



# CMT

## The Chemicals Management Tool to manage your REACH requirements

**REACH** (Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation of Chemicals), the new EU Regulation on chemical substances, came into force on the first of June 2007. As you know, REACH will have consequences for almost all companies dealing with chemicals. The obligations under REACH are rapidly approaching and companies need to prepare themselves. Therefore it is time to take action now!

**Royal Haskoning** assists and advises companies, governments and NGO's throughout the world with their REACH compliance issues. One helpful REACH IT-tool is our Chemicals Management Tool - CMT. CMT is an IT solution which supports you to better manage the information of your chemical substances to comply with legal requirements. It was originally developed by a cooperative effort of the industry and the Association of the Dutch Chemical Industry (VNCI), and presently made available as a product by Royal Haskoning.



Since REACH concerns substances and not products, it is essential for companies to unravel their product portfolio to the level of single substances. CMT works together with your MSDS and your ERP system to facilitate this process. After input of the composition data (can be imported from the SDS system) and product volumes (can be imported from the ERP system), the volumes per substance and subsequent REACH requirements (volume dependent) are calculated. In this way managers get insight into the required efforts and associated costs to become REACH compliant.

Furthermore, the REACH dossiers can be updated and maintained periodically, resulting in an up-to-date overview of the data gaps and estimated costs to fill these data gaps. This information leads to strategic business decisions regarding the economic potential of chemicals substances.

To make the use of CMT in the REACH management process as efficient as possible, the CMT support group within Royal Haskoning offers you several types of services orientated around CMT:

- **CMT in action;** In depth training course to get more detailed implementation support to efficiently use CMT in your organization.
- **CMT calculation service;** Let Royal Haskoning (periodically) do your CMT calculations and receive expert assistance and advice how to become REACH compliant.

### Interested?

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