

The Easy HANDBOOK

of European SDSs

SECTION 16:

other information



What information do I need to provide in section 16 of the SDS?



16.1 Other information

Section 16 shall contain other information not provided in sections 1 to 15, including information on the **revision of the safety data sheet**, such as:



a) if the SDS has been revised, a **clear indication of where changes have been made** to the previous version, unless such indication is given elsewhere in the SDS, with an explanation of the changes, if appropriate. The supplier of a substance or mixture must be able to provide an explanation of the changes upon request;



b) a key or **legend to abbreviations and acronyms** used in the SDS;



c) key literature **references** and data **sources**;

d) **for mixtures**, an indication of which **evaluation method** for the information referred to in Article 9 of the CLP Regulation **was used** for classification purposes;



e) a list of **relevant hazard statements and/or precautionary statements**. Give the full text of the statements which are not written out in full in Sections 2 to 15;



f) advice on any appropriate **training for workers** to ensure protection of human health and of the environment.

This section may also include an index table or table of contents for attached exposure scenarios. In this case, a reference to it can be introduced in subsection 1.2.

For this section there are no specified subsections numbers or titles in part B of Annex II of the REACH Regulation. Any additional numbering and substructure within this section is at the compiler's discretion and not a legal requirement.

If companies wish to include **disclaimers** in the SDS, they may be placed in this section, or outside the defined sections to make clear that they are not part of the specified format and content.

Examples of possible disclaimers:

*"This information is based on our current knowledge."
"This SDS has been compiled and is intended to apply only to this product."*