



CLP regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 and MSDS according to REACH Annex II

The implementation of GHS into EU legislation has been introduced by the CLP regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008* as the new system for classification and labelling.

The CLP regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008* replaced the provision of the dangerous substance directive 67/548/EEC (DSD) and the dangerous preparation directive 1999/45/EC (DPD) in a stepwise approach.

Label elements in comparison

Label element	CLP 1272/2008	DSD 67/548/EWG DPD 1999/45/EG
Symbol	e.g. 	e.g. 
Signal Word	„Danger“ or „Warning“	--
Hazard Statement	H-Statements	R-Phrases
Precautionary Statement	P-Statements	S-Phrases

The transitional period to implement the classification and labelling according to CLP regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008* has expired by Mai 31, 2015. Therefore chemical products have to be classified and labelled since June 1, 2015 accordingly.

An additional selling period of 2 years applies for preparations, which have been already put on the market before June 1, 2015 and which are labelled and packed according to the dangerous preparation directive 1999/45/EC (DPD).

Changes arising for our customers

- CHT / BEZEMA products, that are marketed in the EU, are classified according to CLP regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008* in due time by June 1, 2015.
- Products, which have been produced, packed and are still labelled according to the dangerous preparation directive 1999/45/EC (DPD), will not be relabelled
- Products, which are produced and packed after June 1, 2015 will be labelled according to CLP regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008*

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CHT/BEZEMA group already started with the implementation of CLP regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008* in 2011, so that CHT/BEZEMA products are mostly delivered with the labelling according to CLP already before the transition period has expired.

Also the material safety data sheets (MSDS) have been revised with the classification according to the CLP regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008*. The revised version of the MSDS has been forwarded automatically.

Further Information

- Information on product classification can be found in section 2.1 of the MSDS. Information on labelling of dangerous products are displayed in section 2.2 of the MSDS (label information).
- Henceforth, the information on classification according to the dangerous substance directive 67/548/EEC (DSD) and the dangerous preparation directive 1999/45/EC (DPD) in section 2 and 3 will disappear for MSDS's which have been created after June 1, 2015.
- MSDS's for products, which have been classified before June 1, 2015 in accordance with CLP regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008* and which have been revised accordingly, are still valid. Unless there is no new information available, which affects risk management measures, also a transitional period of 2 years applies for the revision of MSDS and expires by Mai 31, 2015.

If you have any further questions on this subject, please contact your local sales representative or our product safety department.