

PRODUCT CARE**Protective Packaging Materials (except Instapak)**Version 26 – 4th February, 2026

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This document aims at providing information relative to regulatory aspects and voluntary policies to our customers based on data received by our raw materials suppliers or knowledge of the manufacturing process; Sealed Air does not carry out specific analysis to identify the presence of the hereby mentioned substances. Some materials may contain recycled components on which we cannot guarantee that substances hereby mentioned are not constitutionally contained or present at level of ubiquitous traces. It shall be noted however that the information contained therein shall not be interpreted to guarantee that the product is suitable for its intended use and it is the responsibility of the final user to ensure that the product is technically suitable for the purpose for which it is being used.

REGULATIONS & DIRECTIVES

SEC Conflict Mineral Regulations

The Securities and Exchange Commission adopted a rule to require companies to publicly disclose their use of conflict minerals that originated in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) or an adjoining country.

The regulatory reform law directed the Commission to issue rules requiring certain companies to disclose their use of conflict minerals that include tantalum, tin, gold, or tungsten if those minerals are “necessary to the functionality or production of a product” manufactured by those companies.

In addition, regarding the Regulation (EU) 2017/821 *laying down supply chain due diligence obligations for Union importers of tin, tantalum and tungsten, their ores, and gold originating from conflict-affected and high-risk areas*, we, SEALED AIR, declare that we do not have to notify our products/equipment, because SEALED AIR is not considered an Importer, importing materials as laid down in annex 1 of the regulation.

Protective Packaging materials are not intentionally manufactured with the listed conflict minerals - such as tin, tantalum, tungsten and gold – as per Section 1502 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act; however, we do not analyse for these specific substances or compounds as not expected to be present.

REACH - Regulation (EC) n° 1907/2006

Sealed Air is considered as a Downstream User under REACH Regulation 1907/2006/EC and Sealed Air materials are not affected by the above-mentioned regulation since the packaging product meets the definition of an “Article”. Under REACH an *Article* means an *object which during production is given a special shape, surface or design which determines its function to a greater degree than does its chemical composition*.

Based on the information received from our suppliers, we can confirm that all the substances used in our products manufactured in the EU have been registered in accordance with the REACH requirements 1907/2006/EC by some actors in the supply chain or are exempted.

In addition, the Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC), updated as of **4th February 2026**, have not been intentionally added to the protective packaging materials produced by Sealed Air.

We inform you that Sealed Air does not make routine analysis to individualize the substances in the “Candidate List” and the present declaration is generated based on the information provided by our raw materials suppliers.

Therefore, to the best of our knowledge, SVHC are not expected to be present above 0.1% w/w threshold.

A list of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) is periodically published by the ECHA - European Chemical Authority: [Candidate List of substances of very high concern for Authorisation](#).

These substances are subjected to obligations which include information to users when they exceed 0.1% by weight in the finished product.

REACH Regulation ANNEX XIV and ANNEX XVII

In addition, based on knowledge of the manufacturing process, the Substances subject to authorization under EU REACH regulation which are listed in the Annex XIV have not been intentionally added to the protective packaging products produced by Sealed Air. Substances on this list are selected from REACH SVHC list and they cannot be placed on the market or used after a given date (“sunset date”), unless an authorization is granted for their specific use, or the use is exempted from authorization. We inform you that Sealed Air does not make routine analysis to individualize the substances listed in the “Annex XIV”, and the present declaration is generated based on the information provided by our suppliers.

Finally, based on knowledge of the manufacturing process, the Substances Restricted under REACH listed in the Annex XVII have not been intentionally added to the protective packaging products produced by Sealed Air. We inform you that Sealed Air does not make routine analysis to individualize the substances listed in the “Annex XVII”, and the present declaration is generated based on the information provided by our suppliers.

UK-REACH

On 1st January 2021 UK has activated its independent Registration, Evaluation, and Authorization of Chemicals regime (UK-REACH) as a consequence of Brexit. As for the EU-REACH, the principle of UK-REACH Regulation is ‘No data, no market’, that means that substances manufactured or imported >1 T/a year into the UK must be registered with the UK Agency, HSE. The UK is no longer covered by EU law and EU chemicals legislation has ceased to apply to UK companies. It is important to point out that all EU REACH registrations held by UK entities became void.

Sealed Air has increased its level of preparedness together with its suppliers, to maintain the continuity of supply of our products to customers in the UK, the EU27 and the rest of the world. By the deadline of 27th October 2021, Sealed Air has submitted to HSE competent authority the Downstream User Import Notification (DUIN) for the substances imported in UK Sealed Air plants over 1 ton/year from suppliers located outside UK.

The current deadlines for full data registration have been extended by 3 years to 27 October 2026, 27 October 2028 and 27 October 2030 depending on tonnage and toxicity.

Sealed Air customers who ship their products using our packaging materials are not likely to be affected by the UK-REACH regulation since the packaging product meets the definition of an “Article” not intended to be released under normal or reasonably foreseeable conditions of use and are exempt from the UK-REACH registration.

RoHS 3 - 2015/863/EU Directive

The Annex II of the RoHS 2 directive - 2011/65/EU has been amended by the delegated Directive (EU) 2015/863 called RoHS 3 regulates the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment. Nevertheless, we would like to inform you that Sealed Air materials do not contain any substances that are regulated by the RoHS directive.

None of the following substances have been intentionally added to protective packaging materials during the manufacturing process and would not be expected to be present in amounts greater than the maximum concentration value reported in the Annex II “*Restricted substances referred to in Article 4(1) and maximum concentration values tolerated by weight in homogeneous materials*” of the Directive (EU) 2015/863:

Restricted Substance	Maximum Concentration Value
Lead (Pb):	0.1% by weight (1000 ppm)
Mercury (Hg):	0.1% by weight (1000 ppm)
Cadmium (Cd):	0.01% by weight (100 ppm)
Hexavalent Chromium: (Cr VI)	0.1% by weight (1000 ppm)
Polybrominated Biphenyls (PBB):	0.1% by weight (1000 ppm)
Polybrominated Diphenyl Ethers (PBDE):	0.1% by weight (1000 ppm)
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP):	0.1% by weight (1000 ppm)
Benzyl butyl phthalate (BBP):	0.1% by weight (1000 ppm)
Dibutyl phthalate (DBP):	0.1% by weight (1000 ppm)
Diisobutyl phthalate (DIBP):	0.1% by weight (1000 ppm)

Packaging & Packaging Waste EU Regulation 2025/40 - Requirements for substances in packaging (Art. 5)

Protective Packaging materials fulfil the requirements of Article 5, comma 4 of the Regulation EU n. 2025/40 on packaging and packaging waste amending Regulation (EU) 2019/1020 and Directive (EU) 2019/904, and repealing Directive 94/62/EC.

We confirm that the sum of the concentrations of lead, cadmium, mercury and hexavalent chromium resulting from substances present in our protective packaging materials does not exceed 100 mg/kg.

Persistent Organic Pollutants

Our products comply with the Regulation (EU) No 1021/2019 of the European parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants and subsequent amendments, which abrogates and replaces the Regulation (EC) No 850/2004.

The prohibited substances, as constituents of articles, listed on the Annex I, are not intentionally added to Sealed Air protective packaging materials.

Ozone Depleting Substances - Montreal Protocol

We hereby declare that our Protective Packaging do not contain any Groups ozone depleting substances including CFC, HCFC and HFC. These substances are not used in our production plants.

They comply with the Regulation (EU) 2024/590 of the European parliament and of the Council of 7th February 2024 on substances that deplete the ozone layer, and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009.

TSCA Section 6(h) - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, and Toxic (PBT) Chemicals

PBT Substances – phenol, isopropylated, phosphate (3:1) (PIP 3:1, CAS 68937-41-7); Decabromodiphenyl ether (DecaBDE); 2,4,6-tris(tert-butyl)phenol (2, 4, 6 - TTBP); hexachlorobutadiene (HCBd) and pentachlorothiophenol (PCTP) – listed under TSCA section 6(h) are not intentionally added in Sealed Air protective packaging materials.

SUBSTANCES OF CONCERN TO OUR CUSTOMERS

Bisphenol A / Bisphenol S / Bisphenol B

BPA, BPS and BPB are not intentionally added in the manufacturing process of Sealed Air protective packaging materials.

These substances are listed in the Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) list periodically published by the European Chemical Authority and we would like to reiterate that SVHC are not intentionally added in our products.

Phthalic Acid Plasticizers - Phthalates

Phthalates are not intentionally added in the manufacturing process of Sealed Air protective packaging materials.

PFAS

Regarding the presence of PFAS in our packaging materials we can confirm that some of our raw materials may contain fluoropolymers which are used as processing aids, but which do not have a technical effect on the packaging article.

Sealed Air is very aware of the concerns around PFAS and the future bans currently under discussion in the EU and worldwide, and for such reasons we confirm that we are closely working with our suppliers to have information on the use of PFAS and identify possible fluoropolymer alternatives.

To reiterate, our protective packaging products meet the relevant EU legislations and we will continue to follow the applicable European's recommendations on future use of PFAS in our products.

Other Substances

The substances listed below are not intentionally added to our protective packaging materials; This list is not exhaustive.

- PVC and derivatives
- Asbestos
- Arsenic
- Pentachlorophenol
- Organic tin compounds
- Formaldehyde
- Dimethylfumarate
- Azo dye and pigment forming specified amines
- Polynaphthalene chloride
- Silicon
- Di-O-Tolyl Guanidine - DOTG
- Nanomaterials (chemicals or materials that are composed of particles ranging in size between 1 and 100 nanometers (nm) for at least one of their dimensions)

OTHER

Chemistry Policy

SEALED AIR is well aware of its responsibilities as packaging producer, as employer and as a company which must and wants to respect our environment. Due to this fact, SEALED AIR wants to minimize the risks for its customers, the consumers, its employees, and our environment.

Taking all this into account, we implemented chemistry policies we want to highlight to our customers and share.

The Sealed Air Sustainability Advisory Team worked with R&D and Legal departments and created the RCP, Responsible Chemistry Policy. The RCP formalizes Sealed Air's proactive approach to materials that are on the radar screen of regulators, customers, and environmental groups.

This latter sets prohibitions and restrictions on chemicals with environmental, health, safety and regulatory concerns.

The RCP categorizes materials into four lists:

- Banned List: Material prohibited from purchase and use
- Phase Out List: Material currently used in products, but no new products allowed
- Risk Management List: Material currently used in products, but use is restricted
- Watch List: Material flagged due to legislative, customer, NGO, or regulatory issue, which may affect use.

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