

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

1.1 Product identifier

Product name TENAX AGER FS (FOOD SAFE)

Synonyms AGER FOOD SAFE ● AGER FS

1.2 Uses and uses advised against

Uses SURFACE SEALANT ● SURFACE TREATMENT

1.3 Details of the supplier of the product

Supplier name CDK STONE PTY LTD

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Email <a href="mailto:help@cdkstone.com.au">help@cdkstone.com.au</a>
Website <a href="http://www.cdkstone.com.au">http://www.cdkstone.com.au</a>

1.4 Emergency telephone numbers

Emergency 13 11 26

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

CLASSIFIED AS HAZARDOUS ACCORDING TO SAFE WORK AUSTRALIA CRITERIA

**Physical Hazards** 

Flammable Liquids: Category 3

**Health Hazards** 

Toxic to Reproduction: Category 2

**Environmental Hazards** 

Aquatic Toxicity (Chronic): Category 1

2.2 GHS Label elements

Signal word WARNING

**Pictograms** 







**Hazard statements** 

H226 Flammable liquid and vapour. H361f Suspected of damaging fertility.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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#### **Prevention statements**

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

P233 Keep container tightly closed.

P240 Ground and bond container and receiving equipment. P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.

P242 Use non-sparking tools.

P243 Take action to prevent static discharges. P273 Avoid release to the environment.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. P280

#### Response statements

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention. P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use appropriate media to extinguish.

P391 Collect spillage.

#### Storage statements

P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

P405 Store locked up.

### Disposal statements

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with relevant regulations.

#### 2.3 Other hazards

Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane may have endocrine disrupting effects on humans and cause adverse effects on the exposed individual or their progeny.

Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane is classified as a PBT and vPvB substance.

## 3. COMPOSITION/ INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1 Substances / Mixtures

Ingredient	CAS Number	EC Number	Content
PROPRIETARY INGREDIENT(S)	-	-	Remainder
OCTAMETHYLCYCLOTETRASILOXANE	556-67-2	209-136-7	30 to <50%
METHANOL	67-56-1	200-659-6	0.25 to <0.3%

**Ingredient Notes** 

Ingredients (not listed above) are considered trade secret and determined not to be hazardous, below cut off limits, or do not affect classifications.

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

If in eyes, hold eyelids apart and flush continuously with running water. Continue flushing until advised to Eye

stop by a Poisons Information Centre, a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes.

If inhaled, remove from contaminated area. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing. Inhalation

Skin If skin or hair contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and flush skin and hair with running water.

Continue flushing with water until advised to stop by a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.

Ingestion For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre on 13 11 26 (Australia Wide) or a doctor (at once). If

swallowed, do not induce vomiting.

First aid facilities Eye wash facilities and safety shower should be available.

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

See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

### 4.3 Immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

# 5.1 Extinguishing media

Dry agent, carbon dioxide or foam. Prevent contamination of drains and waterways.



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

Flammable. May evolve toxic gases (carbon/ silicon oxides, formaldehyde, hydrocarbons) when heated to decomposition.

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Evacuate area and contact emergency services. Toxic gases may be evolved in a fire situation. Remain upwind and notify those downwind of hazard. Wear full protective equipment including Self Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) when combating fire. Use waterfog to cool intact containers and nearby storage areas.

#### 5.4 Hazchem code

•3Y

- •3 Alcohol Resistant Foam is the preferred firefighting medium but, if it is not available, normal foam can be used.
- Y Risk of violent reaction or explosion. Wear full fire kit and breathing apparatus. Contain spill and run-off.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Wear Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) as detailed in section 8 of the SDS.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent product from entering drains and waterways.

# 6.3 Methods of cleaning up

Contain spillage, then cover / absorb spill with non-combustible absorbent material (vermiculite, sand, or similar), collect and place in suitable containers for disposal.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

See Sections 8 and 13 for exposure controls and disposal.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Before use carefully read the product label. Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation. Observe good personal hygiene, including washing hands before eating. Prohibit eating, drinking and smoking in contaminated areas.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area, removed from incompatible substances, heat or ignition sources and foodstuffs. Ensure containers are adequately labelled, protected from physical damage and sealed when not in use. Check regularly for leaks or spills. Large storage areas should have appropriate fire protection systems.

### 7.3 Specific end uses

No information provided.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

### **Exposure standards**

Ingredient	Reference	TWA		STEL	
		ppm	mg/m³	ppm	mg/m³
Methanol	SWA [AUS]	200	262	250	328

### **Biological limits**

Ingredient	Reference	Determinant	Sampling Time	BEI
METHANOL	ACGIH BEI	Methanol in urine	End of shift	15 mg/L

# 8.2 Exposure controls

**Engineering controls** 

Avoid inhalation. Use in well ventilated areas. Where an inhalation risk exists, mechanical extraction ventilation is recommended. Maintain vapour levels below the recommended exposure standard.

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**PPE** 

Eye / Face Wear splash-proof goggles.

Hands Wear nitrile or PVC or rubber gloves. When using large quantities or where heavy contamination is likely,

wear Viton® gloves.

When using large quantities or where heavy contamination is likely, wear coveralls. **Body** 

Where an inhalation risk exists, wear a Type A (Organic vapour) respirator. Respiratory





# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

OPAQUE LIQUID **Appearance** 

CHARACTERISTIC ODOUR Odour

**Flammability FLAMMABLE** 

35°C Flash point

**NOT AVAILABLE Boiling point Melting point NOT AVAILABLE NOT AVAILABLE Evaporation rate NOT AVAILABLE** Hq

Vapour density **NOT AVAILABLE** 

Relative density 0.995 **INSOLUBLE** Solubility (water) Vapour pressure NOT AVAILABLE Upper explosion limit NOT AVAILABLE Lower explosion limit NOT AVAILABLE Partition coefficient **NOT AVAILABLE Autoignition temperature NOT AVAILABLE Decomposition temperature NOT AVAILABLE** Viscosity **NOT AVAILABLE Explosive properties NOT AVAILABLE** 

9.2 Other information

**Oxidising properties** 

**Odour threshold** 

VOC 492.62 g/L

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1 Reactivity

Carefully review all information provided in sections 10.2 to 10.6.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended conditions of storage.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerisation is not expected to occur.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Avoid exposure to moisture.

NON OXIDISING

**NOT AVAILABLE** 

## 10.5 Incompatible materials

Incompatible with oxidising agents (e.g. hypochlorites), acids (e.g. nitric acid), alkalis (e.g. sodium hydroxide), heat and ignition sources.

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

May evolve toxic gases (carbon/ silicon oxides, formaldehyde, hydrocarbons) when heated to decomposition.



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### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity Acute exposure may result in nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, diarrhoea, dizziness and drowsiness.

Information available for the ingredients:

Ingredient	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
OCTAMETHYLCYCLOTETRASILOXANE	> 2000 mg/kg (rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (rat)	36 mg/L (rat)
METHANOL	300 mg/kg (human)	15,800 mg/kg (rabbit)	50 g/m³/2 hours (mouse)

SkinContact may result in irritation, redness, pain and rash.EyeContact may result in irritation, lacrimation, pain and redness.SensitisationNot classified as causing skin or respiratory sensitisation.

Mutagenicity Not classified as a mutagen.

Carcinogenicity Not classified as a carcinogen. Formaldehyde may be evolved which is classified as a confirmed human

carcinogen (IARC Group 1).

Reproductive Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane is suspected of damaging fertility.

**STOT - single**Over exposure to vapours may result in irritation of the nose and throat, coughing, nausea and headache.
Acute high level exposure to methanol may lead to visual disturbances, such as blurred or dimness of vision,

leading to blindness. Due to the low levels present, acute affects are not expected from this component.

STOT - repeated

exposure

Not classified as causing organ damage from repeated exposure. However, repeated exposure to low levels of formaldehyde may cause damage to the upper airways, including nasal passages, and result in

gastrointestinal, musculoskeletal and cardiovascular problems. Damage to the optic nerves may occur with repeated exposure to methanol, causing visual problems and possible blindness.

**Aspiration** Not classified as causing aspiration.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1 Toxicity

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Laboratory studies indicate that octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane is not readily biodegradable in aquatic systems, and can persist in sediment

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

The bioconcentration factor (BCF) for octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane in fish is 12,400 l/kg, and so it meets the very bioaccumulative criterion.

## 12.4 Mobility in soil

No information provided.

# 12.5 Other adverse effects

The product contains substances with endocrine disrupting properties in concentration ≥ 0.1%: Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

## 13.1 Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal For small amounts, absorb with sand, vermiculite or similar and dispose of to an approved landfill site.

Contact the manufacturer/supplier for additional information if disposing of large quantities (if required).

**Legislation** Dispose of in accordance with relevant local legislation.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

CLASSIFIED AS A DANGEROUS GOOD BY THE CRITERIA OF THE ADG CODE



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	LAND TRANSPORT (ADG)	SEA TRANSPORT (IMDG / IMO)	AIR TRANSPORT (IATA / ICAO)
14.1 UN Number	1993	1993	1993
14.2 Proper Shipping Name	FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains octamethyltrisiloxane, methanol)	FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains octamethyltrisiloxane, methanol)	FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains octamethyltrisiloxane, methanol)
14.3 Transport hazard class	3	3	3
14.4 Packing Group	III	III	III

#### 14.5 Environmental hazards

Marine Pollutant.

### 14.6 Special precautions for user

 Hazchem code
 ●3Y

 GTEPG
 3A1

 EmS
 F-E, S-E

Other information The environmentally hazardous substance mark is not required when transported in packages of less

than 5 kg/L (UN Model Regulations: Special Provision 375; IATA: Special Provision A197; IMDG:

Special Provision 969) or less than 500 kg/L by Australian Road and Rail.

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

Poison schedule A poison schedule number has not been allocated to this product using the criteria in the Standard for the

Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP).

Classifications Safe Work Australia criteria is based on the Globally Harmonised System (GHS) of Classification and

Labelling of Chemicals (GHS Revision 7).

Inventory listings AUSTRALIA: AllC (Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals)

All components are listed on AIIC, or are exempt.

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### Additional information

RESPIRATORS: In general the use of respirators should be limited and engineering controls employed to avoid exposure. If respiratory equipment must be worn ensure correct respirator selection and training is undertaken. Remember that some respirators may be extremely uncomfortable when used for long periods. The use of air powered or air supplied respirators should be considered where prolonged or repeated use is necessary.

WELDING - SANDING - CUTTING DRIED OR CURED PRODUCT: If sanding, cutting or welding dried or cured product, adverse health effects may be avoided by the use of appropriate engineering controls and/or personal protective equipment. If welding, wear a Class P2 (Metal fume) respirator and depending on the nature of the surface being welded, additional protection (e.g. for organic vapours/acid gas) may also be required. A Class P1 (Particulate) respirator is recommended if dust is generated.

SILICONE SEALANTS: Toxic vapours released upon curing, ie during use, exposure to moisture in the air may result in eye and respiratory tract irritation. A hazard exists when high concentrations are generated in poorly ventilated areas. Once curing is complete, irritating or toxic vapours should no longer be evolved and therefore an inhalation hazard is no longer anticipated. In this cured state the sealant is considered inert and relatively non toxic.

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#### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT GUIDELINES:

The recommendation for protective equipment contained within this report is provided as a guide only. Factors such as form of product, method of application, working environment, quantity used, product concentration and the availability of engineering controls should be considered before final selection of personal protective equipment is made.

#### HEALTH FEFECTS FROM EXPOSURE:

It should be noted that the effects from exposure to this product will depend on several factors including: form of product; frequency and duration of use; quantity used; effectiveness of control measures; protective equipment used and method of application. Given that it is impractical to prepare a report which would encompass all possible scenarios, it is anticipated that users will assess the risks and apply control methods where appropriate.

Abbreviations ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CAS # Chemical Abstract Service number - used to uniquely identify chemical compounds

CNS Central Nervous System

EC No. EC No - European Community Number

EMS Emergency Schedules (Emergency Procedures for Ships Carrying Dangerous

Goods)

GHS Globally Harmonized System

GTEPG Group Text Emergency Procedure Guide IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer

LC50 Lethal Concentration, 50% / Median Lethal Concentration

LD50 Lethal Dose, 50% / Median Lethal Dose

mg/m³ Milligrams per Cubic Metre
OEL Occupational Exposure Limit

pH relates to hydrogen ion concentration using a scale of 0 (high acidic) to 14 (highly

alkaline).

ppm Parts Per Million

STEL Short-Term Exposure Limit

STOT-RE Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)
STOT-SE Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

SUSMP Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

SWA Safe Work Australia
TLV Threshold Limit Value
TWA Time Weighted Average

## Report status

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