

# Safety Data Sheet

Ethanol 95%, Reagent Alcohol 95%

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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

<b>1.1 Product identifier</b>	Trade name: Ethanol 95%, Reagent Alcohol 95% Product code(s): 3340-32, 3340-G, 3340-5G, 3340-55G
<b>1.2 Relevant identified uses</b>	Laboratory Reagent
<b>Supplier:</b>	Astral Diagnostics Inc.  800-441-0366 Technical Service Monday-Friday: 8:00 -5:00 PM
<b>Synonym:</b>	None.
<b>Material uses:</b>	Laboratory Reagent.
<b>Validation date:</b>	12/11/2013
<b>In case of emergency:</b>	800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) 24 Hours/Day: 7 Days/Week

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Emergency Overview:

#### GHS Label Elements: Pictogram



Signal Word:

Danger!

#### Hazard statement(s):

**H225:** Highly flammable liquid vapour

**H302:** Harmful if swallowed

**H315:** Causes skin irritation

**H319:** Causes serious eye irritation

**H335:** May cause respiratory irritation

**H370:** Causes damage to organs

#### Precautionary statement(s):

**P210:** Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames. No smoking

**P233:** Keep container tightly closed

**P242:** Use only non-spark tools

**P264:** Wash skin thoroughly after handling

**NFPA Rating**  
Health hazard: 2  
Fire: 3  
Reactivity Hazard: 0

**HMIS Classification**  
Health hazard: 2  
Flammability: 3  
Physical hazards: 0

**Potential Health Effects :** Inhalation – May cause respiratory tract irritation.  
Skin - May cause skin irritation.  
Eyes – May cause eye irritation.  
Ingestion – Potentially toxic if swallowed in large quantities.

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Name	CAS number	% by volume
Ethanol	64-17-5	~87
Methanol	67-56-1	<3
Isopropanol	67-63-0	~4
Water	7732-18-5	Balance

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**First-aid measures general:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

**First-aid measures after inhalation:** *Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.*

**First-aid measures after skin contact:** Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

**First-aid measures after eye contact:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

**First-aid measures after ingestion:** Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.  
Unsuitable extinguishing media: Do not use a heavy water stream

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No additional information available

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment. Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

##### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment: Gloves. Safety glasses. Combined gas/dust mask with filter type B/P3.  
Emergency procedures: Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

##### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment: Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

Emergency procedures: Ventilate area.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters. Avoid release to the environment.

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

Methods for cleaning up: Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as soon as possible. Collect spillage. Store away from other materials.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

**Precautions for safe handling:** Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of vapor. Do not breathe mist, vapors, spray. Obtain special instructions before use. Use personal protective equipment as required. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

**Hygiene measures:** Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

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

**Technical measures:** Comply with applicable regulations.

**Storage conditions:** Keep container closed when not in use. Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place.

**Incompatible products:** Strong oxidizers. Strong reducing agents. Strong bases.

**Incompatible materials:** Sources of ignition. Direct sunlight

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Consult local authorities for acceptable exposure limits.

Component	Source	Type	Value	Note
Methanol	ACGIH	TWA	200 ppm	
	ACGIH	STEL	250 ppm	
	NIOSH	TWA	260 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 200 ppm	
	OSHA	TWA	260 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 200 ppm	
Ethanol	OSHA	TWA	1900 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
	OSHA	ppm	1000 ppm	
Isopropanol	ACGIH	TWA	200 ppm	
	ACGIH	STEL	400 ppm	
	NIOSH	TWA	980 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 400 ppm	
	OSHA	TWA	980 mg/m <sup>3</sup> , 400 ppm	

**Personal protective equipment:** Safety glasses. Gloves. Protective clothing. High gas/vapor concentration: gas mask with filter type B.

**Hand protection:** Wear protective gloves.

**Eye protection:** Chemical goggles or face shield.

**Skin and body protection:** Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Respiratory protection:** Wear appropriate mask. Gas mask with filter type B.

**Other information:** Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Physical state:** Liquid.  
**Flash Point:** Closed cup: 13°C  
**pH:** NA  
**Melting/freezing point:** -115°C  
**Vapor pressure:** 59 hPa  
**Odor threshold:** NA  
**VOC:** 100%

**Color:** Clear, colorless  
**Odor:** Pungent  
**Boiling/condensation point:** 78°C  
**Relative density:** 0.79 g/ml at 25°C  
**Vapor density:** NA  
**Evaporation rate:** NA  
**Solubility:** Soluble in the following materials: water

**Explosive limits:** 3.3-19.0 vol %

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1. Reactivity

Reacts violently with many compounds

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Hygroscopic

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not established

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperature. Open flame

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizers

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide. May release flammable gases.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Methanol

**LD50 oral rat** 1187-2,769 mg/kg  
**LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)** 128.2 mg/l (4hr)  
**LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)** 87.6 mg/l (6hr)  
**LD50 Dermal rabbit** 17100 mg/kg

### Ethanol

**LD50 oral rat** 10740 mg/kg bodyweight  
**LD50 dermal rabbit** >16000 mg/kg

### Isopropanol

**LD50 dermal rabbit** 12870 mg/kg  
**LC50 inhalation rat** 73 mg/l/4hr  
**ATE oral** 5045 mg/kg body weight

**Skin corrosion/irritation:** Not classified

**Serious eye damage/irritation:** No irritating effect

**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** Not classified

**Germ cell mutagenicity:** Not classified

**Carcinogenicity:** Not Classified

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity	Methanol		
		LC50 fish1	15400 mg/l
		EC50 Daphnia1	>10000 mg/l

		LC502	10800 mg/l
	<b>Ethanol</b>		
		LC50 fish1	14200 mg/l
		EC50 Daphnia1	9300 mg/l
		LC50 fish2	13000 mg/l/96h
	<b>Isopropanol</b>		
		LC50 fish2	9640 mg/l
		EC50 Daphnia2	13299 mg/l
<b>Persistence and degradability</b>	<b>Methanol</b>		
		BOD	0.6-1.12 gO2/g
		COD	1.42 gO2/g
		ThOD	1.5 gO2/g
	<b>Ethanol</b>		
		BOD	0.8-0.967 gO2/g
		COD	1.70 gO2/g
		ThOD	2.10 gO2/g
	<b>Isopropanol</b>		
		BOD	1.19 gO2/g
		COD	2.23 gO2/g
		ThOD	2.4 gO2/g
<b>Bioaccumulative potential</b>	<b>Methanol</b>		
		Log Pow	-0.77
		BCF fish	<10
	<b>Ethanol</b>	Log Pow	-0.31
<b>Mobility in soil</b>	<b>Methanol</b>	Surface tension	0.023 N/m
	<b>Ethanol</b>	Surface tension	0.022 N/m
	<b>Isopropanol</b>	Surface tension	0.021 N/m

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

The information presented only applies to the material as supplied. The identification based on characteristic(s) or listing may not apply if the material has been used or otherwise contaminated. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste identification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations. Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### DOT (US)

UN number: 1170

Class: 3

Packing Group: II

Proper Shipping name: Ethanol Solution

Reportable Quantity: 5000lb

#### IMDG/IATA

UN number: 1170

Class: 3 (6.1)

Packing Group: II

Proper Shipping name: Ethanol

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### 15.1 US Federal regulations

Methanol  
RQ 5000 lb  
SARA Section 311/312 Hazardous Classes: Immediate health hazard, fire hazard

Ethanol  
SARA Section 311/312 Hazardous Classes: Fire hazard, Acute health hazard, chronic health hazard

### 15.2 International regulations

Methanol

WHMIS Classification: Class B Division 2-Flammable Liquid, 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

Ethanol

WHMIS Classification: Class B Division 2-Flammable Liquid, 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

Isopropanol

WHMIS Classification: Class B Division 2-Flammable Liquid, Class D Division 2 Subdivision A- Very toxic material causing other toxic effects

### 15.3 California Proposition 65



**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)

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)



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