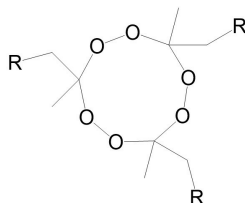


## Trigonox 501-CS40

1,2,4,5,7,8-Hexoxonane, 3,6,9-trimethyl-3,6,9-tris(Et and Pr) derivs, 40% solution in odorless mineral spirits



Trigonox® 501-CS40 is an initiator for the production of controlled rheology polypropylene (CR-PP) and high-temperature polymerization of ethylene.

CAS number  
1613243-54-1

EINECS/ELINCS No.  
810-295-5

TSCA status  
listed on inventory

Active oxygen content  
peroxide  
17.8

### Specifications

Appearance, 20-25°C	Clear liquid
Color	50 Pt-Co/APHA max.
Total active oxygen	6.90-7.30 %

### Characteristics

Density, 20°C	0.88 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
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### Applications

Trigonox® 501-CS40 is an efficient peroxide formulation for the production of controlled rheology polypropylene (CR-PP) in an extrusion process. Trigonox® 501-CS40 allows polypropylene producers great flexibility in controlling a polymer's Melt Flow Index (MFI). Small changes in either peroxide concentration or process temperature can produce significantly different MFI's. An important advantage of Trigonox® 501-CS40 is that the final CR-PP contains a low content of volatiles originating from peroxide decomposition products. Trigonox® 501-CS40 forms no acetone and no tert-butanol.

## Half-life data

The reactivity of an organic peroxide is usually given by its half-life ( $t_{1/2}$ ) at various temperatures. For Trigonox® 501-CS40 in chlorobenzene half-life at other temperatures can be calculated by using the equations and constants mentioned below:

0.1 hr	170°C
1 hr	146°C
10 hr	125°C
Formula 1	$k_d = A \cdot e^{-E_a/RT}$
Formula 2	$t_{1/2} = (\ln 2)/k_d$
$E_a$	150.60 kJ/mole
A	1.09E+15 s <sup>-1</sup>
R	8.3142 J/mole·K
T	(273.15+°C) K

## Thermal stability

Organic peroxides are thermally unstable substances, which may undergo self-accelerating decomposition. The lowest temperature at which self-accelerating decomposition of a substance in the original packaging may occur is the Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature (SADT). The SADT is determined on the basis of the Heat Accumulation Storage Test.

SADT	110°C
Method	The Heat Accumulation Storage Test is a recognized test method for the determination of the SADT of organic peroxides (see Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, Manual of Tests and Criteria - United Nations, New York and Geneva).

## Storage

Due to the relatively unstable nature of organic peroxides a loss of quality can be detected over a period of time. To minimize the loss of quality, Nouryon recommends a maximum storage temperature ( $T_s$  max. ) for each organic peroxide product.

$T_s$ max.	40°C
$T_s$ min.	-25°C
Note	When stored under these recommended storage conditions, Trigonox® 501-CS40 will remain within the Nouryon specifications for a period of at least 12 months after delivery.

## Packaging and transport

The standard packaging is a 30-liter Nourytainer® for 25 kg peroxide formulation. Both packaging and transport meet the international regulations. For the availability of other packed quantities consult your Nouryon representative. Trigonox® 501-CS40 is classified as Organic peroxide type D; liquid, Division 5.2; UN 3105 for land and sea transport and classified as Organic peroxide type C; liquid, Division 5.2; UN 3103 for air transport.

## Safety and handling

Keep away from open fire, sparks and other sources of heat or ignition. Avoid contact with reducing agents (e.g. amines), acids, alkalis and heavy metal compounds (e.g. accelerators, driers and metal soaps). Please refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for further information on the safe storage, use and handling of Trigonox® 501-CS40. This information should be thoroughly reviewed prior to acceptance of this product. The SDS is available at [nouryon.com/sds-search](http://nouryon.com/sds-search).

## Major decomposition products

Carbon dioxide, Methane, Ethane, Propane, Methyl ethyl ketone, Methyl propyl ketone, Methyl acetate, Ethyl acetate, Propyl acetate

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