# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET



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#### ETHYL ALCOHOL 3A 200 PROOF

## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: ETHYL ALCOHOL 3A 200 PROOF

**GENERAL USE:** Authorized uses are listed in 27 CFR 21.35 (b).

**PRODUCT CODE:** 2905, 2955D

ALTERNATE TRADE NAME(S): SDA 3A 200 PROOF

#### **MANUFACTURER**

#### 24 HR. EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

**IMMEDIATE CONCERNS:** DANGER! Poison. Flammable. Contains methanol. Cannot be made non-poisonous. Liquid and vapor harmful. May be fatal or cause blindness if swallowed. Avoid prolonged breathing of vapors. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Use only in well ventilated areas.

#### POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

**EYES:** Liquid is moderately irritating to the eyes. High vapor concentrations may also be irritating. Direct contact with the liquid or exposure to its vapors or mists may cause stinging, tearing, redness, swelling and eye damage.

**SKIN:** Liquid is moderately irritating to the skin. Prolonged or repeated contact can result in defatting and drying of the skin which may result in skin irritation and dermatitis (rash).

**INGESTION:** POISONOUS. May be fatal or cause blindness if swallowed. Ingestion may have a narcotic effect including signs of CNS depression such as dizziness, headache, drowsiness, loss of coordination, and fatigue.

**INHALATION:** Excessive exposure to this product may cause headache, CNS depression, drowsiness, dizziness, loss of appetite, irritation of the respiratory tract, drunkeness, unconsciousness, or death.

## SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE

**ACUTE TOXICITY:** Shortness of breathing, confused behavior, redness of skin, swelling of tissues, watery eyes, and nausea.

**MEDICAL CONDITIONS AGGRAVATED:** Preexisting diseases in or history of ailments involving skin, central nervous system, liver and kidney.

## 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	Wt.%	CAS	EINECS
Ethanol	93 - 98	64-17-5	200-578-6
Methanol	2 - 7	67-56-1	200-659-6

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**EYES:** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while holding eyelids open. Get medical attention.

**SKIN:** Flush skin with water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

**INGESTION:** Call poison control center or get medical help immediately. If patient is conscious and alert, give 8 ounces of water or juice and induce vomiting, keeping patient's head below hips to prevent aspiration of liquid into lungs.

**INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, oxygen should be administered by qualified personnel. Seek immediate medical attention.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FLASHPOINT AND METHOD: (52°F) TAG CC

FLAMMABLE LIMITS: 0.06 to 0.36

**AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE:** Not Determined

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Use "alcohol resistant" foam, dry chemical, or CO2. Water may be ineffective, but water applied as a spray can absorb some of the fire's heat and should be used to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

**HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS:** Carbon monoxide and unidentified organic compounds may be formed during combustion.

**EXPLOSION HAZARDS:** When heated above the flash point, this material emits flammable vapors which, when mixed with air, can burn or be explosive. Fine mists or sprays may be flammable at temperatures below the flash point.

**FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:** WARNING. Poisonous and Flammable Liquid. Clear fire area of unprotected personnel. Do not enter confined fire space without full bunker gear, including a positive pressure NIOSH approved SCBA. Cool fire exposed containers with water.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**GENERAL PROCEDURES:** WARNING. Poisonous and Flammable Liquid. Ventilate area of leak or spill. Remove all sources of ignition. Clean-up personnel require protective clothing and respiratory protection from vapors. Only specially trained or qualified personnel should handle the emergency.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**GENERAL PROCEDURES:** Keep away from heat, sparks, and flame. Surfaces that are hot may ignite even liquid product in the absence of sparks or flame. Extinguish pilot lights, cigarettes and turn off other sources of ignition prior to use and until all vapors are gone.

**COMMENTS:** KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN! Empty containers retain product residue (liquid and/or vapor) and can be dangerous. Do not pressurize, cut weld, braze, solder, drill, grind, or expose such

containers to heat, flame, sparks static electricity, or other sources of ignition; they may explode and cause injury or death.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **EXPOSURE GUIDELINES**

OSHA HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS (29 CFR1910.1200)							
		EXPOSURE LIMITS					
		OSHA	A PEL	ACGIH TLV Supplie		erOEL	
Chemical Name		ppm	mg/m³	ppm	mg/m³	ppm	mg/m³
Ethonal	TWA	1000	1900	1000	1884	NL	NL
Ethanol	STEL					NL	NL
Methanol	TWA	200	260	200	262		
Methanor	STEL			250	328		

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS:** Provide exhaust ventilation sufficient to keep the airborne concentration of this product below its exposure limits. Exhaust air may need to be cleaned by scrubbers or filters to reduce environmental contamination.

# PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

**EYES AND FACE:** Use chemical safety goggles and/or full face shield where splashing is possible. Contact lenses should not be worn when working with this material. Maintain eye wash fountain and quick-drench facilities in work areas.

**SKIN:** Wear resistant gloves (consult your safety equipment supplier). To prevent repeated or prolonged skin contact, wear impervious clothing and boots.

**RESPIRATORY:** If exposure may or does exceed occupational exposure limits (Sec. 8) use a NIOSH approved respirator to prevent overexposure. In accord with 29 CFR 1910.134 use either an atmosphere-supplying respirator or an air-purifying respirator for organic vapors.

**PROTECTIVE CLOTHING:** Where splashing is possible, wear impervious clothing and boots.

**WORK HYGIENIC PRACTICES:** Use good personal hygiene when handling this product. Wash hands after use, before eating, drinking, smoking, or using the toilet.

**OTHER USE PRECAUTIONS:** Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower.

**COMMENTS:** May be harmful or fatal if swallowed. May irritate body tissues. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing vapor. Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Chemical Name	Flash Point (°C)
Methanol	52

PHYSICAL STATE: Liquid

ODOR: Mild odor.

**COLOR:** Clear, colorless liquid.

**pH:** NA = Not Applicable

**PERCENT VOLATILE: 100** 

**VAPOR PRESSURE:** 96

**VAPOR DENSITY:** Heavier than air. **BOILING POINT:** (147°F) to (241°F)

**FREEZING POINT:** NDA = no data available. **FLASHPOINT AND METHOD:** (52°F) TAG CC

**SOLUBILITY IN WATER:** Soluble

**EVAPORATION RATE:** Slower than ether.

**DENSITY:** 6.61

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 0.790 to 1.0

(**VOC**): 6.588 to 6.61 lbs./gal.

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**STABLE:** Yes

POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Carbon monoxide and unidentified organic

compounds may be formed during combustion.

**INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS:** Strong oxidizing agents and strong alkalies.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### CARCINOGENICITY

Chemical Name	IARC Status
Ethanol	1

**REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS:** This product contains ethanol. Alcoholic beverage consumption has been associated with birth defects in humans. The relevance of this finding to ethanol exposure in industrial environments is uncertain.

**TARGET ORGANS:** This product contains ethanol. Alcoholic beverage consumption has been associated with brain damage, heart damage, and pancreatitis in humans. The relevance of these findings to ethanol exposure in industrial environments is uncertain. Laboratory studies have shown that petroleum distillates may cause kidney, liver, or lung damage. Reports have associated repeated and prolonged overexposure to solvents with permanent brain and nervous system damage.

**TERATOGENIC EFFECTS:** No evidence of teratogenicity was noted following inhalation exposure of pregnant rats by airborne concentrations of up to 16,000 ppm of ethyl alcohol for 7 hours on days 1 through 19 of gestation.

**COMMENTS:** Poison. May be fatal or cause blindness, if swallowed. Cannot be made nonpoisonous.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:** Avoid uncontrolled releases of this material. Where spills are possible, a comprehensive spill response plan should be developed and implemented.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**DISPOSAL METHOD:** The preferred options for disposal are to send to licensed reclaimers, or to permitted incinerators. Any disposal practice must be in compliance with federal, state, and local regulations. Do not dump into sewers, ground, or any body of water.

**EMPTY CONTAINER:** KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN! Empty containers retain product residue and can be dangerous. Do not pressurize, cut weld, braze, solder, drill, grind, or expose such containers to heat, flame, sparks static electricity, or other sources of ignition.

**RCRA/EPA WASTE INFORMATION:** Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

# **DOT (DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION)**

**PROPER SHIPPING NAME:** Ethyl alcohol solutions

PRIMARY HAZARD CLASS/DIVISION: 3

**SECONDARY HAZARD CLASS/DIVISION: 6.1** 

UN/NA NUMBER: UN 1170

**PACKING GROUP: II** 

**NAERG: 127** 

**LABEL:** Flammable liquid

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

## UNITED STATES

#### SARA TITLE III (SUPERFUND AMENDMENTS AND REAUTHORIZATION ACT)

**311/312 HAZARD CATEGORIES:** This product should be reported as an immediate (acute) health hazard, delayed (chronic) health hazard, and a fire hazard.

FIRE: Yes PRESSURE GENERATING: No REACTIVITY: No ACUTE: Yes

**CHRONIC:** Yes

**313 REPORTABLE INGREDIENTS:** Methyl alcohol (CAS 67-56-1)

#### **EPCRA SECTION 313 SUPPLIER NOTIFICATION**

Chemical Name	Wt.%	CAS
Methanol	2 - 7	67-56-1

#### **302/304 EMERGENCY PLANNING**

**EMERGENCY PLAN:** To the best of our knowledge, none of the chemicals in this product are listed as an extremely hazardous substance under Section 302 of SARA Title III nor does this product contain any other such substances.

# CERCLA (COMPREHENSIVE RESPONSE, COMPENSATION, AND LIABILITY ACT)

Chemical Name	Wt.%	CERCLA RQ
Methanol	2 - 7	5,000

## TSCA (TOXIC SUBSTANCE CONTROL ACT)

Chemical Name	CAS
Methanol	67-56-1

**TSCA REGULATORY:** This product is a mixture and each component is listed in the TSCA Inventory of Chemical Substances.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

**PREPARED BY:** Compliance Dept.

**REVISION SUMMARY:** Revision #: 1 This MSDS replaces the February 13, 2006 MSDS. Any changes in information are as follows: In Section 1 MSDS Product Code Prepared By

## **HMIS RATING**

HEALTH:	3
FLAMMABILITY:	3
PHYSICAL HAZARD:	0
PERSONAL PROTECTION:	Н

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