

Safety Data Sheet


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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name: Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)**
- **Product code:** ME1000
- **CAS Number:**
67-56-1
- **Recommended use and restriction on use**
- **Recommended use:**
Laboratory chemicals
Industrial uses.
- **Restrictions on use:** No relevant information available.
- **Details of the supplier of the Safety Data Sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
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(800)255-3924 (North America)
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2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**
Flam. Liq. 2 H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
Acute Tox. 3 H301 Toxic if swallowed.
Acute Tox. 3 H311 Toxic in contact with skin.
Acute Tox. 3 H331 Toxic if inhaled.
Eye Irrit. 2B H320 Causes eye irritation.
STOT SE 1 H370 Causes damage to the central nervous system and optic nerve.
- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements**
The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms:**


GHS02 GHS06 GHS08
- **Signal word:** Danger

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· **Hazard statements:**

- H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
 H301+H311+H331 Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.
 H320 Causes eye irritation.
 H370 Causes damage to the central nervous system and optic nerve.

· **Precautionary statements:**

- P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.
 P233 Keep container tightly closed.
 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/vapors/spray.
 P264 Wash 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.
 P301+P310 If swallowed: Immediately call a poison center/doctor.
 P330 Rinse mouth.
 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.
 P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
 P312 Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.
 P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
 P361+P364 Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
 P370+P378 In case of fire: Use for extinction: CO2, powder or water spray.
 P403+P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
 P405 Store locked up.
 P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **Other hazards** There are no other hazards not otherwise classified that have been identified.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

· **Chemical characterization: Substances**

- **CAS No. Description**
 67-56-1 methanol

4 First-aid measures

· **Description of first aid measures**

· **After inhalation:**

- Supply fresh air.
 Seek immediate medical advice.
 If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a poison center/doctor.

· **After skin contact:**

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Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

Immediately rinse with water.

If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.

· **After eye contact:**

Remove contact lenses if worn.

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

· **After swallowing:**

Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water.

Do not induce vomiting; immediately call for medical help.

· **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:**

Breathing difficulty

Dizziness

Coughing

Causes eye irritation.

Causes mild skin irritation.

Gastric or intestinal disorders when ingested.

Nausea

Acidosis

Blindness

Disorientation

Unconsciousness

· **Danger:**

Danger of impaired breathing.

Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.

Causes damage to the central nervous system and optic nerve.

· **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:**

Contains ethanediol. Consult literature for specific antidotes.

Medical supervision for at least 48 hours.

If necessary oxygen respiration treatment.

If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

5 Fire-fighting measures

· **Extinguishing media**

· **Suitable extinguishing agents:**

Alcohol resistant foam

Gaseous extinguishing agents

Carbon dioxide

Water fog / haze

Water spray

Fire-extinguishing powder

· **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** No relevant information available.

· **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.

· **Advice for firefighters**

· **Protective equipment:**

Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

Wear fully protective suit.

· **Additional information:**

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Eliminate all ignition sources if safe to do so.
Cool endangered receptacles with water in flooding quantities.
Use large quantities of foam as it is partially destroyed by the product.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Isolate area and prevent access.
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Keep away from ignition sources.
Use respiratory protective device against the effects of fumes/dust/aerosol.

- **Environmental precautions** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

Absorb with non-combustible liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders).
Send for recovery or disposal in suitable receptacles.

- **Reference to other sections**

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling**

- **Precautions for safe handling:**

Avoid splashes or spray in enclosed areas.
Use only in well ventilated areas.
Open and handle receptacle with care.

- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:**

Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.
Protect from heat.
Protect against electrostatic charges.
Flammable gas-air mixtures may be formed in empty containers/receptacles.

- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:**

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.

- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:**

Store away from foodstuffs.
Store away from oxidizing agents.

- **Further information about storage conditions:** This product is hygroscopic.

- **Specific end use(s)** No relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Control parameters**

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· **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

67-56-1 methanol

PEL (USA)	Long-term value: 260 mg/m ³ , 200 ppm
REL (USA)	Short-term value: 325 mg/m ³ , 250 ppm Long-term value: 260 mg/m ³ , 200 ppm Skin
TLV (USA)	Short-term value: 328 mg/m ³ , 250 ppm Long-term value: 262 mg/m ³ , 200 ppm Skin; BEI
EL (Canada)	Short-term value: 250 ppm Long-term value: 200 ppm Skin
EV (Canada)	Short-term value: 325 mg/m ³ , 250 ppm Long-term value: 260 mg/m ³ , 200 ppm Skin
LMPE (Mexico)	Short-term value: 250 ppm Long-term value: 200 ppm PIEL, IBE

· **Ingredients with biological limit values:**

67-56-1 methanol

BEI (USA)	15 mg/L Medium: urine Time: end of shift Parameter: Methanol (background, nonspecific)
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· **Exposure controls**

· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Do not inhale gases / fumes / aerosols.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

· **Engineering controls:** Provide adequate ventilation.

· **Breathing equipment:**

Wear appropriate NIOSH respirator when ventilation is inadequate and occupational exposure limits are exceeded.

· **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

· **Material of gloves**

Nitrile rubber, NBR

Neoprene gloves

Butyl rubber, BR

Laminated film gloves.

· **Not suitable are gloves made of the following materials:**

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PVA gloves
Natural rubber, NR

· **Eye protection:**



Safety glasses

Follow relevant national guidelines concerning the use of protective eyewear.

· **Body protection:** Solvent resistant protective clothing

· **Limitation and supervision of exposure into the environment**

No relevant information available.

· **Risk management measures** No relevant information available.

9 Physical and chemical properties

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **Appearance:**

Form: Liquid

Color: Colorless

· **Odor:** Like alcohol

· **Odor threshold:** Not determined.

· **pH-value:** Not determined.

· **Melting point/Melting range:** -98 °C (-144.4 °F)

· **Boiling point/Boiling range:** 65 °C (149 °F)

· **Flash point:** 12 °C (53.6 °F)

· **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Not applicable.

· **Auto-ignition temperature:** >260 °C (>500 °F)

· **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.

· **Danger of explosion:** Product is not explosive. However, formation of explosive air/vapor mixtures are possible.

· **Explosion limits**

Lower: 6 Vol %

Upper: 31 Vol %

· **Oxidizing properties:** Not determined.

· **Vapor pressure at 20 °C (68 °F):** 130 hPa (97.5 mm Hg) (97.5 mm Hg)

· **Density:**

Relative density: 0.79

Vapor density at 20 °C (68 °F): 1.11

Evaporation rate: Not determined.

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

Water: Fully miscible.

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- **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water) at 20 °C (68 °F):** -0.77 log POW
- **Viscosity**
 - Dynamic: Not determined.
 - Kinematic: Not determined.
- **Other information** No relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity:** No relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability:** Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**
No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions**
Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
Reacts violently with oxidizing agents.
Toxic fumes may be released if heated above the decomposition point.
Used empty containers may contain product gases which form explosive mixtures with air.
Can form explosive mixtures in air if heated above flash point and/or when sprayed or atomized.
Reacts with strong acids and alkali.
- **Conditions to avoid** Excessive heat.
- **Incompatible materials** Oxidizers
- **Hazardous decomposition products**
Under fire conditions only:
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:** Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.

- **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

ATE (Acute Toxicity Estimate)

Oral	LD50	100 mg/kg
Dermal	LD50	300 mg/kg
Inhalative	LC50/4h	3 mg/l

- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **On the skin:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **On the eye:** Irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer):**

Substance is not listed.

- **NTP (National Toxicology Program):**

Substance is not listed.

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· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration):**

Substance is not listed.

· **Probable route(s) of exposure:**

Ingestion.

Inhalation.

Eye contact.

Skin contact.

· **Germ cell mutagenicity:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **Carcinogenicity:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **Reproductive toxicity:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **STOT-single exposure:** Causes damage to the central nervous system and optic nerve.

· **STOT-repeated exposure:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **Aspiration hazard:** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

12 Ecological information

· **Toxicity**

· **Aquatic toxicity** No relevant information available.

· **Persistence and degradability** No relevant information available.

· **Bioaccumulative potential:** No relevant information available.

· **Mobility in soil:** No relevant information available.

· **Additional ecological information**

· **General notes:**

Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

Due to available data on eliminability/decomposition and bioaccumulation potential prolonged term damage of the environment can not be excluded.

· **Other adverse effects** No relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

· **Waste treatment methods**

· **Recommendation:**

Incinerate in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

The user of this material has the responsibility to dispose of unused material, residues and containers in compliance with all relevant local, state and federal laws and regulations regarding treatment, storage and disposal for hazardous and nonhazardous wastes. Residual materials should be treated as hazardous.

· **Uncleaned packagings**

· **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

· **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14 Transport information

· **UN-Number**

· **DOT, ADR/RID/ADN, IMDG, IATA**

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· **UN proper shipping name**
 · DOT, IATA Methanol
 · ADR/RID/ADN, IMDG METHANOL

· **Transport hazard class(es)**

· DOT



· Class 3
 · Label 3

· ADR/RID/ADN



· Class 3 (FT1)
 · Label 3+6.1

· IMDG



· Class 3
 · Label 3/6.1

· IATA



· Class 3
 · Label 3 (6.1)

· **Packing group**

· DOT, ADR/RID/ADN, IMDG, IATA II

· **Environmental hazards**

· Marine pollutant: No

· **Special precautions for user**

Warning: Flammable liquids

· Hazard identification number (Kemler code): 336

· EMS Number: F-E,S-D

· **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code**

Not applicable.

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15 Regulatory information

- Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
- United States (USA)
- SARA

· Section 302 (extremely hazardous substances):

Substance is not listed.

· Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

Substance is listed.

· TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act)

· Proposition 65 (California)

· Chemicals known to cause cancer:

Substance is not listed.

· Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity for females:

Substance is not listed.

· Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity for males:

Substance is not listed.

· Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:

Substance is listed.

· EPA (Environmental Protection Agency):

Substance is not listed.

· IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer):

Substance is not listed.

· Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL):

Substance is not listed.

16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health Administration

Flam. Liq. 2: Flammable liquids – Category 2

Acute Tox. 3: Acute toxicity – Category 3

Eye Irrit. 2B: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2B

STOT SE 1: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 1

· Sources

Website, European Chemicals Agency (echa.europa.eu)

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