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Product Information: *Benzotriazoles*

Dear Sir or Madam;

In the manufacture of the product lines mentioned below both 2-Benzotriazol-2-yl-4,6-di-tert-butylphenol (CAS Nr. 3846-71-7) and 2-(2H-benzotriazol-2-yl)-4,6-di-tert-pentylphenol (CAS 25973-55-1) are not intentionally used or formed. Since we do not expect these substances to be present, we do not specifically run any analysis on our raw materials or end products to measure for these substances.

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