

## Section 1 Chemical Product and Company Identification

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| <b>Product</b>  | <b>HYDROCHLORIC ACID, 0.1 MOLAR (0.1 NORMAL) SOLUTION</b>         |
| <b>Synonyms</b> | Muriatic Acid, Water Solution / Hydrogen Chloride, Water Solution |

## Section 2 Hazards Identification

The dilution of this chemical has not been classified according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS) of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals.

**Signal word:** WARNING

**Pictograms:** None required

**Target organs:** Respiratory system, skin, eyes, lungs.

**GHS Classification:**

Skin irritant (Category 3)

Eye irritant (Category 2B)

**GHS Label information:**

**Hazard statement(s):**

H316: Causes mild skin irritation.

H320: Causes eye irritation.

**Precautionary statement(s):**

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P332+P313: If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention.

P337+P313: If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.

Ca Prop 65: This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

## Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

| Chemical Name     | CAS #     | %      | EINECS    |
|-------------------|-----------|--------|-----------|
| Water             | 7732-18-5 | 99.68% | 231-791-2 |
| Hydrochloric acid | 7647-01-0 | 0.314% | 231-595-7 |

## Section 4 First Aid Measures

**INGESTION:** MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**INHALATION:** MAY BE HARMFUL IF INHALED. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

**EYE CONTACT:** MAY CAUSE IRRITATION. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

**SKIN ABSORPTION:** MAY CAUSE IRRITATION. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

## Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol foam.

**Protective Actions for Fire-fighters:** In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

**Specific Hazards:** During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Contact with metals produce hydrogen, which is flammable and may produce explosive mixtures with air.

## Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

**Personal Precautions:** Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

**Containment and Cleanup:** Absorb with inert dry material, sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

**Precautions for Safe Handling:** Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale vapors, spray or mist. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

**Conditions for Safe Storage:** Store in a cool, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

## Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

| Exposure Limits: | Chemical Name     | ACGIH (TLV)                              | OSHA (PEL)                            | NIOSH (REL)                           |
|------------------|-------------------|------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
|                  | Hydrogen chloride | STEL: C 2 ppm / C 2.98 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | STEL: C 5 ppm / C 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | STEL: C 5 ppm / C 7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

**Engineering controls:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

**Respiratory protection:** None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If misty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

## Section 9 Physical &amp; Chemical Properties

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| <b>Appearance:</b> Clear, colorless liquid.<br><b>Odor:</b> No odor.<br><b>Odor threshold:</b> No data available<br><b>pH:</b> No data available<br><b>Melting / Freezing point:</b> ~ 0°C (~ 32°F) [water]<br><b>Boiling point:</b> ~ 100°C (212°F) [water]<br><b>Flash point:</b> Not flammable.<br><b>Evaporation rate ( = 1):</b> < 1 | <b>Flammability (solid/gas):</b> No data available<br><b>Explosion limits: Upper/Lower:</b> No data available<br><b>Vapor pressure (mm Hg):</b> 14 [water]<br><b>Vapor density (Air = 1):</b> 0.7 [water]<br><b>Relative density (Specific gravity):</b> 1.0 [water]<br><b>Solubility(ies):</b> Complete.<br><b>Partition coefficient:</b> (n-octanol / water): No data available<br><b>Auto-ignition temperature:</b> No data available | <b>Decomposition temperature:</b> No data available<br><b>Viscosity:</b> No data available<br><b>Molecular formula:</b> Mixture.<br><b>Molecular weight:</b> Mixture. |
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## Section 10 Stability &amp; Reactivity

**Chemical stability:** Stable **Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.

**Conditions to avoid:** Containers may burst when heated. Avoid contact with water.

**Incompatible materials:** Metals, bases, active metals, alkali metals, oxidizing agents, hydroxides, amines, carbonates, cyanides, sulfides, sulfites, formaldehyde.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Hydrogen chloride gas.

## Section 11 Toxicological Information

**Acute toxicity:** Data not available

**Skin corrosion/irritation:** Data not available at this dilution.

**Serious eye damage/irritation:** Data not available at this dilution.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** Data not available

**Germ cell mutagenicity:** Data not available

**Carcinogenicity:** Data not available

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by NTP.

IARC: Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**Reproductive toxicity:** Data not available

**STOT-single exposure:** Data not available at this dilution.

**STOT-repeated exposure:** Data not available

**Aspiration hazard:** Data not available

**Potential health effects:** To the best of our knowledge the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Specific data is not available. Exercise appropriate procedures to minimize potential hazards.

Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Material may cause irritation to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.

Skin: May cause irritation and/or burns.

Eyes: May cause irritation and/or burns.

**Signs and symptoms of exposure:** Data not available at this dilution.

**Additional information:** RTECS #: MW4025000 [Hydrochloric acid]

## Section 12 Ecological Information

**Toxicity to fish:** LC50 - Gambusia affinis (Mosquito fish) - 282 mg/l - 96 h (Hydrochloric acid)

**Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates:** No data available

**Toxicity to algae:** No data available

**Persistence and degradability:** No data available

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No data available

**Mobility in soil:** No data available

**PBT and vPvB assessment:** No data available

**Other adverse effects:** An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

## Section 13 Disposal Considerations

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

## Section 14 Transport Information (US DOT / CANADA TDG)

**UN/NA number:** Not applicable

**Shipping name:** Not Regulated

**Hazard class:** Not applicable

**Packing group:** Not applicable

**Reportable Quantity:** No

**Marine pollutant:** No

**Exceptions:** Not applicable

**2016 ERG Guide #** Not applicable

## Section 15 Regulatory Information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

| Component               | TSCA   | CERLCA (RQ) | RCRA code  | DSL        | NDSL       |
|-------------------------|--------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Hydrochloric acid, 0.1M | Listed | Not listed  | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed |

## Section 16 Other Information

The information contained herein is furnished without warranty of any kind. Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them and must make independent determinations of suitability and completeness of information from all sources to assure proper use of these materials and the safety and health of employees. NTP: National Toxicology Program, IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer, OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration, STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity, SE: Single Exposure, RE: Repeated Exposure, ERG: Emergency Response Guidebook.

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| <b>Product</b>  | <b>PHENOLPHTHALEIN IN METHANOL</b> |
| <b>Synonyms</b> | Methanol with Phenolphthalein      |

## Section 2 Hazards Identification

**Signal word:** DANGER**Pictograms:** GHS02 / GHS06 / GHS08**Target organs:** Central nervous system, Liver, Kidneys, Heart**GHS Classification:**

Flammable liquid (Category 2)

Acute toxicity, oral (Category 3)

Acute toxicity, dermal (Category 3)

Acute toxicity, inhalation (Category 3)

Mutagenicity (Category 2)

Carcinogenicity (Category 1B)

Reproductive toxicity (Category 2)

STOT-SE (Category 1)

**GHS Label information: Hazard statement:**

H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H301: Toxic if swallowed.

H311: Toxic in contact with skin.

H331: Toxic if inhaled.

H341: Suspected of causing genetic defects.

H350: May cause cancer.

H361f: Suspected of damaging fertility.

H370: Causes damage to organs.

**Precautionary statement:**

P201: Obtain special instructions before use.

P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.

P241: Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.

P242: Use only non-sparking tools.

P243: Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

P260: Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P301+P330 +P310: IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Immediately call a POISON

CENTER or doctor/physician.

P303+P361+P353: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

P304+P340: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

P308+P312: IF exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

P370+P378: In case of fire: Use dry chemical, alcohol foam, carbon dioxide or water spray to extinguish.

P403+P233+P235: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

Keep cool.

P405: Store locked up.

P501: Dispose of contents/container to a licensed chemical disposal agency in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations.

Ca Prop 65: This product contains a chemical(s) known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity (Methanol, developmental) (Phenolphthalein, cancer).

## Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

| Chemical Name   | CAS #   | %     | EINECS    |
|-----------------|---------|-------|-----------|
| Methanol        | 67-56-1 | 99.5% | 200-659-6 |
| Phenolphthalein | 77-09-8 | 0.5%  | 201-004-7 |

## Section 4 First Aid Measures

**INGESTION:** MAY BE FATAL OR CAUSE BLINDNESS IF SWALLOWED. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**INHALATION:** VAPOR HARMFUL. HARMFUL IF INHALED. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

**EYE CONTACT:** CAUSES EYE IRRITATION. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

**SKIN ABSORPTION:** HARMFUL IN CONTACT WITH SKIN. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

## Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol foam.**Protective Actions for Fire-fighters:** In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.**Specific Hazards:** During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Fires involving a small amount of combustibles may be smothered by dry chemical. Vapors formed from this product are heavier than air and may travel along the ground to a distant source of ignition and flash back instantly. Closed containers exposed to heat may explode. Burns with a clear, almost invisible flame. Contact with strong oxidizers may cause fire.

## Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

**Personal Precautions:** Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.**Containment and Cleanup:** Remove all sources of ignition. Absorb with inert dry material, sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

**Precautions for Safe Handling:** Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale vapors, spray or mist. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

**Conditions for Safe Storage:** Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Keep away from ignition sources.

## Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

| Exposure Limits: | Chemical Name | ACGIH (TLV)                                              | OSHA (PEL)                 | NIOSH (REL)                                              |
|------------------|---------------|----------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|
|                  | Methanol      | TWA: 262 mg/m <sup>3</sup> / STEL: 328 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 260 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 260 mg/m <sup>3</sup> / STEL: 325 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

**Engineering controls:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

**Respiratory protection:** None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If misty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

## Section 9 Physical &amp; Chemical Properties

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| <b>Appearance:</b> Liquid. Clear, colorless.<br><b>Odor:</b> Pungent odor.<br><b>Odor threshold:</b> Data not available.<br><b>pH:</b> Data not available.<br><b>Melting / Freezing point:</b> -98°C (-144°F)*<br><b>Boiling point:</b> 65°C (149°F)*<br><b>Flash point:</b> 11°C (52°F) CC* | <b>Evaporation rate ( Butyl acetate = 1):</b> 4.6*<br><b>Flammability (solid/gas):</b> Data not available.<br><b>Explosion limits: Lower / Upper:</b> 7.3% / 36%*<br><b>Vapor pressure (mm Hg):</b> 96 mm @ 20°C*<br><b>Vapor density (Air = 1):</b> 1.11*<br><b>Relative density (Specific gravity):</b> 0.79*<br><b>Solubility(ies):</b> Complete in water. | <b>Partition coefficient: (n-octanol / water):</b> Low Pow: -.82*<br><b>Auto-ignition temperature:</b> 463°C (867°F)*<br><b>Decomposition temperature:</b> Data not available.<br><b>Viscosity:</b> Data not available.<br><b>Molecular formula:</b> Mixture<br><b>Molecular weight:</b> Mixture |
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\*Methanol

## Section 10 Stability &amp; Reactivity

**Chemical stability:** Stable  
**Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.  
**Conditions to avoid:** Excessive temperatures, heat, sparks, open flame and other sources of ignition.  
**Incompatible materials:** Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids, zinc, aluminum and magnesium, reducers, alkalies.  
**Hazardous decomposition products:** Oxides of carbon and formaldehyde.

## Section 11 Toxicological Information

**Acute toxicity: Methanol:** Oral-rat LD50: 5,628 mg/kg ; Inhalation-rat LC50: 64,000 mg/kg/4hours ; Skin-rabbit LD50: 15,800 mg/kg  
**Skin corrosion/irritation:** Data not available  
**Serious eye damage/irritation:** Data not available  
**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** Data not available  
**Germ cell mutagenicity:** Data not available  
**Carcinogenicity:** Data not available  
 NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.  
 IARC classified: Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans [Phenolphthalein].  
 OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.  
**Reproductive toxicity:** Data not available  
**STOT-single exposure:** The substance or mixture is classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure, category 1 with narcotic effects.  
**STOT-repeated exposure:** Data not available  
**Aspiration hazard:** Data not available  
**Potential health effects:**  
 Inhalation: Inhalation of this material may cause irritation of the respiratory tract, nausea, shortness of breath and headache.  
 Ingestion: Ingestion may cause headache, dizziness, weakness, euphoria, drowsiness, shortness of breath, vomiting and incoordination. Can also cause blindness and death.  
 Cannot be made nonpoisonous.  
 Skin: Contact with skin can cause moderate irritation, defatting, cracking and dermatitis. Skin absorption may contribute to overall exposure.  
 Eyes: Contact with eyes can cause severe irritation, even corneal burns. High concentrations of vapors may cause irritation.  
**Signs and symptoms of exposure:** See Potential health effects above.  
**Additional information: RTECS #: Methanol:** PC1400000

## Section 12 Ecological Information

**Toxicity to fish: Methanol:** Lepomis macrochirus (fish, fresh water), LC50 = 15,400 mg/l/96 hours  
**Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: Methanol:** Daphnia magna, EC50 = >10,000 mg/l/48 hours  
**Toxicity to algae:** No data available  
**Persistence and degradability:** Readily biodegradable  
**Bioaccumulative potential:** Not expected to bioaccumulate  
**Mobility in soil:** No data available  
**PBT and vPvB assessment:** No data available  
**Other adverse effects:** An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

## Section 13 Disposal Considerations

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

## Section 14 Transport Information (US DOT / CANADA TDG)

**UN/NA number:** UN1230  
**Shipping name:** Methanol solution  
**Hazard class:** Domestic: 3 International: 3, (6.1)  
**Packing group:** II  
**Reportable Quantity:** Yes  
**Marine pollutant:** No  
**Exceptions:** Limited quantity equal to or less than 1 L  
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## Section 15 Regulatory Information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

| Component       | TSCA   | CERCLA (RQ)          | RCRA code  | DSL    | NDSL       |
|-----------------|--------|----------------------|------------|--------|------------|
| Methanol        | Listed | 5,000 lbs. (2270 kg) | U154       | Listed | Not listed |
| Phenolphthalein | Listed | Not listed           | Not listed | Listed | Not listed |

## Section 16 Other Information

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**Product** SODIUM HYDROXIDE, 0.01 MOLAR SOLUTION

**Synonyms** Sodium Hydroxide, Water Solution (0.01M/0.01N)

## Section 2 Hazards Identification

**Signal word:** WARNING

**Pictograms:** No symbol required

**Target organs:** Respiratory tract, gastrointestinal tract, eyes, skin.

**GHS Classification:**

Skin irritation (Category 3)

Eye irritation (Category 2B)

**GHS Label information: Hazard statement:**

H316: Causes mild skin irritation.

H320: Causes eye irritation.

**Precautionary statement:**

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P332+P313: If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention.

P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P337+P313: If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.

Ca Prop 65: This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

## Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

| Chemical Name    | CAS #     | %      | EINECS    |
|------------------|-----------|--------|-----------|
| Water            | 7732-18-5 | 99.96% | 231-791-2 |
| Sodium hydroxide | 1310-73-2 | 0.04%  | 215-185-5 |

## Section 4 First Aid Measures

**INGESTION:** MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

**EYE CONTACT:** CAUSES IRRITATION. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

**SKIN ABSORPTION:** CAUSES IRRITATION. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

## Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Dry chemical, water spray, alcohol foam. Can react with carbon dioxide to form sodium carbonate.

**Protective Actions for Fire-fighters:** In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

**Specific Hazards:** In fire conditions, water may evaporate from this solution which may cause hazardous decomposition products to be formed as dust or fume. Contact with metals can generate hydrogen gas.

## Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

**Personal Precautions:** Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

**Containment and Cleanup:** Absorb with inert dry material, sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.



**Precautions for Safe Handling:** Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale vapors, spray or mist. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

**Conditions for Safe Storage:** Store in a cool, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

## Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

| Exposure Limits: | Chemical Name    | ACGIH (TLV)                 | OSHA (PEL)               | NIOSH (REL)                 |
|------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
|                  | Sodium hydroxide | STEL: C 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | STEL: C 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

**Engineering controls:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

**Respiratory protection:** None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If misty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

## Section 9 Physical &amp; Chemical Properties

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| <b>Appearance:</b> Clear, colorless liquid.<br><b>Odor:</b> No odor.<br><b>Odor threshold:</b> Not applicable.<br><b>pH:</b> Data not available.<br><b>Melting / Freezing point:</b> ~ 0°C (~ 32°F) [water]<br><b>Boiling point:</b> ~ 100°C (212°F) [water]<br><b>Flash point:</b> Not flammable. | <b>Evaporation rate ( Water = 1):</b> < 1<br><b>Flammability (solid/gas):</b> Not applicable.<br><b>Explosion limits: Lower / Upper:</b> Not applicable<br><b>Vapor pressure (mm Hg):</b> 14 [water]<br><b>Vapor density (Air = 1):</b> 0.7 [water]<br><b>Relative density (Specific gravity):</b> 1.0 [water]<br><b>Solubility(ies):</b> Complete in water. | <b>Partition coefficient: (n-octanol / water):</b> Not applicable<br><b>Auto-ignition temperature:</b> Not applicable<br><b>Decomposition temperature:</b> Data not available.<br><b>Viscosity:</b> Data not available.<br><b>Molecular formula:</b> Mixture<br><b>Molecular weight:</b> Mixture |
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## Section 10 Stability &amp; Reactivity

**Chemical stability:** Stable  
**Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.  
**Conditions to avoid:** Can react with carbon dioxide to form sodium carbonate.  
**Incompatible materials:** Metals, acids, organic compounds, organic nitro compounds.  
**Hazardous decomposition products:** Sodium oxide. Reacts with metals to form flammable and explosive hydrogen gas.

## Section 11 Toxicological Information

**Acute toxicity:** Data not available  
**Skin corrosion/irritation:** Skin - rabbit - Causes severe burns. - 24 h [Sodium hydroxide]  
**Serious eye damage/irritation:** Eyes - rabbit - Severe eye irritation - 24 h [Sodium hydroxide]  
**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** Data not available  
**Germ cell mutagenicity:** Data not available  
**Carcinogenicity:** Data not available  
 NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.  
 IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.  
 OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.  
**Reproductive toxicity:** Data not available  
**STOT-single exposure:** Data not available  
**STOT-repeated exposure:** Data not available  
**Aspiration hazard:** Data not available  
**Potential health effects:**  
 Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.  
 Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.  
 Skin: May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.  
 Eyes: Causes eye burns. Causes severe eye burns.  
**Signs and symptoms of exposure:** Spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema, burning sensation, cough, wheezing, laryngitis, shortness of breath, headache, nausea, vomiting. Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin.  
**Additional information:** RTECS #: WB4900000 [Sodium hydroxide]

## Section 12 Ecological Information

**Toxicity to fish:** LC50 - Gambusia affinis (Mosquito fish) - 125 mg/l - 96 h [Sodium hydroxide]  
**Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates:** Immobilization EC50 - Daphnia - 40.38 mg/l - 48 h [Sodium hydroxide]  
**Toxicity to algae:** No data available  
**Persistence and degradability:** No data available  
**Bioaccumulative potential:** No data available  
**Mobility in soil:** No data available  
**PBT and vPvB assessment:** No data available  
**Other adverse effects:** An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

## Section 13 Disposal Considerations

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

## Section 14 Transport Information (US DOT / CANADA TDG)

**UN/NA number:** Not applicable  
**Shipping name:** Not Regulated  
**Hazard class:** Not applicable  
**Packing group:** Not applicable  
**Reportable Quantity:** No  
**Marine pollutant:** No  
**Exceptions:** Not applicable  
**2016 ERG Guide #** Not applicable

## Section 15 Regulatory Information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

| Component        | TSCA   | CERLCA (RQ)        | RCRA code | DSL    | NDSL       |
|------------------|--------|--------------------|-----------|--------|------------|
| Sodium hydroxide | Listed | 1,000 lbs (454 kg) | D002      | Listed | Not listed |

## Section 16 Other Information

The information contained herein is furnished without warranty of any kind. Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them and must make independent determinations of suitability and completeness of information from all sources to assure proper use of these materials and the safety and health of employees. NTP: National Toxicology Program, IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer, OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration, STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity, SE: Single Exposure, RE: Repeated Exposure, ERG: Emergency Response Guidebook.

## Section 1 Chemical Product and Company Identification

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## Section 2 Hazards Identification

**Signal word:** DANGER

**Pictograms:** GHS02 / GHS07 / GHS08 / GHS06

**Target organs:** Eyes, Central nervous system, Liver, Kidneys.

**GHS Classification:**

Flammable liquid (Category 2)  
 Acute toxicity, inhalation (Category 3)  
 Skin irritation (Category 2)  
 Eye irritation (Category 2B)  
 STOT-SE (Category 2)  
 STOT-SE (Category 3)

**GHS Label information: Hazard statement:**

H225: Highly flammable liquid and vapour.  
 H315: Causes skin irritation.  
 H319: Causes serious eye irritation.  
 H331: Toxic if inhaled.  
 H336: May cause drowsiness or dizziness.  
 H371: May cause damage to organs.

**Precautionary statement:**

P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.  
 P240: Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.  
 P241: Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.  
 P242: Use only non-sparking tools.  
 P243: Take precautionary measures against static discharge.  
 P260: Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.  
 P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.  
 P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
 P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
 P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
 P303+P361+P353: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.  
 P304+P340: IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.  
 P312: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell.  
 P332+P313: If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention.  
 P337+P313: If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.  
 P362+P364: Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.  
 P403+P233: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.  
 P501: Dispose of contents/container to a licensed chemical disposal agency in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

Ca Prop 65: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause reproductive toxicity (Methanol, developmental).

## Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

| Chemical Name          | CAS #      | %              | EINECS    |
|------------------------|------------|----------------|-----------|
| Ethyl alcohol          | 64-17-5    | 64.50 - 65.11% | 200-578-6 |
| Water                  | 7732-18-5  | 23.96%         | 231-791-2 |
| Isopropyl alcohol      | 67-63-0    | 6.83%          | 200-661-7 |
| Methanol               | 67-56-1    | 3.03 - 3.26%   | 200-659-6 |
| Methyl isobutyl ketone | 108-10-1   | 0.68 - 0.76%   | 203-550-1 |
| Bromothymol blue       | 76-59-5    | 0.06%          | 200-971-2 |
| Phenolphthalein        | 77-19-8    | 0.06%          | 201-004-7 |
| Methyl red             | 845-10-3   | 0.02%          | 212-682-9 |
| Thymol blue            | 62625-21-2 | 0.005%         | 263-650-6 |

## Section 4 First Aid Measures

**INGESTION:** MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**INHALATION:** MAY BE HARMFUL IF INHALED. CAUSES RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

**EYE CONTACT:** CAUSES EYE IRRITATION. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

**SKIN ABSORPTION:** MAY BE HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. CAUSES SKIN IRRITATION. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

## Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol foam.

**Protective Actions for Fire-fighters:** In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

**Specific Hazards:** During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Vapors formed from this product are heavier than air and may travel along the ground to a distant source of ignition and flash back instantly. Flame may not be visible in daylight.

## Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

**Personal Precautions:** Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

**Containment and Cleanup:** Remove all sources of ignition. Absorb with inert dry material, sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

**Precautions for Safe Handling:** Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale vapors, spray or mist. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

**Conditions for Safe Storage:** Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Keep away from ignition sources.

## Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

| Exposure Limits: | Chemical Name | ACGIH (TLV)                                  | OSHA (PEL)                             | NIOSH (REL)                            |
|------------------|---------------|----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
|                  | Ethanol       | STEL: 1000 ppm / 1880 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (A3) | TWA: 1000 ppm / 1900 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | TWA: 1000 ppm / 1900 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

**Engineering controls:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

**Respiratory protection:** None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If misty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

## Section 9 Physical &amp; Chemical Properties

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| <b>Appearance:</b> Clear, green liquid.<br><b>Odor:</b> Mild characteristic odor.<br><b>Odor threshold:</b> Data not available.<br><b>pH:</b> Data not available.<br><b>Melting / Freezing point:</b> -114°C (-173°F)*<br><b>Boiling point:</b> 75-80°C (173-174°F)*<br><b>Flash point:</b> Approximately 21°C (70°F) | <b>Evaporation rate ( Butyl acetate = 1):</b> 4.1*<br><b>Flammability (solid/gas):</b> Data not available.<br><b>Explosion limits: Lower / Upper:</b> 4.0%(V) / 20.0%(V)*<br><b>Vapor pressure (mm Hg):</b> 44.6 @ 20°C (68°F)*<br><b>Vapor density (Air = 1):</b> 1.59*<br><b>Relative density (Specific gravity):</b> 0.794 @ 60°F*<br><b>Solubility(ies):</b> Soluble in water. | <b>Partition coefficient:</b> Data not available<br><b>Auto-ignition temperature:</b> 400°C (752°F)*<br><b>Decomposition temperature:</b> Data not available.<br><b>Viscosity:</b> Data not available.<br><b>Molecular formula:</b> Mixture<br><b>Molecular weight:</b> Mixture |
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\*[Pure Ethanol]

## Section 10 Stability &amp; Reactivity

**Chemical stability:** Stable **Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.

**Conditions to avoid:** Excessive temperatures, heat, sparks, open flame and other sources of ignition.

**Incompatible materials:** Strong oxidizers, inorganic acids and halogens.

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Oxides of carbon.

## Section 11 Toxicological Information

**Acute toxicity:** Oral-rat LD50: 7060 mg/kg ; Inhalation-rat LC50: 124.7 mg/l/4hours [Ethanol]

**Skin corrosion/irritation:** Skin-rabbit - Slight irritant.

**Serious eye damage/irritation:** Eyes-rabbit - Severe irritant.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** Data not available

**Germ cell mutagenicity:** Data not available

**Carcinogenicity:** Data not available

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

IARC classified: Group 3: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans. [Isopropanol]

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**Reproductive toxicity:** Data not available

**STOT-single exposure:** The substance or mixture is classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure, category 3 with narcotic effects.

**STOT-repeated exposure:** Data not available

**Aspiration hazard:** Data not available

**Potential health effects:**

Inhalation: Inhalation may cause dizziness, drowsiness, nausea, vomiting, inability to concentrate and irritation of the throat.

Ingestion: Ingestion causes dizziness, drowsiness, decreased reaction, euphoria, nausea, vomiting, staggering gait and coma.

Skin: Contact with skin causes irritation defatting on prolonged contact.

Eyes: Contact with eyes may cause blindness.

**Signs and symptoms of exposure:** See Potential health effects above.

**Additional information:** RTECS #: KQ6300000 [Ethanol]

## Section 12 Ecological Information

**Toxicity to fish:** Oncorhynchus mykiss (fish, fresh water), LC50 = 11,200 mg/l/24 hours [Ethanol]

**Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates:** Daphnia magna (Crustacea), EC50 = 10,800 mg/l/24 hours [Ethanol, 99.8% pure]

**Toxicity to algae:** Chlorella pyrenoidosa (Algae), EC50 = 9,310 mg/l/growth rate [Ethanol, absolute]

**Persistence and degradability:** No data available

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No data available

**Mobility in soil:** No data available

**PBT and vPvB assessment:** No data available

**Other adverse effects:** An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

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## Section 14 Transport Information (US DOT / CANADA TDG)

**UN/NA number:** UN1170

**Shipping name:** Ethanol solution

**Hazard class:** 3

**Packing group:** II

**Reportable Quantity:** 5,000 lbs (2270 kg)

**Marine pollutant:** No

**Exceptions:** Limited quantity equal to or less than 1 L

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## Section 15 Regulatory Information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

| Component   | TSCA   | CERCLA (RQ) | RCRA code  | DSL    | NDSL       |
|-------------|--------|-------------|------------|--------|------------|
| Ethanol     | Listed | Not listed  | D001       | Listed | Not listed |
| Methanol    | Listed | 5,000 lbs.  | U154       | Listed | Not listed |
| Isopropanol | Listed | Not listed  | Not listed | Listed | Not listed |

## Section 16 Other Information

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