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**METHYLDIMETHOXYSILANE**

Safety Data Sheet SIM6508.0

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**SECTION 1: Identification****1.1. Identification**

Product name : METHYLDIMETHOXYSILANE  
 Product code : SIM6508.0  
 Product form : Substance  
 Physical state : Liquid  
 Formula : C3H10O2Si  
 Synonyms : DIMETHOXYMETHYLSILANE  
 Chemical family : ORGANOMETHOXYSILANE

**1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use**

Recommended use : Chemical intermediate

**1.3. Supplier****GELEST, INC.**

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**1.4. Emergency telephone number**

Emergency number : CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (USA); +1 703-527-3887 (International)

**SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification****2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****GHS-US classification**

Flammable liquids Category 2 H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor  
 Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation  
 Full text of H statements : see section 16

**2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements****GHS US labeling**

Hazard pictograms (GHS US) :



Signal word (GHS US) : Danger

Hazard statements (GHS US) : H225 - Highly flammable liquid and vapor  
 H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

Precautionary statements (GHS US) : P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
 P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling.  
 P210 - Keep away from heat, open flames, sparks. - No smoking.  
 P233 - Keep container tightly closed.  
 P240 - Ground/Bond container and receiving equipment  
 P241 - Use explosion-proof electrical equipment  
 P242 - Use only non-sparking tools.  
 P243 - Take precautionary measures against static discharge.  
 P303+P361+P353 - If on skin (or hair): take off immediately all contaminated clothing. rinse skin with water/shower  
 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 advice/attention.  
 P370+P378 - In case of fire: Use water spray or fog, foam, carbon dioxide, dry chemical to extinguish.  
 P403+P235 - Keep in a cool place  
 P501 - Dispose of contents/container to licensed waste disposal facility.

**2.3. Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

No additional information available

**2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)**

Not applicable

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### SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

Substance type : Multi-constituent  
Name : METHYLDIMETHOXYSILANE  
CAS-No. : 16881-77-9

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
Methyldimethoxysilane	(CAS-No.) 16881-77-9	> 95	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Eye Irrit. 2A, H319
Methanol	(CAS-No.) 67-56-1	< 0.5	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Acute Tox. 3 (Oral), H301 Acute Tox. 3 (Dermal), H311 Acute Tox. 3 (Inhalation:vapour), H331 Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Dam. 1, H318 STOT SE 1, H370 STOT SE 3, H336

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

### SECTION 4: First-aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible). If possible show this sheet; if not available show packaging or label.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash with plenty of soap and water.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Immediately flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical advice/attention.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : May cause irritation to the respiratory tract.

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : May cause skin irritation.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : May be harmful if swallowed.

Chronic symptoms : On contact with water this compound liberates methanol which is known to have a chronic effect on the central nervous system.

#### 4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: This product reacts with water in the acid contents of the stomach to form methanol. The combination of visual disturbances, metabolic acidosis and formic acid in urine is evidence of methanol poisoning. The therapeutic intravenous administration of ethanol (10 mls/hour) allows methanol to be preferentially oxidized and reduces production of methanol metabolites. Acidosis must be treated with intravenous administration of sodium bicarbonate and methanol elimination may be increased by hemodialysis, as indicated. Treatment should be based on blood methanol levels and acid-base balance.

### SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

#### 5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Water fog. Foam. Carbon dioxide. Dry chemical.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : None known.

#### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire hazard : Highly flammable liquid and vapor. Irritating fumes and organic acid vapors may develop when material is exposed to elevated temperatures or open flame.

Explosion hazard : May form flammable/explosive vapor-air mixture.

#### 5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection. Avoid all eye and skin contact and do not breathe vapor and mist.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Remove ignition sources. Use special care to avoid static electric charges.

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### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : With adequate eye protection, absorb material and transfer to a suitable container for hydrolysis and disposal. Use only non-sparking tools.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Additional hazards when processed : Handle empty containers with care because residual vapors are flammable.  
Precautions for safe handling : Avoid all eye and skin contact and do not breathe vapor and mist. Containers and transfer lines require grounding during use. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent accumulation of vapors. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Use only non-sparking tools.  
Hygiene measures : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures : Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed. Use explosion-proof electrical equipment.  
Storage conditions : Keep container tightly closed. Short term storage in sealed containers. (May build pressure during extended storage. Vent slowly.).  
Incompatible materials : Oxidizing agent.  
Storage area : Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from heat.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

Methanol (67-56-1)		
ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (ppm)	200 ppm
ACGIH	ACGIH STEL (ppm)	250 ppm
OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	260 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)	200 ppm
IDLH	US IDLH (ppm)	6000 ppm
NIOSH	NIOSH REL (TWA) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	260 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
NIOSH	NIOSH REL (TWA) (ppm)	200 ppm
NIOSH	NIOSH REL (STEL) (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	325 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
NIOSH	NIOSH REL (STEL) (ppm)	250 ppm
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OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)	10 ppm (Gelest recommendation)

### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Provide local exhaust or general room ventilation.

### 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

#### Personal protective equipment:

Avoid all unnecessary exposure. Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure.

#### Hand protection:

Neoprene or nitrile rubber gloves

#### Eye protection:

Chemical goggles. Contact lenses should not be worn

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### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

### Respiratory protection:

NIOSH-certified organic vapor (black cartridge) respirator.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Appearance	: Clear liquid.
Molecular mass	: 106.2 g/mol
Color	: No data available
Odor	: Characteristic.
Odor threshold	: No data available
Refractive index	: 1.36
pH	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: < 1
Melting point	: -136 °C
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: 61 °C
Flash point	: -17 °C
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Highly flammable liquid and vapor
Vapor pressure	: < 150 mm Hg @ 20°C
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: > 1
Relative density	: 0.861
% Volatiles	: 100 %
Solubility	: Reacts with water. Insoluble in water.
Log Pow	: No data available
Log Kow	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: 0.5 cSt
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available
Explosion limits	: No data available

### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Material decomposes slowly in contact with moist air or with water liberating methanol. Strong bases including amines can cause disproportion of this material to pyrophoric products. Platinum, platinum and iron salts and other Lewis acids can cause generation of flammable hydrogen gas in the presence of moisture.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Heat. Sparks. Open flame.

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agent.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hydrogen. Methanol. Organic acid vapors. Silicon dioxide.

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### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not classified

#### METHYLDIMETHOXYSILANE (16881-77-9)

LD50 oral rat	12300 µl/kg
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#### Methanol (67-56-1)

LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	22500 ppm (Exposure time: 8 h)
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ATE US (oral)	100 mg/kg body weight
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ATE US (dermal)	300 mg/kg body weight
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ATE US (vapors)	3 mg/l/4h
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#### Methyldimethoxysilane (16881-77-9)

LD50 oral rat	5600 µl/kg
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LD50 dermal rabbit	730 µl/kg
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Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified

Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye irritation.  
Eye Irritation - rabbit: 10 µL: moderate irritation effect

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Carcinogenicity : Not classified

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : The hydrolysis product of this compound is methanol.

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : May cause irritation to the respiratory tract.

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : May cause skin irritation.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes serious eye irritation.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : May be harmful if swallowed.

Chronic symptoms : On contact with water this compound liberates methanol which is known to have a chronic effect on the central nervous system.

Reason for classification : RTECS Number: VV3644166

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

#### Methanol (67-56-1)

LC50 fish 1	28200 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Pimephales promelas [flow-through])
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LC50 fish 2	> 100 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Pimephales promelas [static])
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#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

#### Methanol (67-56-1)

BCF fish 1	< 10
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Log Pow	-0.77
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#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

#### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Effect on the ozone layer : No additional information available

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Disposal methods

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Dispose of contents/container to licensed waste disposal facility.

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Additional information : Handle empty containers with care because residual vapors are flammable.  
Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

#### 14.1. UN number

UN-No.(DOT) : 1993  
DOT NA no. UN1993

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Transport document description : UN1993 Flammable liquids, n.o.s. (METHYLDIMETHOXSILANE), 3, II  
Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Flammable liquids, n.o.s.  
(METHYLDIMETHOXSILANE)  
Class (DOT) : 3 - Class 3 - Flammable and combustible liquid 49 CFR 173.120  
Packing group (DOT) : II - Medium Danger  
Hazard labels (DOT) : 3 - Flammable liquid



DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 202  
DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 242  
DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 150  
DOT Symbols : G - Identifies PSN requiring a technical name

#### 14.3. Additional information

Emergency Response Guide (ERG) Number : 128  
Other information : (Air transport of self-venting containers is prohibited).

#### Transport by sea

DOT Vessel Stowage Location : B - (i) The material may be stowed "on deck" or "under deck" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel carrying a number of passengers limited to not more than the larger of 25 passengers, or one passenger per each 3 m of overall vessel length; and (ii) "On deck only" on passenger vessels in which the number of passengers specified in paragraph (k)(2)(i) of this section is exceeded.

#### Air transport

DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail (49 CFR 173.27) : 5 L  
DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 CFR 175.75) : 60 L

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1. US Federal regulations

##### Methanol (67-56-1)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory  
Subject to reporting requirements of United States SARA Section 313

SARA Section 313 - Emission Reporting : 1 %

##### Methyldimethoxysilane (16881-77-9)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

#### 15.2. International regulations

##### CANADA

##### Methanol (67-56-1)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

WHMIS Classification	Class B Division 2 - Flammable Liquid Class D Division 1 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects Class D Division 2 Subdivision A - Very toxic material causing other toxic effects Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects
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### Methyldimethoxysilane (16881-77-9)

Listed on the Canadian NDSL (Non-Domestic Substances List)

### EU-Regulations

#### Methanol (67-56-1)

Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)

#### Methyldimethoxysilane (16881-77-9)

Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)

### National regulations

#### Methanol (67-56-1)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory  
Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)  
Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)  
Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)  
Japanese Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law  
Listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)  
Listed on INSQ (Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances)  
Listed on CICR (Turkish Inventory and Control of Chemicals)

#### Methyldimethoxysilane (16881-77-9)

Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)  
Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory

### 15.3. US State regulations

**WARNING:** This product can expose you to Methanol, which is known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information go to [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov).

#### Methanol (67-56-1)

U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxicity	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Female	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Male	No significant risk level (NSRL)	Maximum allowable dose level (MADL)
No	Yes	No	No		

#### Methanol (67-56-1)

U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List  
U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List  
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) - Environmental Hazard List  
U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List

## SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H-phrases::

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapor
H301	Toxic if swallowed
H311	Toxic in contact with skin
H315	Causes skin irritation
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H331	Toxic if inhaled
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness
H370	Causes damage to organs

Abbreviations and acronyms

: Abbreviations: ND: Not Determined, No Data; NA: Not Applicable; LD: Lethal Dose; LC: Lethal Concentration; ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimates; H: hour; °: °C unless otherwise stated; mm: millimeters Hg, torr; PEL: permissible exposure level; TWA: time weighted average; TLV: threshold limit value; TG: Test Guideline; NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer; NTP: National Toxicology Program; HMIS: Hazardous Material Information System; CAS No.: Chemical Abstract Service Registration Number; EC No.: European Commission Registration Number; EC Index No.: European Commission Index Number; OECD: The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; GHS: The Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling; APF: Assigned Protection Factor.

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### Hazard Rating

Health	: 4 Severe Hazard - Life-threatening, major or permanent damage may result from single or repeated overexposures
Flammability	: 4 Severe Hazard - Flammable gases, or very volatile flammable liquids with flash points below 73 F, and boiling points below 100 F. Materials may ignite spontaneously with air. (Class IA)
Physical	: 1 Slight Hazard - Materials that are normally stable but can become unstable (self-react) at high temperatures and pressures. Materials may react non-violently with water or undergo hazardous polymerization in the absence of inhibitors.

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