. The local regulations on waste-water treatment must be followed.

SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Must be sent to a suitable incineration plant, observing local regulations.

A waste code in accordance with the European waste catalog (EWC) cannot be specified, due to dependence on the usage.

Observe national and local legal requirements.

The UK Environmental Protection (Duty of Care) Regulations (EP) and amendments should be noted (United Kingdom).

This product and any uncleaned containers must be disposed of as hazardous waste in accordance with the 2005 Hazardous Waste Regulations and amendments (United Kingdom)

SECTION 14: Transport Information

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Land transport

ADR

	Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations
UN number or ID number:	Not applicable
UN proper shipping name:	Not applicable
Transport hazard class(es):	Not applicable
Packing group:	Not applicable
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable
Special precautions for user	None known

RID

	Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations
UN number or ID number:	Not applicable
UN proper shipping name:	Not applicable
Transport hazard class(es):	Not applicable
Packing group:	Not applicable
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable
Special precautions for user	None known

Inland waterway transport

ADN

	Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations
UN number or ID number:	Not applicable
UN proper shipping name:	Not applicable
Transport hazard class(es):	Not applicable
Packing group:	Not applicable
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable
Special precautions for user:	None known

Transport in inland waterway vessel

Not evaluated

Sea transport

IMDG

	Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations
UN number or ID number:	Not applicable
UN proper shipping name:	Not applicable
Transport hazard class(es):	Not applicable
Packing group:	Not applicable
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable

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Special precautions for user None known

Air transport

IATA/ICAO

	Not classified as a dangerous good under transport regulations
UN number or ID number:	Not applicable
UN proper shipping name:	Not applicable
Transport hazard class(es):	Not applicable
Packing group:	Not applicable
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable
Special precautions for user	None known

14.1. UN number or ID number

See corresponding entries for "UN number or ID number" for the respective regulations in the tables above.

14.2. UN proper shipping name

See corresponding entries for "UN proper shipping name" for the respective regulations in the tables above.

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

See corresponding entries for "Transport hazard class(es)" for the respective regulations in the tables above.

14.4. Packing group

See corresponding entries for "Packing group" for the respective regulations in the tables above.

14.5. Environmental hazards

See corresponding entries for "Environmental hazards" for the respective regulations in the tables above.

14.6. Special precautions for user

See corresponding entries for "Special precautions for user" for the respective regulations in the tables above.

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Maritime transport in bulk is not intended.

SECTION 15: Regulatory Information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

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Prohibitions, Restrictions and Authorizations

Annex XVII of Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006: Number on List: 75

Directive 2012/18/EU - Control of Major Accident Hazards involving dangerous substances (EU):

Listed in above regulation: no

Classification applies for standard conditions of temperature and pressure.

If other regulatory information applies that is not already provided elsewhere in this safety data sheet, then it is described in this subsection.

The data should be considered when making any assessment under the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH), and related guidance, for example, 'COSHH Essentials' (United Kingdom).

15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

Chemical Safety Assessment not required

SECTION 16: Other Information

Any other intended applications should be discussed with the manufacturer.

Full text of the classifications, including the hazard classes and the hazard statements, if mentioned in section 2 or 3:

Acute Tox.	Acute toxicity
Skin Corr./Irrit.	Skin corrosion/irritation
Eye Dam./Irrit.	Serious eye damage/eye irritation
Skin Sens.	Skin sensitization
Aquatic Acute	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - acute
Aquatic Chronic	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - chronic
H301	Toxic if swallowed.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H310 + H330	Fatal in contact with skin or if inhaled.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
EUH071	Corrosive to the respiratory tract.

Abbreviations

ADR = The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road.
 ADN = The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland waterways. ATE = Acute Toxicity Estimates. CAO = Cargo Aircraft Only. CAS = Chemical Abstract Service. CLP = Classification, Labelling and Packaging of substances and mixtures. DIN = German national organization for standardization. DNEL = Derived No Effect Level. EC50 = Effective

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concentration median for 50% of the population. EC = European Community. EN = European Standards. IARC = International Agency for Research on Cancer. IATA = International Air Transport Association. IBC-Code = Intermediate Bulk Container code. IMDG = International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code. ISO = International Organization for Standardization. STEL = Short-Term Exposure Limit. LC50 = Lethal concentration median for 50% of the population. LD50 = Lethal dose median for 50% of the population. TLV = Threshold Limit Value. MARPOL = The International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships. NEN = Dutch Norm. NOEC = No Observed Effect Concentration. OEL = Occupational Exposure Limit. OECD = Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development. PBT = Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic. PNEC = Predicted No Effect Level. PPM = Parts per million. RID = The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail. TWA = Time Weight Average. UN-number = UN number at transport. vPvB = very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative.

The data contained in this safety data sheet are based on our current knowledge and experience and describe the product only with regard to safety requirements. This safety data sheet is neither a Certificate of Analysis (CoA) nor technical data sheet and shall not be mistaken for a specification agreement. Identified uses in this safety data sheet do neither represent an agreement on the corresponding contractual quality of the substance/mixture nor a contractually designated use. It is the responsibility of the recipient of the product to ensure any proprietary rights and existing laws and legislation are observed.

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