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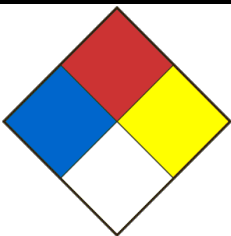
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SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 01 - PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier Potassium hydroxide 0.005N / denaturated ethanol		Product Use Laboratory use	
Chemical formula -		Product code PS-0707	Molar weight
Chemical name / Commercial name / Synonymous -			
Supplier's name Laboratoire MAT		Address-Street 610, Adanac Street	
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SECTION 02 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification WHIMS / GHS	Flammable liquids category 2 Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single exposure category 1 Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Eye irritation category 2	
Signal Word	DANGER	
Hazards statements (H)	H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour. H319 Causes serious eye irritation. H370 Causes damage to organs..	
Precautionary statements (P)	P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. — No smoking. P233 Keep container tightly closed. P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment. P242 Use only non-sparking tools. P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge. P260 Do not breathe dust / fume / gas / mist / vapours / spray. P264 Wash the areas of the body that have been in contact with the product after handling. P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. 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. P308 + P311 IF exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER or a doctor. P321 Specific treatment (see section 4 of the SDS and on this label). P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use water spray or alcohol-resistant foam, or dry powder or carbon dioxide for extinction. P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. P405 Store locked up. P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local / regional / national / international regulations or contact a specialist waste disposal company.	
PICTOGRAMS		
Other dangers	NFPA (Risk: 0=No risk; 1=Slight; 2=Moderate; 3=Signifiant; 4=Extreme)	
	Health 2 Fire 3 Reactivity 0 Special danger	

SECTION 03 - COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingrédients (Dénomination chimique / synonymes)	Numéro CAS et tout identificateur unique	Concentration (%)
Éthanol	64-17-5	85
Méthanol	67-56-1	14
Acétate d'éthyle	141-78-6	1
Eau	7732-18-5	0.05
Hydroxyde de potassium	1310-58-3	0.04

SECTION 04 - FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye contact	Wash eyes with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes while holding eyelids apart to rinse eyes.
Skin contact	Wash skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove soiled clothing. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.
Inhalation	If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Consult a physician.
Ingestion	If the person is conscious, give water to drink. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Consult a physician.
Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)	Ref. section 11.
Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary	In case of medical consultation, keep this sheet available.
General advice	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

SECTION 05 - FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Flammability	Yes
Ignition conditions	Strong oxidizing agents, heat, sparks and open flame. Flammable in the presence of a source of ignition when the temperature is above the flash point. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flame/hot surface.
Suitable extinguishing media	Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not use a heavy water stream.
Dangerous fumes - combustion	Carbon oxides.
Hazardous combustion / decomposition products	Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. Carbon oxides.
Special fire and explosion hazards	May react violently with incompatible products (Ref Section 10).
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Discard incompatible substances if this can be done without risk. Firefighters should be equipped with standard protective equipment, fireproof clothing, face mask, gloves, protective boots and, where appropriate, self-contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION 06 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up / Personnel precautions, protective equipment	Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Cut off all sources of ignition. Absorb the product with sand or vermiculite. Dilute residues with water, clean and rinse. Ensure a good ventilation of the premises. Dispose of residues in a container for disposal of hazardous materials. When handling, wear suitable safety equipment. Use breathing apparatus if necessary. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas. Do not let product enter drains.
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SECTION 07 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

Conditions for safe storage	Store in a cool, dry place. Protect from the sun's rays. Keep container tightly closed and store away from heat, water, moisture, and incompatible products. Use venting and electrical equipment that is grounded and does not produce ignition sources (sparks).
Methods of handling	Always open containers slowly to allow any excess pressure to vent. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist. Use explosion-proof equipment. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

SECTION 08 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Ethanol	64-17-5	TWAEV	1000 ppm 1900 mg/m ³	Canada. Ontario OELs
		TWA	1000 ppm 1880mg/m ³	Canada. Alberta, Occupational Health and Safety Code (table 2: OEL)
		VEMP	1000 ppm 1880mg/m ³	Québec. Regulation respecting occupational health and safety, Schedule 1, Part 1: Permissible exposure values for airborne contaminants
		STEL	1000 ppm	Canada. British Columbia OEL
		TWA	1000 ppm	Canada. British Columbia OEL
Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Methanol	67-56-1	TWA	200.000000 ppm 262.000000 mg/m ³	Canada. Alberta, Occupational Health and Safety Code (table 2: OEL)
Remarks	Substance may be readily absorbed through intact skin			
	STEL 250.000000 ppm 328.000000 mg/m ³ Canada. Alberta, Occupational Health and Safety Code (table 2: OEL)			
	Substance may be readily absorbed through intact skin			
		TWA	200.000000 ppm	Canada. British Columbia OEL
	Contributes significantly to the overall exposure by the skin route.			
		STEL	250.000000 ppm	Canada. British Columbia OEL
	Contributes significantly to the overall exposure by the skin route.			
		TWAEV	200.000000 ppm 262.000000 mg/m ³	Québec. Regulation respecting occupational health and safety, Schedule 1, Part 1: Permissible exposure values for airborne contaminants
	Skin (percutaneous)			
		STEV	250.000000 ppm 328.000000 mg/m ³	Québec. Regulation respecting occupational health and safety, Schedule 1, Part 1: Permissible exposure values for airborne contaminants
	Skin (percutaneous)			
		TWA	200.000000 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
		STEL	250.000000 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Ethyl acetate	141-78-6	TWA	400.000000 ppm 1,440.000000 mg/m ³	Canada. Alberta, Occupational Health and Safety Code (table 2: OEL)
Remarks	Occupational exposure limit is based on irritation effects and its adjustment to compensate for unusual work schedules is not required			
		TWA	150.000000 ppm	Canada. British Columbia OEL
		TWAEV	400.000000 ppm 1,440.000000 mg/m ³	Québec. Regulation respecting occupational health and safety, Schedule 1, Part 1: Permissible exposure values for airborne contaminants
		TWA	400.000000 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	C	2.000000 mg/m3	Canada. British Columbia OEL
		CEV	2.000000 mg/m3	Canada. Ontario OELs
		(c)	2.000000 mg/m3	Canada. Alberta, Occupational Health and Safety Code (table 2: OEL)
Remarks	Occupational exposure limit is based on irritation effects and its adjustment to compensate for unusual work schedules is not required			
		C	2.000000 mg/m3	Québec. Regulation respecting occupational health and safety, Schedule 1, Part 1: Permissible exposure values for airborne contaminants
	A substance which may not be recirculated in accordance with section 108			
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	A substance which may not be recirculated in accordance with section 108			
		C	2.000000 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
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Data source	Sigma-Aldrich (Millipore Sigma)
Ventilation	Fan.
Respiratory	If work under the hood is not possible, or if the permissible levels are exceeded, use a mechanical filter / cartridge against NIOSH vapors or a respirator with air supply.
Gloves	Handle with gloves.
Eyes	Safety goggles with safety shutters.
Shoes	Safety shoes.
Clothing	Labcoat. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.
Engineering control	Have safety showers and eyewash stations in the workplace in case of an emergency and a ventilation system to maintain the level of concentrations in the air below the exposure limit values.

SECTION 09 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state	Liquid.
Appearance	incolore-
Odour	Aromatique.
Odour threshold	Data not available
pH	Donnée non disponible.
Melting point / Freezing point	-90°C
Initial boiling point	Data not available
Boiling range	75- 79°C
Flash point	12°C
Evaporation rate	2.0-
Flammability	Yes
Lower flammable / Explosive limit	2.2%
Upper flammable / Explosive limit	36%
Vapour pressure	40.9 @ 20°CmmHg
Solubility	Miscible avec l'eau, les alcools et l'éther, acétone.
Vapour density	1.6 (Ethanol) (air = 1)-
Relative density	0.79g/ml
Partition coefficient water/n-octanol	1.9-
Auto-ignition temperature	385°C
Decomposition temperature	Data not available
Viscosity	Data not available

SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	Non-reactive under normal conditions.
Chemical stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Stable under normal conditions. Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.
Conditions of instability (Including sensitivity to shock / static discharge / vibration)	Avoid contact with incompatible materials and extreme temperatures. Heat, flames, sparks.
Incompatible material	Acids, Oxidants, Acid Chlorides, Acid Anhydrides, Alkali Metals, Reducing Agents.
Hazardous decomposition products	Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. Carbon oxides.

SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ETHANOL (ABSOLU)

Routes of exposure	Ingestion.
Acute exposition effects / symptoms:	By exposure route below.
- Eyes	Irritation and tearing.
- Skin	May cause skin irritation.
- Inhalation	May cause respiratory tract irritation.
Acute toxicity (Ingestion)	Euphoria, a feeling of intoxication, followed by central nervous system depression, which may include headache, nausea, dizziness, incoordination, speech disturbance, mental confusion and of narcosis.
Chronic exposure effects / symptoms	Cirrhosis of the liver and various diseases affecting the gastrointestinal, cardiovascular, nervous, hematological and respiratory systems.
DL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LD50 Oral - Rat - 7000 mg/kg LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - > 2,000 mg / kg
CL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LC50 Inhalation - Mouse - 1h - 60000 ppm.

METHANOL

Routes of exposure	Ingestion, inhalation, skin and eyes.
Acute exposition effects / symptoms:	By exposure route below.
- Eyes	May cause eye irritation.
- Skin	Irritation and dermatitis.
- Inhalation	Irritation of the mucous membranes and respiratory tract. Narcotic effects, chest pain, cough, dyspnea, headache, dizziness, watery eyes, paresthesia, nystagmus, drowsiness, confusion, nausea and vomiting.
Acute toxicity (Ingestion)	Irritation of the mucous membranes. Narcotic effects, liver, kidney and eye damage, abdominal pain, cramps, diarrhea, headache, dizziness, paresthesia, nystagmus, drowsiness, incoordination, acidosis, nausea and vomiting, seizures, hypotension, respiratory collapse, loss of consciousness, coma and can lead to death. Acute absorption of methanol can cause blindness. Damage to: liver, kidneys, eyes, heart, central nervous system.
Chronic exposure effects / symptoms	Headache, dizziness, nausea, visual disturbances, decreased visual acuity, liver and kidney damage.
DL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LD50 Oral - Rat - 1187 mg/kg LD50 Dermal - Lapin-15840 mg/kg
CL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LC50 Inhalation - Rat: 64000 ppm/4 h. LC50 Inhalation - Rat 115.9-130.7mg/L air / 4h.

ETHYL ACETATE

Routes of exposure	Ingestion, inhalation, skin and eyes.
Acute exposition effects / symptoms:	By exposure route below.
- Eyes	Irritation and conjunctivitis. May cause opacification of the cornea.
- Skin	Irritation and dermatitis.
- Inhalation	Irritation of the mucous membranes and respiratory tract. Narcotic effects, cough, dyspnea, headache, dizziness, drowsiness, paresthesia, nystagmus, nausea and vomiting, convulsions and may result in unconsciousness.
Acute toxicity (Ingestion)	Irritation of the mucous membranes. Narcotic effects, liver and kidney damage, gastrointestinal disorders, cramps, diarrhea, headache, dizziness, drowsiness, tremors, convulsions, nausea and vomiting.
Chronic exposure effects / symptoms	Chronic poisoning can result in anemia and the appearance of leukocytosis. Burning sensation, dermatitis, conjunctivitis, narcotic effects, liver and kidney damage, chest pain, cough, dyspnea, laryngitis, headache, dizziness, somnolence, paresthesia, nystagmus, muscle weakness, weight loss, and loss of weight. appetite, nausea and vomiting.
DL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LD50 Oral - Rat - 4934 mg/kg. LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - >5000mg/kg
CL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LC50 Inhalation - Rat - 4h - 4000 ppm. LC50 Inhalation - Mouse - 4h - 1500 ppm

POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE

Routes of exposure	Ingestion, inhalation, skin and eyes.
Acute exposition effects / symptoms:	By exposure route below.
- Eyes	Severe irritation and burns that may cause permanent eye damage.
- Skin	Irritation, burns and ulcerations of the tissues.
- Inhalation	Spasms, irritation and inflammation of the nose, throat and lungs. Edema of the larynx and bronchi. Chemical pneumonitis and pulmonary edema that can lead to death.
Acute toxicity (Ingestion)	Burns and ulcerations of the mouth, throat, esophagus and abdominal wall. Dysphagia, abdominal pain, cramps, diarrhea, melena, possibility of oesophageal and gastric perforations, bloody vomiting with mucous membrane fragments, tremors and convulsions, stupor, circulatory collapse, loss of consciousness, coma and can lead to death.
Chronic exposure effects / symptoms	Burning sensation, dermatitis, conjunctivitis, lung and eye damage, nerve disorders, chest pain, cough, dyspnea, laryngitis, headache, dizziness, confusion, irritability, sweating, salivation, tearing, fatigue, alopecia, loss weight loss and loss of appetite, seizures, nausea and vomiting.
DL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LD50 Oral - Rat - 273 mg/kg. LD50 Dermal - Data not available.
CL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LC50 - Inhalation - Data not available.

SUMMARY

Acute exposure effects / Symptoms:	By exposure routes below.
Ingestion	To our knowledge, the product has not been fully evaluated
Inhalation	To our knowledge, the product has not been fully evaluated
Skin	To our knowledge, the product has not been fully evaluated
Eyes	To our knowledge, the product has not been fully evaluated
Chronic exposure effects / Symptoms:	To our knowledge, the product has not been fully evaluated
ETA Mix (Estimated Acute Toxicity)	LD50 Oral: 4121mg/kg - Rat LD50 Dermal: > 5000 mg/kg - Rabbit LC50 Inhalation: 26900 ppm - 4h - Undefined species

SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Available ecological information	No
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SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Method	Dispose of contents / container in accordance with local / regional / national / international regulations / or contact a specialist waste disposal company.
Contaminated Packaging	Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN Number	1986
UN Proper shipping name	ALCOOLS INFLAMMABLES, TOXIQUES, N.S.A. (éthanol, méthanol)
Transport hazard class(es)	3 Flammable liquids 6.1 Toxic substances
Packing group	II
Limited quantity index	1L
ERAP Index	-
Special precautions	16

SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

WHIMS CANADA	Flammable liquids category 2 Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single exposure category 1 Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Eye irritation category 2
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SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

Further information

The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Laboratoire MAT Inc. shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.

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