

# Safety data sheet

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

### 1.1 Product identifier

**Trade name:** Seal-Tite Bow String Wax

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

**Application of the substance / the preparation:** Wax for cord

### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
The Bohning Company Ltd.  
7361 N. Seven Mile Rd.  
Lake City, MI 49651  
USA  
Phone: (231) 229-4247  
Fax: (231) 229-4615

### Further information obtainable from:

Regulatory Support:  
B-Lands Consulting  
Tel: +33 476 295 869 ; [www.reachteam.eu](http://www.reachteam.eu)

### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

UK - National Poisons Emergency: +44 870 600 6266 (24h - health professionals only)  
Ireland - National Poisons Information Centre: +353 1 8379964

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

The product is not classified according to the CLP regulation.

#### Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC

This product is not classified as dangerous according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC.

#### Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:

The product does not have to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.

#### Classification system:

The classification is according to the latest editions of the EU-lists, and extended by company and literature data.

### 2.2 Label elements

**Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008:** Not applicable.

**Hazard pictograms:** Not applicable.

**Signal word:** Not applicable.

**Hazard statements:** Not applicable.

### 2.3 Other hazards: No further relevant information available.

#### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

**PBT:** Not applicable.

**vPvB:** Not applicable.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2 Chemical characterization (Mixtures)

**Description:** Mixture consisting of the following components.

**Dangerous components:** Not applicable.

#### Non-dangerous components

CAS: 9002-88-4	Poly(ethylene)	50-100%
EINECS: 200-815-3	Ethene, homopolymer	

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CAS: 63148-62-9 EC number: 613-156-5	Polydimethylsiloxane	(Contd. of page 1) 2.5-10%
CAS: 57-11-4 EINECS: 200-313-4	stearic acid, pure	10-25%

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

**General information:** No special measures required.

**After inhalation:**

Supply fresh air. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.

Not at ambient condition, if heated to decomposition, fumes may result in respiratory irritation.

**After skin contact:**

Generally the product does not irritate the skin.

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

**After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

**After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.

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

No further relevant information available.

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

No further relevant information available.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

**Suitable extinguishing agents:**

CO<sub>2</sub>, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray.

Foam

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No further relevant information available.

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

**Protective equipment:**

Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

Fumes may be irritating if not burning and require air supply with goggles while applying large amounts of water or dry chemical extinguisher.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

Ensure adequate ventilation

Keep away from ignition sources.

Wear protective clothing.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

No special measures required.

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

Spilled material should be absorbed onto an inert material and scooped up with a non sparking material.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

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Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.  
Wash thoroughly after handling.

**Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.**7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities****Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.**Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.**Further information about storage conditions:** None.**7.3 Specific end use(s):** No further relevant information available.**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection****8.1 Control parameters****Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

**Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.**8.2 Exposure controls****Personal protective equipment****General protective and hygienic measures:**

The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals.  
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing  
Shower or take a bath at the end of work.

**Respiratory protection:** Use suitable respiratory protective device in case of insufficient ventilation.**Protection of hands:**

Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.  
Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

**Material of gloves:**

Rubber gloves  
Nitrile rubber, NBR  
Neoprene gloves

**Penetration time of glove material:**

The exact break through time must be determined by the manufacturer of the protective gloves.

**Eye protection:**

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

Face protection

**Body protection:** Protective work clothing**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties****9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties****General Information****Appearance:**

**Form:** Not determined.

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<b>Colour:</b>	White
<b>Odour:</b>	Waxy odour
<b>Odour threshold:</b>	Not determined.
<b>pH-value:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Melting point/Melting range:</b>	Undetermined.
<b>Boiling point/Boiling range:</b>	Undetermined.
<b>Flash point:</b>	> 204°C
	Not applicable.
<b>Flammability (solid, gaseous):</b>	Not determined.
<b>Ignition temperature:</b>	
<b>Decomposition temperature:</b>	Not determined.
<b>Self-igniting:</b>	Product is not selfigniting.
<b>Danger of explosion:</b>	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
<b>Explosion limits:</b>	
<b>Lower:</b>	Not determined.
<b>Upper:</b>	Not determined.
<b>Vapour pressure:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Density:</b>	Not determined.
<b>Relative density</b>	>1 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
<b>Vapour density</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Solubility in / Miscibility with water:</b>	Miscible
<b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b>	Not determined.
<b>Viscosity:</b>	
<b>Dynamic:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Kinematic:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Organic solvents:</b>	0.0 %

**9.2 Other information** No further relevant information available.

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

**10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

#### Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:

No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.

**10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Keep away from reducing agents.

Keep away from heat and direct sunlight.

**10.5 Incompatible materials** Avoid strong oxidants, strong alkalis and strong acids.

**10.6 Hazardous decomposition products** Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

#### LD/LC50 values:

#### 57-11-4 stearic acid, pure

Dermal	LD50	>5000 mg/kg (rabbit)
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#### Primary irritant effect:

**on the skin:** No irritant effect.

**on the eye:** No irritating effect.

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**Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.**Additional toxicological information:**

The product is not subject to classification according to the calculation method of the General EU Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version.

When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects to our experience and the information provided to us.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

**12.1 Toxicity****Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.**12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.**12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.**12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.**General notes:** Generally not hazardous for water**12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment****PBT:** Not applicable.**vPvB:** Not applicable.**12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

**13.1 Waste treatment methods****Recommendation:** Do not allow product to reach sewage system.**Uncleaned packaging****Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

**14.1 UN Number**

ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA Not applicable.

**14.2 UN proper shipping name**

ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA Not applicable.

**14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**

ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA  
Class Not applicable.

**14.4 Packing group**

ADR, IMDG, IATA Not applicable.

**14.5 Environmental hazards****Marine pollutant:** No**14.6 Special precautions for user** Not applicable.**14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code**

Not applicable.

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

**15.2 Chemical safety assessment** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

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## SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

### Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent