



REACH (EC 1907/2006)

The Registration, Evaluation, Authorization, and restriction of Chemicals

REACH, a European Union regulation on chemicals and their safe use, was adopted as a formal regulation in the European Union on June 1, 2007. The legislation addresses the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and restriction of Chemical substances, and creates many obligations on manufacturers and importers of chemical substances into Europe. REACH makes manufacturers and importers of chemical substances responsible for assessing and managing the risks posed by these chemicals, registering those chemicals, and providing the appropriate safety information to their end users.

While Dymax Corporation's (Dymax) chemical mixtures generally do not fall under program regulations for REACH, individual substances within our mixtures, and monomers used to create our oligomers and polymers do. REACH requires volume tracking for substances that Dymax imports, including monomers and additives of polymer mixtures, as well as volume tracking/reporting of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHCs).

Dymax has registered those substances governed by REACH in the centralized database maintained by the European Chemical Agency (ECHA) in Helsinki.

The majority of Dymax products do not contain substances on the REACH SVHC candidate list in concentrations greater than 0.1% by weight, most recently updated as of January 19, 2021 (<https://echa.europa.eu/candidate-list-table>). Only 4 Dymax products contain a substance which is on the SVHC candidate list, these products are 730-BT, 734-BT, 7601 and 9-7001 (see details on the SDS).

Inclusion on the SVHC candidate list does not mean that a chemical's use is forbidden. The substance concerned can be used with the appropriate safety and application conditions.

Dymax products do not contain any of the 70 Annex XVII REACH Restricted Substances as updated by ECHA on January 13, 2021 (<https://echa.europa.eu/substances-restricted-under-reach>) nor substances which are on the latest Authorization List (Annex XIV; <https://echa.europa.eu/authorisation-list>) above the reportable threshold value.

More details about REACH can be found in the following link: http://ec.europa.eu/environment/chemicals/reach/reach_intro.htm

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