

Trade name: Methanolum

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# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

## 1.1. Product identifier

Methanolum

Item No. 15560000

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

#### Address/Manufacturer

Hänseler AG Industriestrasse 35 9100 Herisau

Telephone no. 0041 (0)71 353 58 58 E-mail address of sdb@haenseler.ch

person responsible for this SDS

## 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Switzerland:145 / Abroad +41 (0)44 251 51 51

## **SECTION 2: Hazards identification \*\*\***

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

## Classification (Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008)

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Flam. Liq. 2 H225 Acute Tox. 3 H301 Acute Tox. 3 H311 Acute Tox. 3 H331 STOT SE 1 H370

The product is classified and labelled in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 For explanation of abbreviations see section 16.

#### 2.2. Label elements

## Labelling according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

#### **Hazard pictograms**







## Signal word

Danger

#### Hazard statements \*\*\*

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H370 Causes damage to organs.

H301+H311+H331 Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.

#### **Precautionary statements**

P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition

sources. No smoking.

P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.



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P301+P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.
P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position

comfortable for breathing.

P308+P311 IF exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor.

P321 Specific treatment (see ... on this label).

P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

Hazardous component(s) to be indicated on label (Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008)

contains methanol

#### 2.3. Other hazards

The Substance does not meet PBT-criteria. This substance does not meet the vPvB-criteria. This substance does not have endocrine disrupting properties with respect to humans. This substance does not have endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms.

## **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

#### 3.1. Substances

#### Molecular weight

Value 32.04 g/mol

## **Hazardous ingredients**

#### methanol

CAS No. 67-56-1 EINECS no. 200-659-6

Registration no. 01-2119433307-44-XXXX

Concentration >= 100 %

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Concentration limits (Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008)

STOT SE 1 H370 >= 10 % STOT SE 2 H371 >= 3 < 10 %

ATE oral 143 mg/kg cATpE dermal 300 mg/kg cATpE inhalative, Dust/Mist 0.5 mg/l

## **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### **General information**

Remove affected person from danger area, lay him down. Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Adhere to personal protective measures when giving first aid

#### After inhalation

Ensure supply of fresh air. If necessary, give oxygen. Summon a doctor immediately. Irregular breathing/no breathing: artificial respiration. If the patient is likely to become unconscious, place and transport in stable sideways position. No mouth-to-mouth or mouth-to-nose resuscitation. Use Ambu bag or ventilator.

#### After skin contact

Wash off immediately with soap and water and rinse well. Summon a doctor immediately.



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#### After eye contact

Separate eyelids, wash the eyes thoroughly with water (15 min.). Take medical treatment.

#### After ingestion

Rinse out mouth and give plenty of water to drink. Induce vomiting if patient is conscious, seek medical advice. If individual is drowsy or unconscious place in recovery position (on left side, with head down). Summon a doctor immediately.

## 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Shortness of breath, Dizziness, Headache, Nausea, Excitement, Acidosis, Convulsions, Unconsciousness, Narcosis, Danger of blindness.

# 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed Hints for the physician / treatment

Treat symptomatically. Allow to drink about 100 ml of approx. 40% ethyl alcohol (ethanol).

## **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

## 5.1. Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Carbon dioxide, Dry powder, Water spray jet, Alcohol-resistant foam

## Non suitable extinguishing media

Full water jet

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

Carbon monoxide (CO); Carbon dioxide (CO2); Can build mixtures of gas and air which are capable of explosion. Vapours heavier than air.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

#### Special protective equipment for fire-fighting

Use self-contained breathing apparatus.

#### Other information

Cool endangered containers with water spray jet.

## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

Wear protective equipment. Keep people away and stay on the upwind side. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Use personal protective clothing. Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into the drains/surface waters/groundwater. Do not empty into drains, caverns and basements. Advise water authority if spillage has entered water course or drainage system.

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

Send in suitable containers for recovery or disposal. Take up with absorbent material (eg sand, kieselguhr, universal binder). When picked up, treat material as prescribed under Section 13 "Disposal". Ensure adequate ventilation.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

## 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

#### Advice on safe handling

Keep container tightly closed. For personal protection see Section 8. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhaling dusts/ billows/ steams. Provide good ventilation of working area (local exhaust ventilation



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if necessary). Provide good room ventilation even at ground level (vapours are heavier than air). Take action to prevent static discharges.

#### Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Vapours can form an explosive mixture with air. Take action to prevent static discharges. Use explosion-proof equipment/fittings and non-sparking tools. Risk of explosion if the liquid enters the drains.

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

#### Recommended storage temperature

Value 15 - 25 °C

#### Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

explosion proof. Provide solvent-resistant and impermeable floor. Use stainless steel containers. Do not use light metal drums. Unsuitable material: Do not use lead containers. Do not use aluminium containers. Do not use zinc containers. Prevent unauthorized access.

## Hints on storage assembly

Do not store with oxidizing agents. Do not store with acids.

### Storage classes

Storage class according to TRGS 510 3 Flammable liquid Storage category (Switzerland) 3 Flammable liquid

#### Further information on storage conditions

Keep container tightly closed, cool and dry. Protect from direct sunlight. Protect from heat. Protect from atmospheric moisture and water. Product is hygroscopic. Keep under lock and key or accessible only to specialists or people who are authorized.

# **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### 8.1. Control parameters

## **Exposure limit values**

#### methanol

List SUVA Type MAK

Value 260  $mg/m^3$  200 ppm(V)Short term exposure limit 520  $mg/m^3$  400 ppm(V)

Skin resorption / sensibilisation: H; Pregnancy group: S; Remarks: H B SSc; ZNS; INRS NIOSH

#### Derived No/Minimal Effect Levels (DNEL/DMEL)

## methanol

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group Worker
Duration of exposure Acute
Route of exposure dermal

Mode of action Systemic effects

Concentration 40 mg/kg/d

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group Worker
Duration of exposure Acute
Route of exposure inhalative
Mode of action Systemic effects

Concentration 260 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group Worker



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Duration of exposure Acute
Route of exposure inhalative
Mode of action Local effects
Concentration 260

60 mg/m³

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group Worker
Duration of exposure Long term
Route of exposure dermal

Mode of action Systemic effects

Concentration 40 mg/kg/d

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group Worker
Duration of exposure Long term
Route of exposure inhalative
Mode of action Systemic effects

Concentration 260 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group Worker
Duration of exposure Long term
Route of exposure inhalative
Mode of action Local effects
Concentration 260

Concentration 260 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group Consumer

Duration of exposure Acute

Route of exposure dermal

Mode of action Systemic effects

Concentration 8 mg/kg/d

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group Consumer

Duration of exposure Acute

Route of exposure inhalative

Mode of action Systemic effects

Concentration 50 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group Consumer
Duration of exposure Acute
Route of exposure oral

Mode of action Systemic effects

Concentration 8 mg/kg/d

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group Consumer
Duration of exposure Long term
Route of exposure inhalative
Mode of action Local effects

Concentration 50 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group Consumer

Duration of exposure Long term



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Route of exposure oral

Mode of action Systemic effects

Concentration 8 mg/kg/d

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group Consumer

Duration of exposure Long term

Route of exposure inhalative

Mode of action Systemic effects

Concentration 50 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group Consumer
Duration of exposure Long term
Route of exposure dermal

Mode of action Systemic effects

Concentration 8 mg/kg/d

Type of value Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

Reference group

Duration of exposure

Route of exposure

Mode of action

Consumer

Acute

inhalative

Local effects

Concentration 50 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

#### **Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)**

methanol

Type of value PNEC
Type Freshwater

Concentration 154 mg/l

Type of value PNEC
Type Saltwater

Concentration 15.4 mg/l

Type of value PNEC
Type Sediment

Concentration 570.4 mg/kg

Type of value PNEC Type Soil

Concentration 23.5 mg/kg

Type of value PNEC

Type Sewage treatment plant (STP)

Concentration 100 mg/l

Conditions Intermittend

Concentration 1540 mg/l

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### **Exposure controls**

See Section 7. No measures exeeding the ones mentioned necessary.

#### General protective and hygiene measures



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Keep away from food-stuffs, beverages and feed-stocks. Wash hands before breaks and after work. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Hold eye wash fountain available. At work do not eat, drink, smoke or take drugs. Do not inhale gases/vapours/aerosols.

#### Respiratory protection

Breathing apparatus in the event of aerosol or mist formation. Gas filterAX.

### **Hand protection**

Protective gloves

Appropriate Material butyl

Material thickness 0.5 mm
Breakthrough time >= 8 h

Appropriate Material Fluoro carbon rubber - FKM Material thickness 0.4 mm

Breakthrough time >= 4 h

Breakthrough time >= 4
Appropriate Material Polychloroprene

Material thickness 0.5 mm
Breakthrough time >= 1 h

#### Eye protection

Tightly fitting safety glasses

## **Body protection**

Solvent-resistant protective clothing

#### **Environmental exposure controls**

Do not allow to enter drains or water courses.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state liquid colourless
Odour alcohol-like

**Melting point** 

Value -97.8 °C Method DIN 51761

Freezing point

Value - 98 °C

Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range

Value 64.7 °C Method DIN 51761

Upper and lower explosive limits

Lower explosion limit 5.5 %(V)
Upper explosion limit 44 %(V)

Flash point

Value 9 to 12 °C

Viscosity

dynamic

Value 0.544 to 0.59 mPa.s Temperature 25 °C

Method DIN 51550

Vapour pressure

Value 169.27 hPa Temperature 25 °C



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Method DIN 51754

Value 128 hPa

Temperature 20 °C

Density and/or relative density

Value 0.79 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Temperature 20 °C

Method DIN 51757

Source Safety Data Sheet Supplier

Relative vapour density

Value 1.1

Temperature 20 °C

9.2. Other information

Solubility in water

Remarks Completely miscible

**Auto-ignition temperature** 

Value > 455 °C

Other information

Forms esplosive mixture with air are possible.

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### 10.1. Reactivity

Formation of explosive gas/air mixtures.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No hazardous reactions known. No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Heat. Flames. Sparks

## 10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidising agents, Reactions with light metals, with evolution of hydrogen. Reactions with halogenated compounds. Formation of explosive gas/air mixtures.

## 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Flammable gases/vapours, Irritant gases/vapours, Toxic gases/vapours, Formaldehyde, such as carbon monoxide and dioxide, smoke, oxides of nitrogen etc.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

## 11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

## **Acute oral toxicity**

ATE 143 mg/kg Method calculated value (Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008)

## **Acute oral toxicity (Components)**

methanol

Species Human

LDLo 143 mg/kg

Source RTECS



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**Acute dermal toxicity** 

ATE 300 mg/kg
Method calculated value (Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008)

**Acute dermal toxicity (Components)** 

methanol

Species rabbit

LD50 17100 mg/kg

Source Merck KGaA Safety Data Sheet

Acute inhalational toxicity

ATE 0.5 mg/l

Administration/Form Dust/Mist

Method calculated value (Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008)

**Acute inhalative toxicity (Components)** 

methanol

Species rat

LC50 131.25 mg/l

Duration of exposure 4 h

Administration/Form Vapors Source ECHA

Skin corrosion/irritation (Components)

methanol

Species rabbit

Remarks No effect of irritation known.

Source ECHA

methanol

Remarks Repeated and prolonged skin contact may lead to defatting and irritation of

the skin.

Serious eye damage/irritation (Components)

methanol

Species rabbit
Method OECD 405
Remarks None

**Sensitization (Components)** 

methanol

Species guinea pig Method OECD 406

Remarks No sensitation effect known. Source Maximierungstest (GMPT)

Subacute, subchronic, chronic toxicity (Components)

methanol

Remarks No data available.

methanol NOAEL

**Mutagenicity (Components)** 

methanol

Species Salmonella typhimurium

evaluation No mutagenicity in the Ames-test.

Method OECD 471 Remarks negative



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methanol

Remarks negative on animals

**Reproduction toxicity (Components)** 

methanol

Species Rats (male/female)

Dose 1.33 mg/l

evaluation No negative effects

Source Safety Data Sheet Supplier

**Carcinogenicity (Components)** 

methanol

Remarks negative on animals

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) (Components)** 

methanol

Single exposure

evaluation Causes damage to organs.

Route of exposure oral

Organs: Eyes

Species Human

methanol

Route of exposure inhalative

Species rat

NOAEL 0.13 mg/l Duration of exposure 365 d

Method OECD 453

Source Merck KGaA Safety Data Sheet

methanol

Route of exposure inhalative

Species Rats (male/female)
LOAEL 1.3 mg/l
Duration of exposure 365 d

Method OECD 453

Source Merck KGaA Safety Data Sheet

11.2 Information on other hazards

**Endocrine disrupting properties with respect to humans** 

This substance does not have endocrine disrupting properties with respect to humans.

**SECTION 12: Ecological information** 

12.1. Toxicity

Fish toxicity (Components)

methanol

Species Bluegill (Lepomis macrochirus)

LC50 15400 mg/l

Duration of exposure 96 h Source (EPA 600/3-75/009)

**Daphnia toxicity (Components)** 

methanol

Species Daphnia magna

EC50 > 10000 mg/l

Duration of exposure 48 h



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Source IUCLID

methanol

Species Daphnia magna

EC50 > 1000 mg/l

Duration of exposure 48 h

Method OECD 201

Algae toxicity (Components)

methanol

Species Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata

EC50 22000 mg/l

Duration of exposure 96 h

Method OECD 201

Source Merck KGaA Safety Data Sheet

**Bacteria toxicity (Components)** 

methanol

Species activated sludge

IC50 > 1000 mg/l

Duration of exposure 3 h

Method OECD 209

Source Merck KGaA Safety Data Sheet

12.2. Persistence and degradability

**General information** 

Do not allow it to reach soil, ground water, water bodies or sewage system.

Ready degradability (Components)

methanol

Value 99 %

Duration of test 30 d

Method OECD 301D

Source Merck KGaA Safety Data Sheet

methanol

Value 95 %

Duration of test 20 d

Source Safety Data Sheet Supplier

Chemical oxygen demand (COD) (Components)

methanol

Value 1.42 mg/g

Source IUCLID

**Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD5) (Components)** 

methanol

Value 600 to 1120 mg/g

Duration of test 5 d

Source IUCLID

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Octanol/water partition coefficient (log Pow) (Components)

methanol

log Pow -0.77

**Bioconcentration factor (BCF) (Components)** 

methanol

BCF < 10



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## 12.4. Mobility in soil

## Mobility in soil

Moderately mobile in soils

#### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

#### General information

Do not allow to enter drains or water courses

#### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

The Substance does not meet PBT-criteria.

This substance does not meet the vPvB-criteria.

## 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

## Endocrine disrupting properties with respect to the envrionment

This substance does not have endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms.

#### 12.7. Other adverse effects

#### **General information / ecology**

Do not allow it to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system.

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

## Disposal recommendations for the product

EWC waste code No not dispose with rubbish.

Disposal in compliance with local and national regulations.

EWC waste code Should not be released into the sanitary sewer system.

## Disposal recommendations for packaging

Disposal in compliance with local and national regulations.

Unpurified packings can contain mixtures of gas and air which are capable of explosion.

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	Land transport ADR/RID	Marine transport IMDG/GGVSee	Air transport ICAO/IATA
Tunnel restriction code	D/E		
14.1. UN number	1230	1230	1230
14.2. UN proper shipping name	METHANOL	METHANOL	METHANOL
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	3	3	3
Subsidiary risk	6.1	6.1	6.1
Label	e e	3 6	3 6
14.4. Packing group	II	II	II
Limited Quantity	1		
Transport category	2		

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

#### Water Hazard Class (Germany)

Water Hazard Class WGK 2

(Germany)

Remarks Derivation of WGK according to Annex 1 No. 5.2 AwSV

#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

For this substance a chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

#### Hazard statements listed in Chapter 3

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H301 Toxic if swallowed.
H311 Toxic in contact with skin.

H331 Toxic in contact with s

H370 Causes damage to organs.

#### **CLP categories listed in Chapter 3**

Acute Tox. 3 Acute toxicity, Category 3 Flam. Liq. 2 Flammable liquid, Category 2

STOT SE 1 Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure, Category 1

#### **Supplemental information**

Relevant changes compared with the previous version of the safety data sheet are marked with: \*\*\* This information is based on our present state of knowledge. However, it should not constitute a guarantee for any specific product properties and shall not establish a legally valid relationship.

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