

To all whom it may concern,

1. Registration

According to Title II of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council (REACH)

SYNTHOS PS polystyrenes (trade names: SYNTHOS PS GP 525, SYNTHOS PS GP 535, SYNTHOS PS GP 585 A, SYNTHOS PS GP 585 C, SYNTHOS PS GP 585 X, SYNTHOS PS GP 137, SYNTHOS PS GP 152, SYNTHOS PS GP 154, SYNTHOS PS GP 171, SYNTHOS PS GP 174, SYNTHOS PS HI 336M, SYNTHOS PS HI 552M, SYNTHOS PS HI 562E, SYNTHOS PS HI 662E, SYNTHOS PS HI 945 E) are mixtures composed of styrene homopolymer or styrene-butadiene copolymer and additives. According to art. 2(9) of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council (REACH) the products are exempted from registration.

The monomers are subjected to registration according to Art 6(3), if their content in the polymer is at least 2% wt. According to our best knowledge all raw materials used for production of SYNTHOS PS have been either registered or are exempted from registration.

The registration numbers of a monomer and additive are listed in the table below.

Identification name		REACH registration number
polymer	polystyrene	Exempted from registration - polymer
monomer	styrene	01-2119457861-32-xxxx
monomer	butadiene-1,3	01-2119471988-16-xxxx
additive	white mineral oil	01-2119487078-27-xxxx

2. Information in the supply chain

According to Title IV of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council (REACH)

The product does not contain any substances listed on the REACH Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) for Authorization, as amended on June 27, 2018 in an individual concentration equal or higher than 0,1% by weight.

3. Authorization

According to Title VII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council (REACH)

The product does not contain any substances listed in Annex XIV of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council (REACH), and therefore authorization obligation does not apply.

4. Restriction

According to Title VIII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council (REACH)

The product is not subjected to any restrictions listed in Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council (REACH) on manufacture, placing on the market or use.

Further information can be obtained at reachSD@synthosgroup.com.

Yours faithfully,

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