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1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name:	Loctite(R) 598 Black RTV High Performance Silicone Gasket Maker	Item No. :	34018 / IDH No. 274809
Product type:	Silicone	Region:	United States
Company address:	Henkel Corporation One Henkel Way Rocky Hill, Connecticut 06067	Contact Information:	Telephone: (860) 571-5100 Emergency telephone: (860) 571-5100 Internet: www.henkelna.com

2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

<u>Hazardous components</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>ACGIH TLV</u>	<u>OSHA PEL</u>	<u>OTHER</u>
Silicone Resin Proprietary	30-60	None	None	None
Reinforcing Filler Proprietary	30-60	10 mg/m ³ TWA (particulate matter containing no asbestos and <1% crystalline silica)	15 mg/m ³ TWA total 5 mg/m ³ TWA	None
Silicone Resin Proprietary	10-30	None	None	None
Filler Proprietary	5-10	None	None	None
Oximino silane Proprietary	1-5	None	None	None
Carbon black 1333-86-4	0.1-1	3.5 mg/m ³ TWA	3.5 mg/m ³ TWA	None

Exposure to moisture during cure will release 0.1 - 0.9% methyl alcohol. Methyl ethyl ketoxime (MEKO) is formed during cure. This product will release up to 5% MEKO.

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

<u>EMERGENCY OVERVIEW</u>	
Physical state: Paste	HEALTH: 2*
Color: Black	FLAMMABILITY: 1
Odor: Mild	PHYSICAL HAZARD: 0
	Personal Protection: See Section 8
WARNING: PROLONGED OR REPEATED CONTACT WITH UNCURED SEALANT MAY CAUSE EYE, SKIN AND RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION. REPEATED OR PROLONGED CONTACT MAY CAUSE ALLERGIC SKIN REACTION.	

Relevant routes of exposure: Skin, Inhalation, Eyes

Potential Health Effects

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Inhalation: Vapors and mists will irritate the respiratory tract and nasal passages. When heated to temperatures exceeding 300° F (150° C) in the presence of air, silicones may form formaldehyde vapors. Formaldehyde is a potential cancer hazard and a known skin and respiratory sensitizer. Vapors irritate the eyes, nose and throat. Safe handling conditions may be maintained by keeping formaldehyde vapor concentrations below the OSHA permissible limit. The silane is a skin and eye irritant and prolonged contact may cause eye and skin burns. The low concentration makes such overexposure unlikely and minimizes its affect on health and safety.

Skin contact: Prolonged or repeated contact with uncured sealant may cause skin irritation. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may result in allergic sensitization.

Eye contact: Vapors may irritate eyes. Contact with eyes will cause irritation.

Ingestion: Not expected under normal conditions of use. May be harmful if swallowed.

Existing conditions aggravated by exposure: Skin disorders.

See Section 11 for additional toxicological information.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. If discomfort persists seek medical attention.

Skin contact: Wipe off paste with paper towel or cloth. Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if symptoms develop and persist.

Eye contact: Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention if symptoms develop and persist.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash point: Greater than 93°C (200°F) Tagliabue closed cup

Autoignition temperature: Not available

Flammable/Explosive limits-lower %: Not applicable

Flammable/Explosive limits-upper %: Not applicable

Extinguishing media: Carbon dioxide (CO2). Foam. Dry chemical.

Special fire fighting procedures: Wear self contained breathing apparatus

Unusual fire or explosion hazards: None

Hazardous combustion products: Oxides of silicon, Oxides of carbon, Formaldehyde.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Environmental precautions: Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

Clean-up methods: Scrape up as much material as possible. Maintain good ventilation for large spills. Store in a partly filled, closed container until disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing vapor and mist. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not wear contact lenses.

Storage: Store in a dry area below 90° F Keep container closed.

Incompatible products: Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage.

For information on product shelf life contact Henkel Customer Service at (800) 243-4874.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering controls: Use local exhaust ventilation to maintain airborne concentrations below established exposure limits.

Respiratory protection: Use a NIOSH approved air-purifying respirator if the potential to exceed established exposure limits exists. Use a NIOSH approved air-purifying respirator with an organic vapor cartridge.

Skin protection: Impervious clothing Nitrile gloves. Natural rubber gloves. Butyl rubber gloves.

Eye/face protection: Safety goggles or safety glasses with side shields.

See Section 2 for exposure limits.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state: Paste
Color: Black
Odor: Mild
Vapor pressure: <5 mmHg @20°C (68° F)
pH: Not applicable
Boiling point/range: Not applicable
Melting point/range: Not available
Specific gravity: 1.3 at 20 deg. C
Vapor density: Heavier than air
Evaporation rate: Not available
Solubility in water: Polymerizes in presence of water
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not available
VOC content: 3.31%; 40.69 grams/liter

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable.

Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.

Hazardous decomposition products: Oxides of carbon. Oxides of silicon. Formaldehyde. Methyl ethyl ketoxime formed during cure.

Incompatibility: Polymerizes on contact with water.

Conditions to avoid: Moisture.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Carcinogen Status

Hazardous components	NTP Carcinogen	IARC Carcinogen	OSHA Carcinogen
Silicone Resin Proprietary	No	No	No
Reinforcing Filler Proprietary	No	No	No
Silicone Resin Proprietary	No	No	No
Filler Proprietary	No	No	No
Oximino silane Proprietary	No	No	No
Carbon black 1333-86-4	No	Group 2B	Yes

Literature Referenced Target Organ & Other Health Effects

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Hazardous components	Health Effects/Target Organs
Silicone Resin Proprietary	No Target Organs
Reinforcing Filler Proprietary	Nuisance dust
Silicone Resin Proprietary	Irritant
Filler Proprietary	No Target Organs
Oximino silane Proprietary	Allergen, Irritant
Carbon black 1333-86-4	Respiratory, Some evidence of carcinogenicity

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecological information:

No specific studies have been conducted by Henkel on the ecotoxicity or environmental fate of this material; however, commonly available data on the material indicate that uncontrolled releases to soil, groundwater, or surface waters could entail acute and/or chronic ecological effects, depending on the quantity and concentration of such releases. Releases of volatile components to the atmosphere are not believed to entail significant ecological consequences provided such releases are within the exposure levels set forth in this document. Accordingly, all appropriate measures should be taken to avoid uncontrolled releases to the environment, and any spills or other uncontrolled releases which may occur should be contained and cleaned up immediately in accordance with Section 6.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Information provided is for unused product only.

Recommended method of disposal: Cured rubber can be incinerated or landfilled following EPA and local regulations.

EPA hazardous waste number: Not a RCRA hazardous waste.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

U.S. Department of Transportation Ground (49 CFR):

Proper shipping name: Unrestricted
Hazard class or division: None
Identification number: None
Packing group: None

International Air Transportation (ICAO/IATA):

Proper shipping name: Unrestricted
Hazard class or division: None
Identification number: None
Packing group: None

Water Transportation (IMO/IMDG):

Proper shipping name: Unrestricted
Hazard class or division: None
Identification number: None
Packing group: None
Exceptions: None
Marine pollutant: None

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

United States Regulatory Information

TSCA 8 (b) Inventory Status:	All components are listed or are exempt from listing on the Toxic Substances Control Act Inventory.
TSCA 12 (b) Export Notification:	None.
CERCLA/SARA Section 302 EHS:	None above reporting de minimus.
CERCLA/SARA Section 311/312:	Immediate Health Hazard, Delayed Health Hazard
CERCLA/SARA 313:	None above reporting de minimus.
California Proposition 65:	This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

Canada Regulatory Information

CEPA DSL/NDL Status:	One or more components are not listed on, and are not exempt from listing on either the Domestic Substances List or the Non-Domestic Substances List.
WHMIS hazard class:	D 2.A, D.2.B

16. OTHER INFORMATION

This material safety data sheet contains changes from the previous version in sections: 2,3,8,15

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