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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Prepared to U.S. OSHA, CMA, ANSI, Canadian WHMIS Standards, Australian WorkSafe, Japanese Industrial Standard JIS Z 7250:2000, and European Union standards

## 1. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

1.1 TRADE NAME (AS LABELED):  
PRODUCT NUMBERS:

**Hot Melt Glue**  
Elemelt HMS601

CHEMICAL NAME:  
1.2 PRODUCT USE:  
1.3 MANUFACTURER'S NAME:  
ADDRESS:

Hot Melt Glue  
Hot Melt Adhesive  
Ellsworth Adhesives  
W129 N10825 Washington Drive  
Germantown, WI 53022  
262-251-8600

BUSINESS PHONE:  
FAX NUMBER:

1.4 DATE OF PREPARATION:  
1.5 DATE OF LATEST REVISION:

March 18, 2023  
July 07, 2023

## 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

### **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:**

**Product Description:** This product is a solid in various colors, with no odor.  
**Health Hazards:** This product is not expected to cause adverse health effects when used as intended.  
**Flammability Hazards:** This product is combustible above flash point >450°F (>232°C) if exposed to ignition source.  
**Reactivity Hazards:** None known.  
**Environmental Hazards:** This material is not expected to be an environmental hazard.  
**Emergency Considerations:** Emergency responders must wear the proper personal protective equipment (and have appropriate fire-suppression equipment) suitable for the situation to which they are responding.

### **2.1 GHS LABELING AND CLASSIFICATION:**

This product does not meet the definition of a hazardous substance or preparation as defined by 29 CFR 1910. 1200 and regulation (EU) No. 2020/878 and regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.  
Substances not listed either individually or in group entries must be self classified

### **COMPONENT(S) DETERMINING HAZARD:**

None

### **2.2 LABEL ELEMENTS**

**GHS Hazard Symbol(s):**

None applicable

**Signal Word:** None

### **GHS Hazard Classification(s):**

None

### **Hazard Statement(s):**

None

### **Response Statement(s):**

None

### **Prevention Statement(s):**

None

### **Storage Statement(s):**

None

### **Disposal Statement(s):**

None

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## 2.3 OTHER HAZARDS:

Endocrine Disruptor Information: This product does not contain chemicals on the Candidate List of substances of very high concern for Authorization.

## HEALTH HAZARDS OR RISKS FROM EXPOSURE:

**ACUTE:** Contact with molten material will cause thermal burns. This product is not expected to cause adverse health effects when used as intended. May cause gastrointestinal irritation if swallowed. Not expected to cause respiratory irritation.

**CHRONIC:** None known

**TARGET ORGANS:** ACUTE: Eye, Skin

CHRONIC: None known

## 3. COMPOSITION and INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous Ingredients:	CAS #	EINECS #	ICSC #	WT %	GHS CLASSIFICATION(S)
All components are non-hazardous or below applicable cut-off limits.					

## 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

### 4.1 DESCRIPTION OF FIRST AID MEASURES:

Contaminated individuals of chemical exposure must be taken for medical attention if any adverse effect occurs. Rescuers should be taken for medical attention, if necessary. Take copy of label and MSDS to health professional with contaminated individual.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Exposure to non-molten product is not expected to cause adverse effects. Wash hands after handling. If hot molten product contacts skin, cool under running water. Do not remove solidified product. The contaminated individual should seek medical attention.

**EYE CONTACT:** Exposure to non-molten product is not expected to cause adverse effects. If hot product enters the eyes, flush with water for at least 15 minutes. Contaminated individual should seek medical attention immediately.

**INHALATION:** If breathing becomes difficult remove contaminated individual to fresh air. Seek medical attention if breathing difficulties continues.

**INGESTION:** Routine use of this product is not expected to cause any situation which could lead to ingestion. If this product is swallowed, CALL PHYSICIAN OR POISON CONTROL CENTER FOR MOST CURRENT INFORMATION.

If professional advice is not available, do not induce vomiting. Never induce vomiting or give diluents (milk or water) to someone who is unconscious, having convulsions, or unable to swallow.

**4.2 MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE:** None known.

**4.3 RECOMMENDATIONS TO PHYSICIANS:** Treat symptoms and eliminate overexposure.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**5.1 FIRE EXTINGUISHING MATERIALS:** Use fire extinguishing materials appropriate for surrounding fire including water spray (for cooling), dry extinguishing media, carbon dioxide, foam. A solid stream of water may scatter molten product.

**5.2 UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:** This product has no unusual fire or explosion hazards. Do not use water on molten adhesive to avoid splattering and spreading the fire.

**Explosion Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact:** Not Sensitive

**Explosion Sensitivity to Static Discharge:** Not Sensitive

**5.3 SPECIAL FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES:** Incipient fire responders should wear eye protection. Structural firefighters must wear Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus and full protective equipment. Isolate materials not yet involved in the fire and protect personnel. Move containers from fire area if this can be done without risk; otherwise, cool with carefully applied water spray. If possible, prevent runoff water from entering storm drains, bodies of water, or other environmentally sensitive areas.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**6.1 PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES:** Provide adequate ventilation. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

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**6.2 ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:** Not applicable.

**6.3 SPILL AND LEAK RESPONSE:** Personnel should be trained for spill response operations. Wear appropriate protective equipment such as rubber gloves, safety glasses, and appropriate body protection. Stop discharge if safe to do so.

**PELLET OR CHIP SPILL:** Collect and contain for salvage or disposal.

**MOLTEN ADHESIVE SPILL:** Placard "Hot Material", allow to cool and remove. Collect and contain for salvage or disposal. Stop material from contaminating soil or from entering sewers or water streams.

## 7. HANDLING and STORAGE

**7.1 PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING:** As with all chemicals, avoid getting this product ON YOU or IN YOU. Wash thoroughly after handling this product. Do not eat, drink, smoke, or apply cosmetics while handling this product. Use in a well-ventilated location. Remove contaminated clothing immediately.

**7.2 STORAGE AND HANDLING PRACTICES:** All employees who handle this material should be trained to handle it safely. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Keep the container tightly closed and dry.

**EMPTY CONTAINER PRECAUTION:** Attention! Follow label warnings even after container is emptied since empty containers may retain product residues. Do not reuse empty container without professional cleaning for food, clothing, or products for humans or animal consumption, or where skin contact can occur.

**7.3 SPECIFIC USES:** See section 1.2.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS - PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 EXPOSURE LIMITS/GUIDELINES:

Component Name	CAS#	ACGIH-TLV's	OSHA PEL's	NIOSH- TLV's	Other
No Hazardous Ingredients	NA	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	None

Currently, International exposure limits are established for the components of this product. Please check with competent authority in each country for the most recent limits in place.

**8.2 VENTILATION AND ENGINEERING CONTROLS:** Use with adequate ventilation to ensure exposure levels are maintained below the limits provided below. Use local exhaust ventilation, and process enclosure if necessary, to control airborne dust. Ensure eyewash/safety shower stations are available near areas where this product is used.

*The following information on appropriate Personal Protective Equipment is provided to assist employers in complying with OSHA regulations found in 29 CFR Subpart I (beginning at 1910.132) or equivalent standard of Canada, or standards of EU member states (including EN 149 for respiratory PPE, and EN 166 for face/eye protection), and those of Japan. Please reference applicable regulations and standards for relevant details.*

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** When thermal processing fumes are generated and ventilation is not sufficient to effectively remove them appropriate approved respiratory protection must be provided. Heated product will emit vapors and exposed workers may need to use a NIOSH approved, organic vapor canister type respirator. If necessary, use only respiratory protection authorized in the U.S. Federal OSHA Respiratory Protection Standard (29 CFR 1910.134), equivalent U.S. State standards, Canadian CSA Standard Z94.4-93, the European Standard EN149, or EU member states. Oxygen levels below 19.5% are considered IDLH by OSHA. In such atmospheres, use of a full-facepiece pressure/demand SCBA or a full facepiece, supplied air respirator with auxiliary self-contained air supply is required under U.S. Federal OSHA's Respiratory Protection Standard (1910.134-1998) or the regulations of various U.S. States, Canada, EU Member States, or those of Japan. Air-purifying respirators with dust/mist/fume filters are recommended if operations may produce mists or sprays from this product.

**EYE PROTECTION:** Wear chemical goggles, face shield if handling molten material. If necessary, refer to U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.133, Canadian Standards, and the European Standard EN166, Australian Standards, or relevant Japanese Standards.

**HAND PROTECTION:** Wear thermal insulating gloves to protect from thermal burns. If necessary, refer to U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.138, the European Standard DIN EN 374, the appropriate Standards of Canada, Australian Standards, or relevant Japanese Standards.

**BODY PROTECTION:** Work clothing sufficient to prevent skin contact. If necessary, refer to appropriate Standards of Canada, or appropriate Standards of the EU, Australian Standards, or relevant Japanese Standards.

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## 9. PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 INFORMATION ON BASIC PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

**APPEARANCE, ODOR and COLOR:** This product is a solid in various colors, with no odor.

**ODOR THRESHOLD:** No odor

**SOFTENING POINT:** 190°F (88°C)

**SOLUBILITY IN WATER:** Not Available

**VAPOR PRESSURE, mm Hg @ 20°C (68°F):** Not Available

**SPECIFIC GRAVITY @ 20°C:** 0.918 – 0.960 (water=1)

**pH:** Not Available

**BOILING POINT:** Not Available

**FLASH POINT:** >450°F (>232°C)

**AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE:** Not Established

**FLAMMABLE LIMITS (in air by volume, %):** Lower NA Upper NA

**DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE:** Not Available

**VISCOSITY:** Not Available

### 9.2.1 INFORMATION WITH REGARD TO PHYSICAL HAZARD CLASSES

**EXPLOSIVES:** Not Available

**FLAMMABLE GASES:** Not Available

**AEROSOLS:** Not Available

**OXIDISING GASES:** Not Available

**GASES UNDER PRESSURE:** Not Available

**FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS:** Not Available

**FLAMMABLE SOLIDS:** Not Available

**SELF-REACTIVE SUBSTANCES AND MIXTURES:** Not Available

**PYROPHORIC LIQUIDS:** Not Available

**PYROPHORIC SOLIDS:** Not Available

**SELF-HEATING SUBSTANCES AND MIXTURES:** Not Available

**SUBSTANCES AND MIXTURES, WHICH EMIT FLAMMABLE GASES IN CONTACT WITH WATER:** Not Available

**OXIDISING LIQUID:** Not Available

**OXIDISING SOLID:** Not Available

**ORGANIC PEROXIDES:** Not Available

**CORROSIVE TO METALS:** Not Available

**DESENSITISED EXPLOSIVES:** Not Available

**GASES UNDER PRESSURE:** Not Available

### 9.2.2 OTHER SAFETY CHARACTERISTICS

**MECHANICAL SENSITIVITY:** Not Available

**SELF-ACCELERATING POLYMERISATION TEMPERATURE:** Not Available

**FORMATION OF EXPLOSIBLE DUST/AIR MIXTURES:** Not Available

**ACID/ALKALINE RESERVE:** Not Available

**EVAPORATION RATE:** Not Available

**MISCIBILITY:** Not Available

**CONDUCTIVITY:** Not Available

**CORROSIVENESS:** Not Available

**GAS GROUP:** Not Available

**REDOX POTENTIAL:** Not Available

**RADICAL FORMATION POTENTIAL:** Not Available

**PHOTOCATALYTIC PROPERTIES:** Not Available

## 10. STABILITY and REACTIVITY

**10.1 REACTIVITY:** No data available.

**10.2 STABILITY:** Stable.

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**10.3 POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS:** Will not occur.

**10.4 CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Avoid excessive overheating.

**10.5 MATERIALS WITH WHICH SUBSTANCE IS INCOMPATIBLE:** The product may react to strong acids, bases and oxidizing agents.

**10.6 DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** Thermal degradation produces carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and/or low molecular weight hydrocarbons.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 INFORMATION ON TOXICOLOGICAL EFFECTS:

No LD50 Data Available for this product

Acute toxicity	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Skin corrosion / irritation	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Serious eye damage / irritation	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Respiratory or skin sensitization	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Germ cell mutagenicity	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Carcinogenicity	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Reproductive toxicity	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
STOT-single exposure	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
STOT-repeated exposure	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Aspiration hazard	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

**SUSPECTED CANCER AGENT:** The components of this product are not listed by agencies tracking the carcinogenic potential of chemical compounds as follows:

#### Carcinogenity

NTP Regulated No

IARC Regulated No

OSHA Regulated No

**IRITANCY OF PRODUCT:** This product can cause skin and eye irritation.

**SENSITIZATION TO THE PRODUCT:** These products are not known to cause human skin or respiratory sensitization.

**REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY INFORMATION:** Listed below is information concerning the effects of this product and its components on the human reproductive system.

**Mutagenicity:** The components of this product are not reported to produce mutagenic effects in humans.

**Embryotoxicity:** The components of this product are not reported to produce embryotoxic effects in humans.

**Teratogenicity:** The components of this product are not reported to produce teratogenicity effects in humans.

**Reproductive Toxicity:** The components of this product are not reported to produce reproductive effects in humans.

### 11.2 INFORMATION ON OTHER HAZARD CLASSES WHICH RELATES TO ENDOCRINE DISRUPTING PROPERTIES:

No specific data available for this product.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ALL WORK PRACTICES MUST BE AIMED AT ELIMINATING ENVIRONMENTAL CONTAMINATION.

**12.1 TOXICITY:** No specific data available on this product.

**12.2 PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY:** These products have not been tested for persistence or biodegradability. The components may slowly degrade in the environment and form a variety of organic and inorganic materials; however, no specific information is known.

**12.3 BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL:** These products have not been tested for bio-accumulation potential.

**12.4 MOBILITY IN SOIL:** These products have not been tested for mobility in soil.

**12.5 RESULTS OF PBT AND vPvB ASSESSMENT:** No specific data available on this product.

**12.6 ENDOCRINE DISRUPTING PROPERTIES:** No specific data available on this product.

**12.7 OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS:** No specific data available on this product.

**12.8 WATER ENDANGERMENT CLASS:** No data available. At present there are no ecotoxicological assessments for this product.

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## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**13.1 WASTE TREATMENT METHODS:** Waste disposal must be in accordance with appropriate U.S. Federal, State, and local regulations, those of Canada, Australia, EU Member States and Japan.

**13.2 EU WASTE CODE:** Not determined.

## 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

**14.1 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (DOT) SHIPPING REGULATIONS:** This product is classified (per 49 CFR 172.101) by the U.S. Department of Transportation, as follows.

**UN IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:** None  
**PROPER SHIPPING NAME:** Non-Regulated Material  
**HAZARD CLASS NUMBER and DESCRIPTION:** None  
**UN IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:** None  
**PACKING GROUP:** None  
**DOT LABEL(S) REQUIRED:** None  
**NORTH AMERICAN EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK NUMBER:** None  
**RQ QUANTITY:** None  
**MARINE POLLUTANT:** The components of this product are not designated by the Department of Transportation to be Marine Pollutants (49 CFR 172.101, Appendix B).

**INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION SHIPPING INFORMATION (IATA):** This product is not considered as dangerous goods.

**INTERNATIONAL MARITIME ORGANIZATION SHIPPING INFORMATION (IMO):**

**UN IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:** None  
**PROPER SHIPPING NAME:** Non-Regulated Material  
**HAZARD CLASS NUMBER and DESCRIPTION:** None  
**UN IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:** None  
**PACKING GROUP:** None

**EUROPEAN AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL CARRIAGE OF DANGEROUS GOODS BY ROAD (ADR):** This product is not considered by the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe to be dangerous goods.

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**15.1 UNITED STATES REGULATIONS:**

**U.S. SARA REPORTING REQUIREMENTS:** The components of these products are not subject to the reporting requirements of Sections 302, 304, and 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act.

**U.S. SARA THRESHOLD PLANNING QUANTITY:** There are no specific Threshold Planning Quantities for any component of these products. The default Federal MSDS submission and inventory requirement filing threshold of 10,000 lb (4,540 kg) therefore applies, per 40 CFR 370.20.

**U.S. CERCLA REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ):** None.

**U.S. TSCA INVENTORY STATUS:** The components of these products are listed in the TSCA Inventory.

**CALIFORNIA SAFE DRINKING WATER AND TOXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT (PROPOSITION 65):** None of the ingredients is on the California Proposition 65 lists.

**15.2 CANADIAN REGULATIONS:**

**CANADIAN DSL/NDL INVENTORY STATUS:** The components of this product are on the DSL Inventory, or are exempted from listing.

**CANADIAN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT (CEPA) PRIORITIES SUBSTANCES LISTS:** No component of this product is on the CEPA First Priorities Substance Lists.

**CANADIAN WHMIS CLASSIFICATION and SYMBOLS:** This product is categorized as per WHMIS 2015 Controlled Product Regulations.

**15.3 EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY INFORMATION:**

SEE SECTION 2 FOR DETAILS

**REACH - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation (Article 59):** This product does not contain any chemical on the Candidate List.

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**Restriction of Hazardous Substances DIRECTIVE 2015/863 amending ROHS DIRECTIVE 2011/65/EU:** the manufacture does not intentionally add Lead, Cadmium, Mercury, Hexavalent Chromium, Polybrominated Biphenyls (PBB), Polybrominated Diphenyl Ethers (PBDE), including Deca-BDE, DEHP, BBP, DBP or DIBP. To the best of our knowledge and based on vendor information, the ingredients do not contain amounts above the acceptable concentration of the listed substances.

## 15.4 AUSTRALIAN INFORMATION FOR PRODUCT:

**AUSTRALIAN INVENTORY OF CHEMICAL SUBSTANCES (AICS) STATUS:** The components of this product are listed on the AICS or are exempt.

**STANDARD FOR THE UNIFORM SCHEDULING OF DRUGS AND POISONS:** Not applicable.

## 15.5 JAPANESE INFORMATION FOR PRODUCT:

**JAPANESE MINISTER OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY (MITI) STATUS:** The components of this product are not listed as Class I Specified Chemical Substances, Class II Specified Chemical Substances, or Designated Chemical Substances by the Japanese MITI.

## 15.6 INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL INVENTORIES:

Listing of the components on individual country Chemical Inventories is as follows:

Asia-Pac: Listed or exempt

Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS): Listed or exempt

Korean Existing Chemicals List (ECL): Listed or exempt

Japanese Existing National Inventory of Chemical Substances (ENCS): Listed or exempt

Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS): Listed or exempt

Swiss Giftlist List of Toxic Substances: Listed or exempt

U.S. TSCA: Listed or exempt

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS Rating (Scale 0-4)	NFPA Rating (Scale 0-4)
Health hazard: 0	Health hazard: 0
Flammability: 1	Flammability: 1
Physical Hazard: 0	Physical Hazard: 0

### Abbreviations and acronyms

<b>ACGIH</b>	<i>American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists</i>
<b>CFR</b>	<i>Code of Federal Regulations</i>
<b>DOT</b>	<i>Federal Department of Transportation</i>
<b>GHS</b>	<i>The Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals</i>
<b>HMIS</b>	<i>Hazardous Material Identification System</i>
<b>HCS</b>	<i>Hazard Communication Standard</i>
<b>IARC</b>	<i>International Agency for Research on Cancer</i>
<b>IATA</b>	<i>The International Air Transport Association</i>
<b>ICAO</b>	<i>The International Civil Aviation Organization</i>
<b>IMDG</b>	<i>International Maritime Dangerous Goods</i>
<b>IMO</b>	<i>International Maritime Organization</i>
<b>LD50/LC50</b>	<i>Lethal Concentration/Dose, 50 percent</i>
<b>NFPA</b>	<i>National Fire Protection Association</i>
<b>NIOSH</b>	<i>National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health</i>
<b>NTP</b>	<i>National Toxicology Program</i>
<b>OSHA</b>	<i>Occupational Safety and Health</i>
<b>PEL</b>	<i>Permissible Exposure Limit</i>
<b>SARA</b>	<i>Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act</i>
<b>TLV</b>	<i>ACGIH Threshold Limit Value</i>
<b>TWA</b>	<i>Time-Weighted Average</i>

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