

Self-Declared Certificate
of Product Conformity
VOC Emissions



Company Information

Company Name:	Design Polymerics
Contact Information:	(714) 432-0600
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Product Information

Product Name:	DP 1015 Smooth Water Based Duct Sealant
Product Number:	DP 1015
Product Line:	Sealants
Product Category:	Grouts & Sealants

Exclusions

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VOC Content

Regulatory VOC Content g/L:	3
Regulation:	SCAQMD Rule 1168
Category:	Adhesives and Sealants
VOC Content test or determination method:	Calculated from formulation
Exempt compounds >1% weight by mass of product:	None
Does product contain methylene chloride or perchloroethylene?:	No

VOC Emissions

Test Standard:	CDPH Standard Method V1.2
Acceptance Criteria:	CDPH Standard Method V1.2
Use scenario(s) Product type:	Company defined
Building Type:	Classroom+Office
Product coverage g/m ² :	973
TVOC concentration at 14-days:	Less or equal to 0.5 mg/m3
Direct or extended claim:	Direct

Compliance Testing

ISO/IEC 17025 accredited third-party laboratory:	Berkeley Analytical, IAS TL-383
Test start date:	09/09/2022
Laboratory certificate number:	221004-09

Extended Claim for Co-product

Name of compliance tested product:	Not Applicable
Number:	Not Applicable
Was listed product screening-level tested for VOC emissions?:	Not Applicable
Basis for extension of claim from compliant product to co-product:	Not Applicable
Brief description of procedures used to ensure product is represented by compliance test results:	Not Applicable

Quality Control

Company maintains internal quality control program to ensure manufactured units are produced consistently and meet the requirements and acceptance criteria of listed standard(s):	Yes
Tested product sample was selected from typical production and is representative of commercial product. Where there are expected variations, sample was selected from production lot or group expected to give worst-case results:	Yes
If claim is for product other than product that was sampled and compliance tested, company maintains record of procedures used for extending claim in form of test results, calculations, formulations, or other information:	Not Applicable

Self-Declaration Signature

I affirm that I am authorized to make claims established in this declaration:	Yes
I certify that the information in this declaration is true and correct:	Yes
Date:	02/15/2023
Name of company representative:	Gregg Lindblom
Title:	Technical Director
Signature:	Gregg Lindblom

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COMPLIANCE TESTED by berkeley analytical

VOC Emission Test Certificate

Product Name: DP 1015

Product Sample Information		Certificate Information	
Company:	Design Polymeric	Certificate No:	221004-09
Company Website:	www.designpoly.com	Certified By:	 Raja S. Tannous, Laboratory Director
Product Type:	Duct Sealant	Date:	October 4, 2022
Date Produced:	8/31/2022		

Reference Standard: California Department of Public Health CDPH/EHLB/Standard Method Version 1.2, 2017 (Emission testing method for CA Specification 01350)

Acceptance Criteria and Results Demonstrating Compliance of Product Sample to Referenced Standard:

Exposure Scenario ¹	Individual VOCs of Concern ²		Formaldehyde ³		TVOC ⁴
	Criterion	Compliant?	Criterion	Compliant?	Range
School Classroom	≤½ Chronic REL	YES	≤9.0 µg/m ³	YES	≤ 0.5 mg/m ³
Private Office	≤½ Chronic REL	YES	≤9.0 µg/m ³	YES	≤ 0.5 mg/m ³

Product Coverage⁵: 973 g/m² (non-full spread application. See use and application manufacturer’s letter attached)

1. Exposure scenarios & product quantities for classroom & office are defined in Tables 4-2 – 4-5 (CDPH Std. Mtd. V1.2-2017)
2. Maximum allowable concentrations of individual target VOCs are specified in Table 4-1 (*ibid.*)
3. Maximum allowable formaldehyde concentration is ≤9 µg/m³, effective Jan 1, 2012; previous limit was ≤16.5 µg/m³ (*ibid.*)
4. Informative only; predicted TVOC Range in three categories, i.e., ≤0.5 mg/m³, >0.5 – 4.9 mg/m³, and ≥5.0 mg/m³
5. Informative and applicable only to tests of wet-applied products; grams of sample applied per square meter of substrate

Standards & Codes Recognizing CDPH Standard Method V1.2 (partial list)

- USGBC LEED Version 4/4.1, BD&C, ID&C, Residential BD&C Multifamily
- The WELL Building Standard, WELL v2, Feature X06
- ANSI/GBI 01-2019 Green Globes Assessment Protocol

Narrative: Design Polymeric selected a sample representative of its DP 1015 - smooth duct sealant product and submitted it on 9/6/2022 for testing. Berkeley Analytical measured and evaluated the emissions of VOCs from this sample following CDPH/EHLB/Standard Method V1.2-2017. The results of the test are presented in Berkeley Analytical report, 777-008-01A-Oct0422.

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DP 1015 Smooth Duct Sealant

Use and Application:

A smooth, water based, premium quality, UL Listed, high velocity duct sealant for commercial and residential supply and return air duct use. Recommended for sealing joints, seams, and duct wall penetrations. Also recommended for sealing connections on flexible duct or fiberglass duct board. **DP 1015** is recommended up to 15 inches water column pressure.

Coverage: Dependent on application thickness, 40-80 sq. ft./gal. at 20-40 wet mils

For sheet metal duct: DP 1015 should be applied to all connections according to SMACNA standards. Brush, caulk, pump, or trowel DP1015 on all duct seams. Apply to TDC/TDF and applied flange corners. Apply to all penetrations in the duct wall including sheet metal screw heads and tie rods. When caulking DP 1015, sealant should be brushed into seams.

For round and oval spiral duct: Apply DP 1015 to the male section of the fitting or to the inside slip duct coupling. Secure with sheet metal screws per manufacturers requirements. Apply a 2-inch band of DP 1015 around outside of joint, covering all screws.

For rigid fiberglass air duct: Assemble sections according to the manufacturers' recommendations. Apply a 3-inch by 20 mil band of DP 1015 to the joint. Embed a fiberglass scrim (5 mil, 20 x 10 plain weave, 1.75 oz. per sq. yd.) in the sealant and apply another 20-mil coat of DP 1015 over the scrim.

For flexible duct: Install flexible duct per manufacturers' instructions using draw bands or mechanical fastener. Apply DP 1015 at a rate of 40-80 sq. ft. per gallon (20-40 mils) between the end of the duct and the collar in a 2-inch band. Use DP 1015 to seal all connections of collar to metal duct or rigid fiberglass duct board.

Basis for determining typical or worst-case product use:

Classroom

- Supply Duct consisting of 5 16"x16" joints; 4 12"x12" joints; 24 8" diameter joints, 4 9" reducer seams; 75' linear seams
- Return Duct consisting of 8 18"x18" joints; 6 12" diameter joints; 35' linear seams

Office

- Supply Duct consisting of 2 12"x12" joints; 3 8" diameter joints, 15' linear seams
- Return Duct consisting of 2 16"x16" joints; 2 12" diameter joints, 10' linear seams

Total Classroom: 234' at 2" width = 39 sq. ft. = **3.6 square meters**

Total Office: 41.5' at 2" width = 6.9 sq. ft. = **0.64 square meters**

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