

# Safety Data Sheet

according to the (US) Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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## SECTION 1: Identification

### Product identifier

Trade name/designation:	Methanol anhydrous ULTRA PURE
Product No.:	0323
Synonyms:	none/none
CAS No.:	67-56-1
Other means of identification:	

### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended Use:	For Further Manufacturing Use Only
Uses advised against:	Not for Human or Animal Drug Use

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Supplier

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## Emergency phone number

Telephone +1-800-424-9300 (Chemtrec, 24 hrs/day, 7 days/week, USA)

## Preparation Information

VWR International - Product Information Compliance

E-mail sds@vwr.com

## SECTION 2: Hazard identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

#### GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200 (OSHA HCS)

Hazard classes and hazard categories	Hazard statements
Flammable liquid, category 2	H225
Acute toxicity, category 3, oral, dermal and inhalation	H301+H311+H331
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure), category 1	H370

### 2.2 Label elements

#### Labelling in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200 (OSHA HCS)

##### Hazard pictograms



Signal word: Danger

Hazard statements
H225
H301+H311+H331
H370

Precautionary statements
P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water/...
P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P308+P310 IF exposed or concerned: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

none/none

## SECTION 3: Composition / information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Substance name	Methanol
Molecular formula	CH <sub>3</sub> OH
Molecular weight	32.04 g/mol
CAS No.	67-56-1

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 General information

IF exposed: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. If unconscious but breathing normally, place in recovery position and seek medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person or a person with cramps. Change contaminated, saturated clothing. Do not leave affected person unattended.

#### In case of inhalation

Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Remove casualty to fresh air and keep warm and at rest. If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration.

#### In case of skin contact

After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water and soap. Remove contaminated, saturated clothing immediately. In case of skin reactions, consult a physician.

#### After eye contact

In case of contact with eyes flush immediately with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids apart and consult an ophthalmologist. Protect uninjured eye. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

#### In case of ingestion

Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Do NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Give nothing to eat or drink.

#### Self-protection of the first aider

First aider: Pay attention to self-protection!

### 4.2 Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

no data available

### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

no data available

## SECTION 5: Fire fighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Water spray  
ABC-powder  
Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)  
Nitrogen

**Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

no restriction

## 5.2 Specific hazards arising from the chemical

In case of fire may be liberated:

Carbon monoxide

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)

## 5.3 Advice for firefighters

DO NOT fight fire when fire reaches explosives.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing.

## Additional information

Do not allow run-off from fire-fighting to enter drains or water courses.

Do not inhale explosion and combustion gases.

Use caution when applying carbon dioxide in confined spaces. Carbon dioxide can displace oxygen.

Use water spray/stream to protect personnel and to cool endangered containers.

In case of fire: Evacuate area.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

In case of major fire and large quantities: Remove persons to safety.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

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

Spilled product must never be returned to the original container for recycling. Collect in closed and suitable containers for disposal.

### 6.4 Additional information

Clear spills immediately.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid:

Inhalation

Avoid contact with eyes and skin.

Use extractor hood (laboratory).

If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used.

If local exhaust ventilation is not possible or not sufficient, the entire working area must be ventilated by technical means.

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking.

Usual measures for fire prevention.

Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

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

Recommended storage temperature: Store between 15 °C and 30 °C.

Keep container tightly closed and in a well-ventilated place. Store in a place accessible by authorized persons only. Keep/Store away from combustible materials.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

Ingredient (Designation)	Regulatory information	Country	Limit value type (country of origin)	Limit value
Methanol	NIOSH	US	LTV	260 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - 200 ppm
Methanol	NIOSH	US	STV	325 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (1) - 250 ppm (1)
Methanol	OSHA	US	LTV	260 mg/m <sup>3</sup> - 200 ppm

### 8.2 Engineering controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Technical measures and the application of suitable work processes have priority over personal protection equipment. If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used.

#### Personal protection equipment (PPE)

Wear suitable protective clothing. When handling with chemical substances, protective clothing must be worn.

##### *Eye/face protection*

Eye glasses with side protection

##### *Skin protection*

Wear suitable gloves. When handling with chemical substances, protective gloves must be worn. In the case of wanting to use the gloves again, clean them before taking off and air them well. Check leak tightness/impermeability prior to use.

##### By short-term hand contact

Suitable material: NBR (Nitrile rubber)

Thickness of the glove material: 0,38 mm

Breakthrough time: -

##### By long-term hand contact

Suitable material: Butyl caoutchouc (butyl rubber)

Thickness of the glove material: 0,30 mm

Breakthrough time: > 480 min

##### *Respiratory protection*

Respiratory protection necessary at: aerosol or mist formation If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH approved respiratory protection should be worn.

##### *Additional information*

Wash hands before breaks and after work. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Provide eye shower and label its location conspicuously.

##### *Environmental exposure controls*

no data available

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### (a) Appearance

Physical state:	liquid
Color:	colorless
(b) Odour:	characteristic
(c) Odour threshold:	no data available

#### Safety relevant basic data

(d) pH:	7 (20 °C)
(e) Melting point/freezing point:	-98 °C
(f) Initial boiling point and boiling range:	64.6 °C (1013 hPa)
(g) Flash point:	11 °C (closed cup)
(h) Evaporation rate:	no data available
(i) Flammability (solid, gas):	Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
(j) Flammability or explosive limits	
Lower explosion limit:	5.5 % (v/v)
Upper explosion limit:	36.5 % (v/v)
(k) Vapour pressure:	128 hPa (20 °C)
(l) Vapour density:	1.11 (20 °C)
(m) Relative density:	0.7918 g/cm³ (20 °C)
(n) Solubility(ies)	
Water solubility (g/L):	soluble (20 °C)
Soluble (g/L) in Ethanol:	no data available
(o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	-0.77 (20 °C)
(p) Auto-ignition temperature:	455 °C (DIN 51794)
(q) Decomposition temperature:	no data available
(r) Viscosity	
Kinematic viscosity:	no data available
Dynamic viscosity:	0.614 mPa*s (20 °C)
(s) Explosive properties:	not applicable
(t) Oxidising properties:	not applicable

### 9.2 Other information

Bulk density:	no data available
Refraction index:	1.33066 (589 nm; 20 °C)
Dissociation constant:	no data available
Surface tension:	no data available
Henry's Law Constant:	no data available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air.

## 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

## 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Formation of explosive mixtures with:

Oxidising agent

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Material, oxygen-rich, oxidizing

Nitric acid

Chlorine

Bromine

Exothermic reaction with:

Reducing agent

Acid

Acid halides

Alkali (lye), concentrated

Violent reaction with:

Alkali metals

Alkaline earth metal

Formation of:

Hydrogen

## 10.4 Conditions to avoid

UV-radiation/sunlight

Heat

This material is combustible and can be ignited by heat, sparks, flames, or other sources of ignition (e.g. static electricity, pilot lights, or mechanical/electrical equipment).

## 10.5 Incompatible materials

light metals

Plastic articles

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

no data available

## 10.7 Additional information

Slowly corrodes aluminium and zinc under hydrogen evolution.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute effects

*Acute oral toxicity:*

LD50: > 5628 mg/kg - Rat - (IUCLID)

LDLo: > 143 mg/kg - Human - (RTECS)

**Acute dermal toxicity:**

LD50: > 15800 mg/kg - Rabbit

**Acute inhalation toxicity:**

TCLo: > 160 ppm (4h) - Human

**Irritant and corrosive effects**

**Primary irritation to the skin:**

not applicable

**Irritation to eyes:**

not applicable

**Irritation to respiratory tract:**

not applicable

**Respiratory or skin sensitization**

In case of skin contact: not sensitising

In case of inhalation: not sensitising

**STOT-single exposure**

Causes damage to organs.

**STOT-repeated exposure**

not applicable

**CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**

**Carcinogenicity**

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

no data available	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

No indications of human germ cell mutagenicity exist.

**Reproductive toxicity**

No indications of human reproductive toxicity exist.

**Aspiration hazard**

not applicable

**Other adverse effects**

no data available

**Additional information**

no data available

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Ecotoxicity

**Fish toxicity:**

LC50: 24000 mg/l (96 h) - Poirier, S.H., M.L. Knuth, C.D. Anderson-Buchou, L.T. Brooke, A.R. Lima, and P.J. Shubat 1986.

Comparative Toxicity of Methanol and N,N-Dimethylformamide to Freshwater Fish and Invertebrates.

Bull.Environ.Contam.Toxicol. 37(4):615-621

**Daphnia toxicity:**

LC50: 3290 mg/l (48 h) - Guilhermino, L., T. Diamantino, M.C. Silva, and A.M.V.M. Soares 2000. Acute Toxicity Test with Daphnia magna: An Alternative to Mammals in the Prescreening of Chemical Toxicity?. Ecotoxicol.Environ.Saf. 46(3):357-362

EC50: 24500 mg/l (48 h) - Randall, T.L., and P.V. Knopp 1980. Detoxification of Specific Organic Substances by Wet Oxidation. J.Water Pollut.Control Fed. 52(8):2117-2130

**Algae toxicity:**

no data available

**Bacteria toxicity:**

no data available

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

no data available

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: -0.77 (20 °C)

### 12.4 Mobility in soil:

no data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT/vPvB assessment

This substance does not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria of REACH, Annex XIII.

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

no data available

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

**Appropriate disposal / Product**

Dispose according to legislation. Consult the appropriate local waste disposal expert about waste disposal.

Waste code product: 070104

**Appropriate disposal / Package**

Dispose according to legislation. Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.

**Additional information**

no data available

**SECTION 14: Transport information****Land transport (DOT)**

UN-No.:	UN1230
Proper Shipping Name:	METHANOL
Class(es):	3
Hazard label(s):	3
Packing group:	II
Environmental hazards:	No
Marine pollutant:	No
Special precautions for user:	

**Sea transport (IMDG)**

UN-No.:	1230
Proper Shipping Name:	METHANOL
Class(es):	3 (6.1)
Classification code:	
Hazard label(s):	3+6.1
Packing group:	II
Environmental hazards:	No
Marine pollutant:	No
Special precautions for user:	
Segregation group:	-
EmS-No.	F-E S-D
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code	
not relevant	

**Air transport (ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR)**

UN-No.:	1230
Proper Shipping Name:	METHANOL
Class(es):	3 (6.1)
Classification code:	
Hazard label(s):	3+6.1
Packing group:	II
Special precautions for user:	

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

#### SARA 313 Components

Listed

#### Massachusetts Right To Know Components

Listed

#### Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

Listed

#### New Jersey Right To Know Components

Listed

#### California Prop. 65 Components

 **WARNING:**

This product can expose you to chemicals including 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).

## SECTION 16: Other information

### Abbreviations and acronyms

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists  
DOT - Department of Transportation  
IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer  
IATA-DGR - International Air Transport Association-Dangerous Goods Regulations  
ICAO-TI - International Civil Aviation Organization-Technical Instructions  
IMDG - International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods  
LTV - Long Term Value  
NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health  
NTP - National Toxicology Program  
OSHA - Occupational Safety & Health Administration  
PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic  
PEL - Permissible Exposure Limit  
STV - Short Term Value  
SVHC - Substances of Very High Concern  
TDG - Transport of Dangerous Goods  
TLV - Threshold Limit Value  
vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

Training advice: Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

### Additional information

Indication of changes general update

If you need an explanation of the change, contact the supplier.  
(SDS@avantorsciences.com)

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