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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : B Ethanol
Product code : S8120, S8220
CAS-No. : 64-17-5

Manufacturer or supplier's details

Supplier : SHELL EASTERN CHEMICALS (S)
A REGISTERED BUSINESS OF SHELL EASTERN
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Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use



Recommended use : For use as a component in gasoline., Fuel for use in suitably designed motor vehicles.
Restrictions on use : This product must not be used in applications other than those listed in Section 1 without first seeking the advice of the supplier., This product is not to be used as a solvent or cleaning agent; for lighting or brightening fires; as a skin cleanser.

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS Classification

Flammable liquids : Category 2
Eye irritation : Category 2

GHS label elements

Hazard pictograms :  

Signal word : Danger

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Hazard statements : PHYSICAL HAZARDS:
H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
HEALTH HAZARDS:
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:
Not classified as an environmental hazard under GHS criteria.

Precautionary statements :
Prevention:
P210 Keep away from heat/ sparks/ open flames/ hot surfaces.
No smoking.
P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
Response:
P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/ 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.
Storage:
No precautionary phrases.
Disposal:
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Other hazards which do not result in classification

Slightly irritating to the skin. Slightly irritating to respiratory system. Ingestion may cause drowsiness and dizziness. Possibility of organ or organ system damage from prolonged exposure; see Section 11 for details. Target organ(s): Liver

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Substance

3.1 Substances

Chemical nature : Ethanol manufactured from biological origins.

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May contain a denaturant.

Components

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Classification	Concentration (% w/w)
Ethanol	64-17-5	Flam. Liq.2; H225 Eye Irrit.2; H319	100

For explanation of abbreviations see section 16.

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

- If inhaled : Remove to fresh air. If rapid recovery does not occur, transport to nearest medical facility for additional treatment.
- In case of skin contact : Remove contaminated clothing. Flush exposed area with water and follow by washing with soap if available.
- In case of eye contact : Flush eyes with water while holding eyelids open. Rest eyes for 30 minutes. If redness, burning, blurred vision, or swelling persist transport to the nearest medical facility for additional treatment.
- If swallowed : If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: transport to nearest medical facility for additional treatment. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep head below hips to prevent aspiration.
- Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed : Eye irritation signs and symptoms may include a burning sensation, redness, swelling, and/or blurred vision. Skin irritation signs and symptoms may include a burning sensation, redness, or swelling. If material enters lungs, signs and symptoms may include coughing, choking, wheezing, difficulty in breathing, chest congestion, shortness of breath, and/or fever. Breathing of high vapour concentrations may cause central nervous system (CNS) depression resulting in dizziness, light-headedness, headache, nausea and loss of coordination. Continued inhalation may result in unconsciousness and death. Liver damage may be indicated by loss of appetite, jaundice (yellowish skin and eye colour), fatigue, bleeding or easy bruising and sometimes pain and swelling in the upper right abdomen.
- Protection of first-aiders : When administering first aid, ensure that you are wearing the appropriate personal protective equipment according to the incident, injury and surroundings.
- Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically.

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Persons on disulfiram (Antabuse®) therapy should be aware that the ethyl alcohol in this product is hazardous to them just as is alcohol from any source. Disulfiram reactions (vomiting, headache and even collapse) may follow ingestion of small amounts of alcohol and have also been described from skin contact.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

- Suitable extinguishing media : Alcohol-resistant foam, water spray or fog. Dry chemical powder, carbon dioxide, sand or earth may be used for small fires only.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use water in a jet.
- Simultaneous use of foam and water on the same surface is to be avoided as water destroys the foam.
- Specific hazards during firefighting : Hazardous combustion products may include:
A complex mixture of airborne solid and liquid particulates and gases (smoke).
Carbon monoxide may be evolved if incomplete combustion occurs.
Ethanol burns with a smokeless blue flame that is not always visible in normal light.
- Specific extinguishing methods : Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
If possible remove containers from the danger zone.
If the fire cannot be extinguished the only course of action is to evacuate immediately.
Contain residual material at affected sites to prevent material from entering drains (sewers), ditches, and waterways.
- Special protective equipment for firefighters : Proper protective equipment including chemical resistant gloves are to be worn; chemical resistant suit is indicated if large contact with spilled product is expected. Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus must be worn when approaching a fire in a confined space. Select fire fighter's clothing approved to relevant Standards (e.g. Europe: EN469).

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Do not breathe fumes, vapour.
Do not operate electrical equipment.
- : Shut off leaks, if possible without personal risks. Remove all possible sources of ignition in the surrounding area and evacuate all personnel. Attempt to disperse the gas or to

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direct its flow to a safe location for example by using fog sprays. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Ensure electrical continuity by bonding and grounding (earthing) all equipment. Monitor area with combustible gas meter.

Vapour can travel for considerable distances both above and below the ground surface. Underground services (drains, pipelines, cable ducts) can provide preferential flow paths.

Environmental precautions : Take measures to minimise the effects on groundwater. Contain residual material at affected sites to prevent material from entering drains (sewers), ditches, and waterways. Prevent from spreading or entering into drains, ditches or rivers by using sand, earth, or other appropriate barriers.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : For large liquid spills (> 1 drum), transfer by mechanical means such as vacuum truck to a salvage tank for recovery or safe disposal. Do not flush away residues with water. Retain as contaminated waste. Allow residues to evaporate or soak up with an appropriate absorbent material and dispose of safely. Remove contaminated soil and dispose of safely. For small liquid spills (< 1 drum), transfer by mechanical means to a labeled, sealable container for product recovery or safe disposal. Allow residues to evaporate or soak up with an appropriate absorbent material and dispose of safely. Remove contaminated soil and dispose of safely.

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.
Evacuate the area of all non-essential personnel.
Take precautionary measures against static discharges.
Ventilate contaminated area thoroughly.
Ensure electrical continuity by bonding and grounding (earthing) all equipment.

Observe all relevant local and international regulations.

Additional advice : For guidance on selection of personal protective equipment see Section 8 of this Safety Data Sheet.
Notify authorities if any exposure to the general public or the environment occurs or is likely to occur.
For guidance on disposal of spilled material see Section 13 of this Safety Data Sheet.
Vapour may form an explosive mixture with air.
Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

Observe all relevant local and international regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

General Precautions : Avoid breathing of or direct contact with material. Only use in well ventilated areas. Wash thoroughly after handling. For guidance on selection of personal protective equipment see Section 8 of this Safety Data Sheet.
Use the information in this data sheet as input to a risk

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	<p>assessment of local circumstances to help determine appropriate controls for safe handling, storage and disposal of this material.</p> <p>Air-dry contaminated clothing in a well-ventilated area before laundering.</p> <p>Prevent spillages.</p> <p>Turn off all battery operated portable electronic devices (examples include: cellular phones, pagers and CD players) before operating gasoline pump.</p> <p>Do not use as a cleaning solvent or other non-motor fuel uses.</p> <p>Contaminated leather articles including shoes cannot be decontaminated and should be destroyed to prevent reuse.</p> <p>Ensure that all local regulations regarding handling and storage facilities are followed.</p>
General Precautions	Vehicle fueling and vehicle workshop areas - Avoid inhalation of vapours and contact with skin, when filling or emptying a vehicle.
Advice on safe handling	<p>: Ensure that all local regulations regarding handling and storage facilities are followed.</p> <p>When using do not eat or drink.</p> <p>Extinguish any naked flames. Do not smoke. Remove ignition sources. Avoid sparks.</p> <p>Never siphon by mouth.</p> <p>Avoid exposure.</p> <p>Use local exhaust ventilation if there is risk of inhalation of vapours, mists or aerosols.</p> <p>Properly dispose of any contaminated rags or cleaning materials in order to prevent fires.</p>
Avoidance of contact	<p>: Strong oxidising agents.</p> <p>Strong acids.</p>
Product Transfer	<p>: Wait 2 minutes after tank filling (for tanks such as those on road tanker vehicles) before opening hatches or manholes. Wait 30 minutes after tank filling (for large storage tanks) before opening hatches or manholes. Electrostatic charges may be generated during pumping. Electrostatic discharge may cause fire. Ensure electrical continuity by bonding and grounding (earthing) all equipment. Restrict line velocity during pumping in order to avoid generation of electrostatic discharge (≤ 1 m/sec until fill pipe submerged to twice its diameter, then ≤ 7 m/sec). Avoid splash filling. Do NOT use compressed air for filling, discharging, or handling operations.</p>
Storage	
Other data	<p>: Drum and small container storage:</p> <p>Keep containers closed when not in use.</p> <p>Drums should be stacked to a maximum of 3 high.</p> <p>Packaged product must be kept tightly closed and stored in a diked (bunded) well-ventilated area, away from, ignition sources and other sources of heat.</p> <p>Use properly labeled and closable containers.</p>

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Take suitable precautions when opening sealed containers, as pressure can build up during storage.
Bulk storage tanks should be diked (bunded).
Locate tanks away from heat and other sources of ignition.
Cleaning, inspection and maintenance of storage tanks is a specialist operation, which requires the implementation of strict procedures and precautions.

- Packaging material : Suitable material: For containers, or container linings use mild steel, stainless steel., For container paints, use epoxy paint, zinc silicate paint.
Unsuitable material: PVC., Natural rubber.
- Container Advice : Do not cut, drill, grind, weld or perform similar operations on or near containers. Containers, even those that have been emptied, can contain explosive vapours.
- Specific use(s) : Not applicable.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
Ethanol	64-17-5	PEL (long term)	1,000 ppm 1,880 mg/m ³	SG OEL
Ethanol	64-17-5	STEL	1,000 ppm	ACGIH
Ethanol		TWA	1,000 ppm 1,900 mg/m ³	OSHA Z-1
Ethanol		TWA	1,000 ppm 1,900 mg/m ³	NIOSH REL

Biological occupational exposure limits

No biological limit allocated.

Monitoring Methods

Monitoring of the concentration of substances in the breathing zone of workers or in the general workplace may be required to confirm compliance with an OEL and adequacy of exposure controls. For some substances biological monitoring may also be appropriate.

Validated exposure measurement methods should be applied by a competent person and samples analysed by an accredited laboratory.

Examples of sources of recommended exposure measurement methods are given below or contact the supplier. Further national methods may be available.

National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), USA: Manual of Analytical Methods
<http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/>

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), USA: Sampling and Analytical Methods
<http://www.osha.gov/>

Health and Safety Executive (HSE), UK: Methods for the Determination of Hazardous Substances
<http://www.hse.gov.uk/>

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Institut für Arbeitsschutz Deutschen Gesetzlichen Unfallversicherung (IFA) , Germany
<http://www.dguv.de/inhalt/index.jsp>

L'Institut National de Recherche et de Sécurité, (INRS), France <http://www.inrs.fr/accueil>

Engineering measures : The level of protection and types of controls necessary will vary depending upon potential exposure conditions. Select controls based on a risk assessment of local circumstances. Appropriate measures include:
Use sealed systems as far as possible.
Firewater monitors and deluge systems are recommended.
Adequate explosion-proof ventilation to control airborne concentrations below the exposure guidelines/limits.
Local exhaust ventilation is recommended.
Eye washes and showers for emergency use.

General Information:

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing hands after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants. Discard contaminated clothing and footwear that cannot be cleaned. Practice good housekeeping.
Define procedures for safe handling and maintenance of controls.
Educate and train workers in the hazards and control measures relevant to normal activities associated with this product.
Ensure appropriate selection, testing and maintenance of equipment used to control exposure, e.g. personal protective equipment, local exhaust ventilation.
Drain down system prior to equipment break-in or maintenance.
Retain drain downs in sealed storage pending disposal or for subsequent recycle.
Do not ingest. If swallowed, then seek immediate medical assistance.

Personal protective equipment

Protective measures

Personal protective equipment (PPE) should meet recommended national standards. Check with PPE suppliers.

Respiratory protection : If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations to a level which is adequate to protect worker health, select respiratory protection equipment suitable for the specific conditions of use and meeting relevant legislation. Check with respiratory protective equipment suppliers. Where air-filtering respirators are suitable, select an appropriate combination of mask and filter. Where air-filtering respirators are unsuitable (e.g. airborne concentrations are high, risk of oxygen deficiency, confined

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space) use appropriate positive pressure breathing apparatus. All respiratory protection equipment and use must be in accordance with local regulations.

If air-filtering respirators are suitable for conditions of use:

Select a filter suitable for organic gases and vapours [boiling point >65 °C (149 °F)].

Hand protection
Remarks

: Personal hygiene is a key element of effective hand care. Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturizer is recommended. Suitability and durability of a glove is dependent on usage, e.g. frequency and duration of contact, chemical resistance of glove material, dexterity. Always seek advice from glove suppliers. Contaminated gloves should be replaced. For continuous contact we recommend gloves with breakthrough time of more than 240 minutes with preference for > 480 minutes where suitable gloves can be identified. For short-term/splash protection we recommend the same but recognize that suitable gloves offering this level of protection may not be available and in this case a lower breakthrough time maybe acceptable so long as appropriate maintenance and replacement regimes are followed. Glove thickness is not a good predictor of glove resistance to a chemical as it is dependent on the exact composition of the glove material.

Glove thickness should be typically greater than 0.35 mm depending on the glove make and model. Where hand contact with the product may occur the use of gloves approved to relevant standards (e.g. Europe: EN374, US: F739) made from the following materials may provide suitable chemical protection. When prolonged or frequent repeated contact occurs. Nitrile rubber gloves. For incidental contact/splash protection Neoprene, PVC gloves may be suitable.

Eye protection

: Chemical splash goggles (chemical monogoggles).

Skin and body protection

: Skin protection is not required under normal conditions of use. For prolonged or repeated exposures use impervious clothing over parts of the body subject to exposure.

Environmental exposure controls

General advice

: Local guidelines on emission limits for volatile substances must be observed for the discharge of exhaust air containing vapour. Information on accidental release measures are to be found in section 6. Take appropriate measures to fulfil the requirements of relevant environmental protection legislation. Avoid contamination of the environment by following advice given in Section 6. If necessary, prevent undissolved material from

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being discharged to waste water. Waste water should be treated in a municipal or industrial waste water treatment plant before discharge to surface water.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	: liquid
Colour	: Undyed
Odour	: alcohol-like
Odour Threshold	: Data not available
pH	: ca. 7
Freezing point	: Data not available
Boiling point/boiling range	: 78 °C / 172 °F
Flash point	: 13 °C / 55 °F
Evaporation rate	: Data not available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Not applicable
Upper explosion limit	: 23.5 %(V)
Lower explosion limit	: 3.1 %(V)
Vapour pressure	: 16 kPa (38.0 °C / 100.4 °F) 29 kPa (50.0 °C / 122.0 °F)
Relative vapour density	: Data not available
Relative density	: Data not available
Density	: 792 kg/m ³ (15 °C / 59 °F) Method: ASTM D4052
Solubility(ies)	
Water solubility	: completely miscible (20 °C / 68 °F)
Solubility in other solvents	: Data not available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: log Pow: < 1
Auto-ignition temperature	: Data not available
Decomposition temperature	: Data not available
Viscosity	

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Viscosity, kinematic : 1.1 mm²/s (40 °C / 104 °F)
Method: ASTM D445

Particle characteristics
Particle size : Data not available

Explosive properties : Classification Code: Not classified.

Oxidizing properties : Not applicable

Conductivity : Electrical conductivity: > 10,000 pS/m

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity : Oxidises on contact with air.

Chemical stability : Reacts with strong oxidising agents. Reacts with strong acids.
Stable under normal conditions of use.

Possibility of hazardous reactions : No hazardous reaction is expected when handled and stored according to provisions

Conditions to avoid : Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources.

In certain circumstances product can ignite due to static electricity.

Incompatible materials : Strong oxidising agents.
Strong acids.

Hazardous decomposition products : Hazardous decomposition products are not expected to form during normal storage.
Thermal decomposition is highly dependent on conditions. A complex mixture of airborne solids, liquids and gases including carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, sulphur oxides and unidentified organic compounds will be evolved when this material undergoes combustion or thermal or oxidative degradation.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Basis for assessment : Information given is based on product testing.

Information on likely routes of exposure : Exposure may occur via inhalation, ingestion, skin absorption, skin or eye contact, and accidental ingestion.

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Acute toxicity

Product:

- Acute oral toxicity : LD 50 Rat, male and female: > 5,000 mg/kg
Method: OECD Test Guideline 401
Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- Acute inhalation toxicity : LC 50 Rat, male and female: > 20 mg/l
Exposure time: 4 h
Test atmosphere: vapour
Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 403
Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Components:

Ethanol:

- Acute oral toxicity : LD50 Oral Rat, male and female: > 5,000 mg/kg
Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 401
Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- Acute inhalation toxicity : LC 50 Rat, male and female: > 124.7 mg/l
Exposure time: 4 h
Test atmosphere: vapour
Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 403
Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- Acute dermal toxicity :
Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Product:

Species: Rabbit
Method: OECD Test Guideline 404
Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met., Causes mild skin irritation.

Species: Rabbit
Method: Information given is based on data obtained from similar substances.
Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met., Causes mild skin irritation.

Components:

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Ethanol:

Species: Rabbit

Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 404

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials, Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Product:

Species: Rabbit

Method: OECD Test Guideline 405

Remarks: Causes serious eye irritation.

Species: Rabbit

Method: Information given is based on data obtained from similar substances.

Remarks: Causes serious eye irritation.

Components:

Ethanol:

Species: Rabbit

Result: Irritating to eyes.

Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 405

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Product:

Species: Mouse

Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 406

Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Species: Mouse

Method: Information given is based on data obtained from similar substances.

Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Components:

Ethanol:

Species: Mouse

Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 406

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Product:

Genotoxicity in vitro

: Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

: Method: Information given is based on data obtained from

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similar substances.

Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

: Test species: MouseMethod: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test guideline 478

Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity-
Assessment

: This product does not meet the criteria for classification in categories 1A/1B.

Components:

Ethanol:

: Test species: MouseMethod: OECD Test Guideline 478
Remarks: Based on data from similar materials, Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity-
Assessment

: This product does not meet the criteria for classification in categories 1A/1B.

Carcinogenicity

Product:

Species: Rat, (male and female)

Application Route: Oral

Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 453

Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity -
Assessment

: This product does not meet the criteria for classification in categories 1A/1B.

Components:

Ethanol:

Species: Rat, (male and female)

Application Route: Oral

Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 453

Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity -
Assessment

: This product does not meet the criteria for classification in categories 1A/1B.

Material	GHS/CLP Carcinogenicity Classification
Ethanol	No carcinogenicity classification.

Material	Other Carcinogenicity Classification
Ethanol	IARC: Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans

Reproductive toxicity

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Product:

: Species: Mouse
Sex: male and female
Application Route: Oral

Method: Equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 416
Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Effects on foetal development

: Species: Rat, female
Application Route: Inhalation
Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 414
Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met., Causes foetotoxicity in animals at doses which are maternally toxic., Ethanol, a component of this material, may cause birth defects and/or miscarriages.

Reproductive toxicity - Assessment

: This product does not meet the criteria for classification in categories 1A/1B.

Components:

Ethanol:

: Species: Mouse
Sex: male and female
Application Route: Oral

Method: Equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 416
Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Effects on foetal development

: Species: Rat, female
Application Route: Inhalation
Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 414
Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met., Causes foetotoxicity in animals at doses which are maternally toxic., Ethanol, a component of this material, may cause birth defects and/or miscarriages.

Reproductive toxicity - Assessment

: This product does not meet the criteria for classification in categories 1A/1B.

STOT - single exposure

Product:

Exposure routes: Inhalation

Target Organs: Central nervous system

Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met., May cause drowsiness

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and dizziness.

Components:

Ethanol:

Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

STOT - repeated exposure

Product:

Target Organs: Liver

Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met., Liver: can cause liver damage at chronic exposure to high concentrations.

Components:

Ethanol:

Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Repeated dose toxicity

Product:

Rat, male and female:

Application Route: Oral

Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 408

Target Organs: No specific target organs noted

Components:

Ethanol:

Rat, male and female:

Method: OECD Test Guideline 408

Remarks: No significant adverse effects were reported

Aspiration toxicity

Product:

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Further information

Product:

Remarks: Classifications by other authorities under varying regulatory frameworks may exist.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Basis for assessment

: Unless indicated otherwise, the data presented is representative of the product as a whole, rather than for

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individual component(s).

Ecotoxicity

Product:

Toxicity to fish (Acute toxicity)	:	Remarks: Practically non toxic: LL/EL/IL50 > 100 mg/l
Toxicity to crustacean (Acute toxicity)	:	Remarks: Practically non toxic: LL/EL/IL50 > 100 mg/l
Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants (Acute toxicity)	:	Remarks: Practically non toxic: LL/EL/IL50 > 100 mg/l
Toxicity to fish (Chronic toxicity)	:	Remarks: NOEC/NOEL > 100 mg/l
Toxicity to crustacean (Chronic toxicity)	:	Remarks: NOEC/NOEL > 1.0 - <= 10 mg/l
Toxicity to microorganisms (Acute toxicity)	:	Remarks: Practically non toxic: LL/EL/IL50 > 100 mg/l

Components:

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Toxicity to fish (Acute toxicity)	:	LC50 (Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow)): 14,200 mg/l Exposure time: 96 h Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Guideline 203 Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Toxicity to crustacean (Acute toxicity)	:	LC50 (Ceriodaphnia dubia (water flea)): 5,012 mg/l Exposure time: 48 h Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Guideline 202 Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants (Acute toxicity)	:	EC50 (Chlorella vulgaris (Fresh water algae)): 675 mg/l Exposure time: 72 h Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Test Guideline 201 Remarks: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Toxicity to microorganisms (Acute toxicity)	:	Toxic threshold (Pseudomonas putida): 6,500 mg/l Exposure time: 16 h
Toxicity to fish (Chronic toxicity)	:	NOEC: 245 mg/l Exposure time: 30 d Method: Based on quantitative structure-activity relationship (QSAR) modelling Remarks: NOEC/NOEL > 100 mg/l

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Toxicity to crustacean(Chronic toxicity) : NOEC: 2 mg/l
Exposure time: 10 d
Species: Ceriodaphnia dubia (Water flea)
Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Guideline 211
Remarks: NOEC/NOEL > 1.0 - <=10 mg/l (based on test data)

Persistence and degradability

Product:

Biodegradability : Remarks: Oxidises rapidly by photo-chemical reactions in air.,
Readily biodegradable., Not Persistent per IMO criteria.,
International Oil Pollution Compensation (IOPC) Fund
definition: "A non-persistent oil is oil, which, at the time of
shipment, consists of hydrocarbon fractions, (a) at least 50%
of which, by volume, distills at a temperature of 340°C (645°F)
and (b) at least 95% of which, by volume, distills at a
temperature of 370°C (700°F) when tested by the ASTM
Method D-86/78 or any subsequent revision thereof."

Components:

Ethanol :

Biodegradability : Biodegradation: 84 %
Exposure time: 20 d
Method: Test(s) equivalent or similar to OECD Guideline 301
B
Remarks: Readily biodegradable.
Oxidises rapidly by photo-chemical reactions in air.

Bioaccumulative potential

Product:

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: Does not bioaccumulate significantly.

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : log Pow: < 1

Components:

Ethanol :

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: Does not bioaccumulate significantly.

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : log Pow: < 1

Mobility in soil

Product:

Mobility : Remarks: Dissolves in water., If product enters soil, it will be
highly mobile and may contaminate groundwater.

Components:

Ethanol :

Mobility : Remarks: Dissolves in water., If product enters soil, it will be
highly mobile and may contaminate groundwater.

Other adverse effects

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Product:

Additional ecological information : Films formed on water may affect oxygen transfer and damage organisms.

Components:

Ethanol :

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment : The substance does not fulfill all screening criteria for persistence, bioaccumulation and toxicity and hence is not considered to be PBT or vPvB.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods

Waste from residues : Recover or recycle if possible.
It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste classification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations.
Waste arising from a spillage or tank cleaning should be disposed of in accordance with prevailing regulations, preferably to a recognised collector or contractor. The competence of the collector or contractor should be established beforehand.
Do not dispose into the environment, in drains or in water courses.
Do not dispose of tank water bottoms by allowing them to drain into the ground. This will result in soil and groundwater contamination.
MARPOL - see International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL 73/78) which provides technical aspects at controlling pollutions from ships.

Contaminated packaging : Drain container thoroughly.
After draining, vent in a safe place away from sparks and fire.
Residues may cause an explosion hazard.
Do not puncture, cut, or weld uncleaned drums.
Send to drum recoverer or metal reclaimer.
Do not pollute the soil, water or environment with the waste container.

Local legislation
Remarks : All relevant environmental regulations in Singapore must be complied with.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

International Regulations

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UN number : 1170
Proper shipping name : ETHANOL (ETHYL ALCOHOL)
Class : 3
Packing group : II
Labels : 3
Hazard Identification Number : 33
Environmentally hazardous : no

IATA-DGR

UN/ID No. : UN 1170
Proper shipping name : ETHANOL (ETHYL ALCOHOL)
Class : 3
Packing group : II
Labels : 3

IMDG-Code

UN number : UN 1170
Proper shipping name : ETHANOL (ETHYL ALCOHOL)
Class : 3
Packing group : II
Labels : 3
Marine pollutant : no

Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Pollution category : Z
Ship type : Not applicable
Product name : Ethyl Alcohol

Special precautions for user

Remarks : Special Precautions: Refer to Section 7, Handling & Storage, for special precautions which a user needs to be aware of or needs to comply with in connection with transport.

Additional Information : Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

The regulatory information is not intended to be comprehensive. Other regulations may apply to this material.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Full text of H-Statements

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

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Full text of other abbreviations

Eye Irrit.	Eye irritation
Flam. Liq.	Flammable liquids

Abbreviations and Acronyms

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ANTT - National Agency for Transport by Land of Brazil; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; Nch - Chilean Norm; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NOM - Official Mexican Norm; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative; WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

Further information

Other information : A vertical bar (|) in the left margin indicates an amendment from the previous version.

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