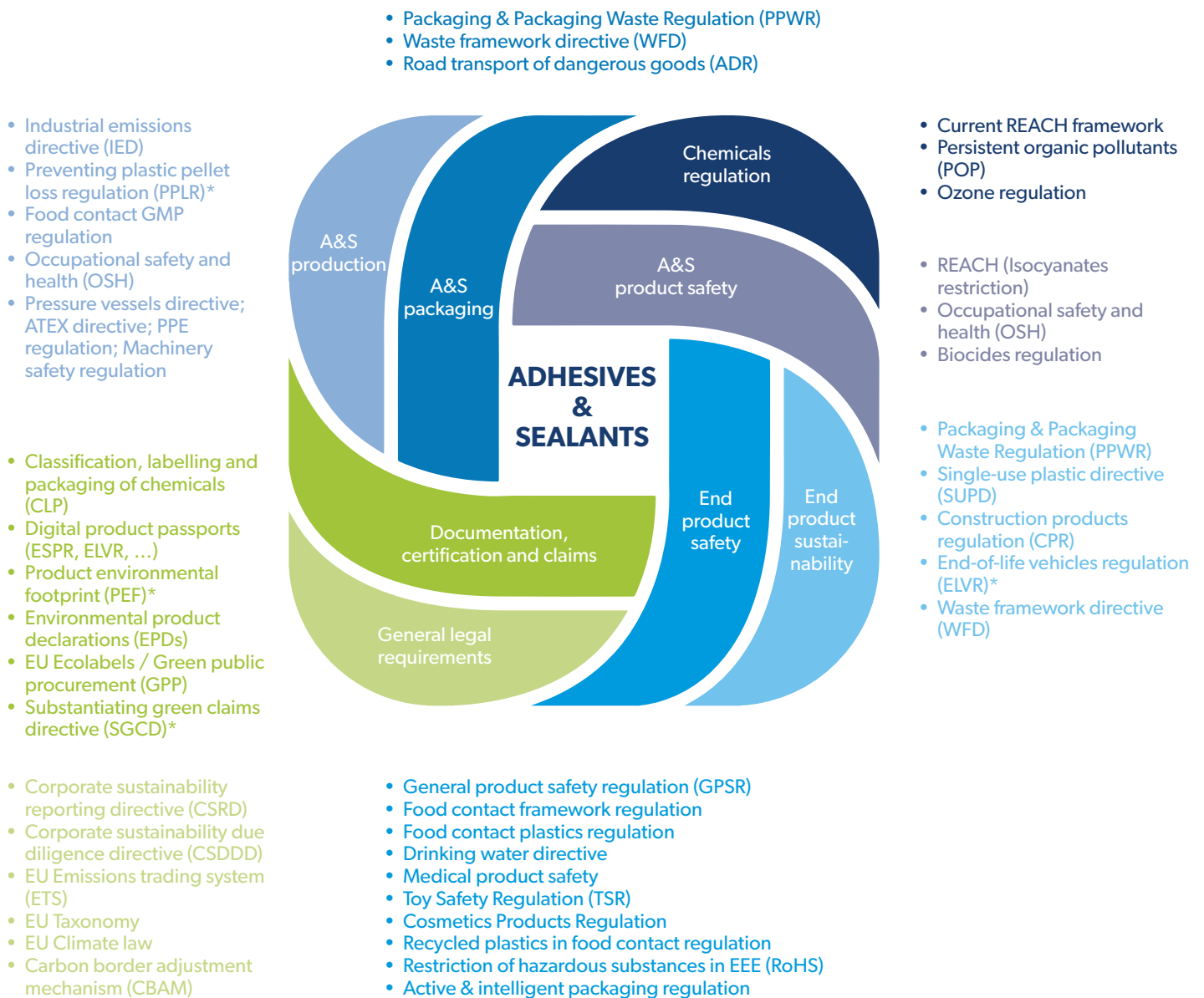


Regulatory Framework Impacting Adhesives and Sealants

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	Reference	Key requirements (excerpt) related to A&S
Active & intelligent packaging regulation	Reg. (EC) No 450/2009	Authorisation requirement for active and intelligent packaging
ADR	Dir. 2008/68/EC UN ADR 2023	Requirements on packaging and on road transport of A&S products
ATEX directive	Dir. 2014/34/EU	Conformity assessment and documentation requirements for equipment used in explosive atmospheres
Biocides regulation	Reg. (EU) 582/2012	Restriction of the use of biocidal substances in A&S products
CBAM	Reg. (EU) 2023/956	Reporting requirements and potentially compensation requirements
CLP	Reg. (EU) 2024/2865	Labeling and packaging requirements for A&S products
Cosmetics Products Regulation	Reg. (EC) No 1223/2009	Restriction on substances; safety assessment
CPR	Reg. (EU) 2024/3110	Requirements related to deconstruction, dismantling, reuse and recycling of A&S-containing products; digital product passport requirement
CSDDD	Dir. (EU) 2024/1760	Due diligence requirements
CSRD	Dir. (EU) 2022/2464	Sustainability reporting requirements
Drinking water directive	Dir (EU) 2020/2184	Restriction on substances; safety assessment
ELVR	COM(2023)451	Requirements related to dismantling, reuse and recycling; digital product passport requirement
EPDs	EN 15804	Footprint calculation for construction products
ESPR	Reg. (EU) 2024/1781	Repairability, reusability and recyclability of products, incl. those produced with A&S; digital product passport requirement
EU Climate law	Reg. (EU) 2021/1119	
EU Ecolabels / GPP	COM/2008/0400 final; Dir. 2014/24/EU; Reg. (EC) 66/2010	Requirements on substances and performance based on the specific ecolabel for A&S-containing products; linked to green public procurement (GPP)
EU ETS	Dir 2003/87/EC	
EU Taxonomy	EU taxonomy for sustainable activities	Classification of sustainable activities with focus on the financial markets, including requirements related to deconstruction, maintenance/repair, reuse and recycling of A&S-containing products
Food contact BPA regulation	Comm. Reg. (EU) 2024/3190	Ban of the use of BPA in manufacturing food contact articles and materials
Food contact GMP regulation	Comm. Reg. (EC) No 2023/2006	GMP requirement for food contact materials, incl. A&S
Food contact framework regulation	Reg. (EU) No 1935/2004	Safety assessment requirement for food contact materials, incl. A&S
Food contact plastics regulation	Reg. (EU) No 10/2011	Safety assessment requirement; restriction of the use of substances for food contact materials, incl. A&S
GPSR	Reg. (EU) 2023/988	Safety assessment requirement for all products, incl. products produced with A&S
IED	Dir. 2010/75/EU	
Machinery safety regulation	Reg. (EU) 2023/1230	Conformity assessment and documentation requirements
Medical product safety	Reg. (EU) 2017/745 Reg. (EU) 2017/746	Restriction on substances; safety assessment

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OSH	Dir. 89/391/EEC; Dir. 89/654/EEC; Dir. 89/656/EEC; Dir. 92/58/EEC; Dir. 90/269/EEC; Dir. 90/270/EEC; Dir. 98/24/EC; Dir. 2004/37/EC; Dir. 1999/92/EC; Dir. 2002/44/EC; Dir 2003/10/EC; Dir. 2006/25/EC; Dir 2013/35/EU; Dir. 92/85/EEC; Dir. 94/33/EEC	Occupational safety and health requirements related to general workplaces, the production of chemicals and to chemical products at the workplace and the equipment needed for their production and use
Ozone regulation	Reg. (EC) 1005/2009	
PEF	Comm. Recommendation 2021/2279	Footprint calculation for certain products
POP	Reg. (EU) 2019/1021	Restriction on substances
PPE regulation	Reg. (EU) 2016/425	Conformity assessment and documentation requirements
PPPLR	COM(2023)0645	Operational requirements, risk assessment and reporting requirements relevant for A&S produced in the form of pellets or using raw materials in the form of pellets
PPWR	Reg. (EU) 2025/40	Recyclability of packaging, incl. packaging produced with adhesives; recyclability of the packaging for A&S products; reuse of packaging in industrial uses; digital product passport requirement; restriction of substances
Pressure vessels directive	Dir. 2014/29/EU Dir. 2014/68/EU	Conformity assessment and documentation requirements
REACH	Reg. (EC) No 1272/2008	Restriction on the use of certain substances; need for registration of chemicals and imports; required trainings for isocyanate containing products
Recycled plastics in food contact	Comm. Reg (EU) 2022/1616	Requirement on the behaviour of A&S in the recycling of plastic products, e.g., composition and formation of substances during recycling
RoHS	Dir. 2011/65/EU	Restriction on certain substances
SGCD	COM(2023)166	Rules for the use of 'green' claims; documentation and substantiation requirements (applies mainly for consumer use adhesives and sealants)
SUPD	Dir. (EU) 2019/904	Ban of certain 'single use plastic' items; calculation of recycled content and mass balancing
Toy Safety Regulation (TSR)	Dir. 2009/48/EC	Restriction on certain substances; safety assessment
Waste shipment	Reg. (EU) 2024/1157	
WFD	Dir 2008/98/EC	Restriction on certain substances

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