

# SAFETY DATA SHEET According to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 and 453/2010 (REACH)

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE AND COMPANY

Trademark: XENOY™ Product Code: CL101 - 78211

Product Description: Blend Polycarbonate [CASRN 25971-63-5] / Polybutyleneterephthalate [CASRN

30965-26-5]

Product Type: Commercial Product

Recommended use: May be used to produce molded or extruded articles or as a component of other industrial

products.

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

The additives in this product are bound in a thermoplastic resin matrix. In accordance with GHS for the classification of the product, the hazard potential may be assessed with respect to the physico-chemical form and/or bioavailability of the individual components in the thermoplastic resin.

Where GHS classifications are shown below, these are based on the individual components in the thermoplastic resin matrix. Under the typical use conditions for the resin, these hazardous components are unlikely to contribute to workplace exposure. Please read the entire safety data sheet and/or consult an EHS professional for a complete understanding.

Classification of the substance or mixture

REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Not hazardous Not classified

Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

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In 1995, the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) concluded that there is "sufficient evidence in experimental animals for the carcinogenicity of carbon black." IARC's overall evaluation was that "Carbon black is possibly carcinogenic to humans (2B)." In 2006, IARC re-affirmed this classification. There has been no causal link between carbon black exposure and cancer risk in humans. Applying the rules of the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling (GHS, e.g. UN 'Purple Book', EU CLP Regulation) the results of repeated dose toxicity and carcinogenicity studies in animals do not lead to classification of Carbon Black for Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated exposure) and carcinogenicity. UN GHS says, that even if adverse effects are seen in animal studies or in-vitro tests, no classification is needed if the mechanism or mode of action is not relevant to humans. The European CLP Regulation also mentions, that no classification is indicated if the mechanism is not relevant to humans. Furthermore, the CLP guidance on classification and labelling states, that "lung overload" in animals is listed under mechanism not relevant to humans.

## CLP/GHS-Labeling

GHS Labeling not required

#### **Precautionary Statements**

No GHS specific Precautionary Statements required - observe all other warnings and handling instructions in this SDS.

Other hazards which do not result in classification:

#### **SABIC Emergency Overview**

- · Pellets with slight or no odor
- · Spilled material may create slipping hazard
- · Can burn in a fire creating dense, toxic smoke
- Molten plastic can cause severe thermal burns
- Fumes produced during melt processing may cause eye, skin, and respiratory tract irritation. Severe over-exposure may result in nausea, headache, chills, and fever. See below for additional effects.
- Secondary operations, such as grinding, sanding, or sawing can produce dust which may present an explosion or respiratory hazard.

Other Information: Cool skin rapidly with cold water after contact with molten material. Heating can release

hazardous gases. Hazardous fumes can also occur in post-processing operations.

**Processing Issues:** Processing vapors may cause irritation to the eyes, skin, and respiratory tract. In cases of severe exposure, nausea and headache can also occur. Grease-like processing vapor

condensates on ventilation ductwork, molds, and other surfaces can cause irritation and

injury to skin.

Aggravated Medical Conditions: MEDICAL RESTRICTIONS: There are no known health effects aggravated by exposure to

this product. However, certain sensitive individuals and individuals with respiratory impairments may be affected by exposure to components in the processing vapors.

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## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**Product Type** 

Mixture

#### **HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS:**

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Weight %	Classification (67/548/EEC):	GHS Classification (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]:
Carbon black	1333-86-4	0.3-1.0		
Tetrahydrofuran	109-99-9	0.1-0.3	Classification: F; R11, R19 Xi; R36/37, R40	Flam. Liq. 2 (H225) Eye Irrit. 2 (H319) STOT SE 3 (H335) Carc. 2 (H351)

#### For the full text of the H-phrases, if mentioned in this section, see Section 16.

The non-hazardous components and exact percentage (concentration) of the composition have been withheld as a trade secret.

This product consists primarily of high molecular weight polymers which are not expected to be hazardous. The ingredients in this product are present within the polymer matrix and are not expected to be hazardous.

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

If Inhalation: Move to fresh air in case of accidental inhalation of fumes from overheating or combustion

If symptoms persist, call a physician

On skin contact: Immediately cool the skin by rinsing with cold water after contact with hot material Wash off

immediately with soap and plenty of water Consult a physician

On contact with eyes: Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and

continue flushing for at least 15 minutes If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist

On ingestion: No hazards which require special first aid measures

Precautions: Cool molten product on skin with plenty of water. Do not remove solidified product Do not

peel polymer from the skin

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# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Autoignition Temperature:** 

360°C (680°F) estimated

**Explosive Limits** 

upper:

Not determined

lower:

Not determined

Suitable Extinguishing Media:

Water spray mist or foam Use dry chemical, CO2, water spray or "alcohol" foam. Water is the best extinguishing medium. Carbon dioxide and dry chemical are not generally recommended because their lack of cooling capacity may permit re-ignition on larger resin fires (blobs, drools, etc.)

for Safety Reasons:

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media Carbon dioxide and dry chemical are not recommended because their lack of cooling capacity may permit re-ignition Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire

**Hazardous Decomposition** 

**Products:** 

Fire will produce dense black smoke containing hazardous combustion products carbon

oxides hydrocarbons fragments

**Hazards from Combustion** 

**Products:** 

Fire will produce dense black smoke containing hazardous combustion products, carbon

oxides, hydrocarbon fragments.

**Special Protective Equipment** 

for Firefighters:

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus (EU: NEN-EN137)

Take precautionary measures against static discharges During processing, dust may form **Specific Hazards:** 

explosive mixture in air Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and

vapors

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Clean up:

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Do not create a powder cloud by

using a brush or compressed air.

**Personal Precautions:** 

See section 8.

**Environmental Precautions:** 

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Material should not be released

into the environment.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices. Provide for

appropriate exhaust ventilation and dust collection at machinery. Avoid dust formation. All

metal parts of the mixing and processing equipment must be earthed.

Store in closed container in a dry and cool area. Keep away from heat sources and sources Storage:

of ignition.

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## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure limits:
Chemical Name

No components with information, unless noted below

France INRS (VME)
Netherlands OEL - MAC

UK EH40 MEL (TWA)

Spain - Valores Limite Ambientales - VLE

Denmark TWA Data - Threshold Limit Values (TLV):

Sweden Threshold Limit Values Data -

Portugal - TWAs

Norway Exposure Limit Values Data - Threshold Limit

Value:

Ireland Exposure Limit Values Data - Time Weighted

Average (TWA): Greece - OEL

Finland Exposure Limit Values Data - Time Weighted

Average (TWA): Italy - OEL Chemical Name

SABIC Recommend (8 Hr)\*

**EU STEL** 

Germany (DFG) - MAK

Netherlands OEL - MAC UK EH40 MEL (TWA)

Spain - Valores Limite Ambientales - VLE

Denmark TWA Data - Threshold Limit Values (TLV):

Switzerland SUVA Limit Values at the Workplace Data - Time Weighted Average (TWA):

Sweden Threshold Limit Values Data -

Portugal - TWAs

Norway Exposure Limit Values Data - Threshold Limit

Value:

Ireland Exposure Limit Values Data - Time Weighted Average (TWA):

Greece - OEL

Finland Exposure Limit Values Data - Time Weighted

Average (TWA): Luxembourg

Italy - OEL

**Carbon black 1333-86-4** 3.5 MGM3 3.5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

WEL\_TWA: 3.5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>; WEL\_STEL: 7 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

VLA-ED: 3.5 mg/m³ ANM: p\_K ; GR: 3.5 mg/m³ NGV: 3 MGM3 totaldamm

VLE-MP: 3.5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>; NOT: A\_4; FUND: Pulmão

KONS: 3.5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

TWA 3.5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>; STEL 7 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

DT\_1 3.5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>; DT\_2 7 mg/m<sup>3</sup> HTP\_8: 3.5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>; HTP\_15: 7 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

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Tetrahydrofuran 109-99-9

50 ppm TWA 300 MGM3 100 ppm

ARBEIT: 150 mg/m<sup>3</sup> , 50 ml/m<sup>3</sup> (ppm) ; SPITZ: 2(I) ; BEM: DFG ,

p\_H , p\_Y

WNG\_8: 300 mg/m³; WNB\_15: 600 mg/m³; Notatie: Skin WEL\_TWA: 150 mg/m³, 50 ppm; WEL\_STEL: 300 mg/m³, 100

ppm; p\_R: R11, R36/37, R19; COMMENTS: SKIN

VLA-ED: 50 ppm , 150 mg/m³ ; VLA-EC: 100 ppm , 300 mg/m³ ; NOTAS: dermica , VLB , VLI ; p\_FR: R11 , R19 , R36/37

ANM: p\_E , p\_H ; GR: 148 mg/m<sup>3</sup> , 50 ppm GRL: 50 ppm ; ANM:

p\_H

MAK\_Wert: 50 ppm , 150 mg/m³ ; Kurz\_Wert: 100 ppm , 300 mg/m³ ; HSB: p\_H , p\_B ; Kol\_SS: Grp\_C ; Zeitl.: 4x15 min KTV: 250 MGM3 , 80 PPM ; NGV: 150 MGM3 , 50 PPM VLE-CD: 250 ppm ; VLE-MP: 200 ppm ; NOT: IBE; FUND:

Irritação, Narcose

KONS: 50 ppm, 150 mg/m<sup>3</sup>; Anm: H (SKIN)

TWA 40 ppm , 118 mg/m $^{\!3}$  ; STEL 100 ppm , 295 mg/m $^{\!3}$  ; NOT

IOELV, Skin

DT\_1 200 ppm , 590 mg/m $^3$  ; DT\_2 250 ppm , 735 mg/m $^3$  HTP\_8: 50 ppm , 150 mg/m $^3$  ; HTP\_15: 100 ppm , 300 mg/m $^3$  ;

HOU: iho (SKIN); R-lauseet: R11, R19, R36/37

Valeurs limites - 8 heures 150 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 50 ppm; Valeurs limites -

Court terme 300 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, 100 ppm; Note: Peau

VL-8: 50 PPM, 150 MGM3; VL-15: 100 PPM, 300 MGM3;

NOT: Pelle (SKIN)

\*SABIC Recommended Exposure Limits have been established for certain chemicals.

**Engineering Measures** 

toExposure:

In the case of hazardous fumes, wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear face-shield and protective suit for abnormal processing problems. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Provide for appropriate exhaust ventilation at machinery. Polybutyleneterephthalate fumes and condensates may contain trace quantities

of tetrahydrofuran (typically less than 1 ppm, see section 2, 3 and 11).

**Hand Protection:** 

Protective gloves should be worn. (EU: NEN-EN 374).

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**Eye Protection:** Safety glasses with side-shields. (EU: NEN-EN 165-166).

**Respiratory Protection:** In the case of hazardous fumes, wear self contained breathing apparatus. In case of

insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory equipment. (EU: NEN-EN149).

**Body Protection:** Long sleeved clothing. (EU: NEN-EN 340-369-465).

**Hygiene Measures:** When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State: Solid Appearance: Pellets

Color: Varies Same as color code

Odor: None

Melting point/range: Various

**Autoignition Temperature:** 360°C (680°F) estimated

Vapor Pressure: Negligible

Water Solubility: Insoluble Evaporation Rate: Negligible

Specific gravity: >1; (water = 1)
VOC content (%): Negligible

**Explosive Limits** 

upper: Not determined lower: Not determined

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable under ambient conditions. Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Conditions to Avoid: Avoid temperatures above 630°C. To avoid thermal decomposition, avoid elevated

temperatures. Heating can result in the formation of gaseous decomposition products,

some of which may be hazardous.

**Hazardous Decomposition** 

**Products:** 

Traces of phenol, alkylphenols, diarylcarbonates, tetrahydrofuran (THF).

**Incompatible Products:** Strong acids, strong oxidizing agents.

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#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**LD50/oral/rat:** >5000 mg/kg

**LD50/dermal/rabbit:** >2000 mg/kg

Subchronic Toxicity: No information available

**Primary Irritation:** Substance does not generally irritate and is only mildly irritating to the skin

IARC: Not listed

OSHA: Not regulated

NTP: Not tested Tetrahydrofuran: In 2-year carcinogenicity bioassays conducted by the National

Toxicology Program (NTP), mice and rats (50/sex/group) were exposed to concentrations of 0, 200, 600, or 1,800 ppm via inhalation 6 hours/day, 5 days/week for 104 weeks. Under the conditions of these 2-year inhalation studies, there was some evidence of carcinogenic activity of tetrahydrofuran in male F344/N rats based on increased incidences of renal tubule adenoma or carcinoma (combined) at 600 and 1,800 ppm. There was no evidence of carcinogenic activity of tetrahydrofuran in female F344/N rats exposed to 200, 600, or 1,800 ppm or male B6C3F1 mice exposed to 200, 600, or 1,800 ppm. There was clear evidence of carcinogenic activity of tetrahydrofuran in female B6C3F1 mice based on increased

incidences of hepatocellular neoplasms observed at 1,800 ppm.

**Remarks:** The toxicological data has been taken from products of similar composition

Special Studies: PROCESSING FUMES: Processing fumes evolved at recommended processing

conditions may contain trace amounts of tetrahydrofuran (typically less than 1 ppm). Extreme processing conditions or temperatures may result in higher levels. See section 8 for appropriate exposure controls and personal protection. In 2-year carcinogenicity bioassays conducted by the National Toxicology Program (NTP), mice and rats

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black exposure and cancer risk in humans has been demonstrated.

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## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity Effects:** Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

Ecotoxicity - Invertebrate Data: Ecological damages are not known or expected under normal use.

Germany VCI (WGK): 0

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste from residues / unused

products:

Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration. Dispose of in accordance

with local regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging:** 

Empty containers should be transported/delivered using a registered waste carrier for local

recycling or waste disposal.

EWC waste disposal no:

702 - waste from the manufacture, formulation, supply and use of plastics, synthetic rubber

and man-made fibres.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**Transport Classification:** 

Not regulated as hazardous for shipment, unless noted below, under current transportation

guidelines.

DOT

ADR/RID/ADN

<u>IMDG</u>

**ICAO** 

IATA-DGR

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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

This substance is classified and labelled according to Annex I of Directive 67/548/EEC, as amended.

#### International Inventories:

TSCA (USA): Listed DSL (Canada): Listed **EINECS/ELINCS (Europe):** Listed ENCS (Japan): Listed IECSC (China): Listed KECL (Korea): Listed PICCS (Philippines): Listed AICS (Australia): Listed NZIoC (New Zealand): Listed

**REACH Information:** For this product's REACH related information, please contact webinquiries@sabic-ip.com

#### Other Inventory Information:

A "Listed" entry above means all chemical components are on the respective inventory list and/or a qualifying exemption exists for one or more components. A "Not listed" entry above indicates one or more components is restricted from import or manufacture into that country/region. Articles are exempt from registration and are therefore not listed on the national chemical inventories.

#### SVHC (REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 and 453/2010, as amended):

This product does not intentionally contain SVHC chemicals except as noted below. Incidental amounts of impurities, if present, would be below the threshold limit of 0.1% by weight.

#### **California Proposition 65:**

Components in this product known to the State of California to cause cancer and/or reproductive effects, are listed below:

Chemical Name	Weight %	California Proposition 65:
Carbon black	0.3-1.0	Listed: February 21, 2003 Carcinogenic. (airborne, unbound particles of respirable
1333-86-4		size)
4-Vinylcyclohexene	<100 ppm	Listed: May 1, 1996 Carcinogenic.
100-40-3		
Butadiene	<100 ppm	Type of Toxicity: cancer; Type of Reproductive Toxicity: developmental, female, male
106-99-0	, ,	

#### RoHS EU Directive 2011/65/EU:

The subject product is in compliance with EU RoHS Directive 2011/65/EU. All below chemicals are not employed in the manufacture of the product: a.Cadmium and its compounds, b.Lead and its compounds, c.Mercury and its compounds, d.Hexavalent chromium compounds, e.Polybrominated biphenyls (PBBs), f.Polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDEs including Deca-BDE). The trace levels of heavy metals may be present as impurities within threshold limits (<0.1% for Pb, Hg, Cr VI, and <0.01% for Cd). We are disclosing this information, to the best of our knowledge, based upon data from our raw material manufacturers.

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

## Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3

H225 - Highly flammable liquid and vapor

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

H351 - Suspected of causing cancer in contact with skin

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#### SDS Scope:

Europe: Conforms to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), Annex II, as amended by Regulation (EU) No. 453/2010. This document is also applicable in other countries and regions.

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**End of Safety Data Sheet** 

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