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SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Methanol (BDH1135-19L, BDH1135-204L, BDH1135-1LP, BDH1135-4LP, BDH1135-4LG)

MSDS Number : 000000011700

Product Use Description : Solvent

Manufacturer : Honeywell
1953 South Harvey Street
Muskegon, MI 49442

Manufactured for : VWR International LLC
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Radnor PA 19087

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For Transportation Emergencies:
1-800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC - Domestic)
1-613-966-6666 (CANUTEC - Canada)

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**Emergency Overview**

Form : liquid, clear

Color : colourless

Odor : slight alcohol-like

Hazard Summary : Flammable. In use, may form flammable/explosive vapour-air mixture. May be fatal if swallowed. May be fatal if inhaled. May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin. May cause blindness. May cause



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irritation of the gastrointestinal tract. Can be absorbed through skin. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking. This product may cause adverse reproductive effects. Possible risk of harm to the unborn child.

Potential Health Effects

- Skin** : Irritating to skin.
 Can be absorbed through skin.
 May be harmful if absorbed through skin.
 May cause systemic poisoning with symptoms paralleling those of inhalation.
 Prolonged or repeated skin contact with liquid may cause defatting resulting in drying, redness and possible blistering.
- Eyes** : Irritating to eyes.
 Causes itching, burning, redness and tearing.
 May cause blindness.
- Ingestion** : Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.
 Causes headache, drowsiness or other effects to the central nervous system.
 May cause systemic poisoning with symptoms paralleling those of inhalation.
- Inhalation** : Causes respiratory tract irritation.
 Causes headache, drowsiness or other effects to the central nervous system.
 Inhalation of high vapour concentrations can cause CNS-depression and narcosis.
 May cause blindness.
- Chronic Exposure** : Causes damage to the kidneys/ liver/ eyes/ brain/ respiratory system/ central nervous system through prolonged or repeated exposure.
 Prolonged or repeated skin contact with liquid may cause defatting resulting in drying, redness and possible blistering.
 This product may cause adverse reproductive effects.
 Possible risk of harm to the unborn child.
- Aggravated Medical Condition** : Liver disorders
 Eye disorders
 Skin disorders
 Neurological disorders
 Kidney disorders

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Do not use if pregnant.

Target Organs : Eyes
Skin
Respiratory system
Central nervous system
Gastrointestinal tract

Carcinogenicity

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP, IARC, or OSHA.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTSFormula : CH₄O

Chemical nature : Substance

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Concentration
Methanol	67-56-1	100.00%

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation : Call a physician immediately. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Use oxygen as required, provided a qualified operator is present.

Skin contact : Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Call a physician.

Eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician.

Ingestion : Call a physician immediately. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediate medical attention is required. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Notes to physician



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Treatment : Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media : Alcohol-resistant foam
Carbon dioxide (CO₂)
Dry chemical
Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.

Specific hazards during firefighting : Flammable.
Vapours may form explosive mixtures with air.
Vapours are heavier than air and may spread along floors.
Vapors may travel to areas away from work site before igniting/flashing back to vapor source.
In case of fire hazardous decomposition products may be produced such as:
Carbon monoxide
Carbon dioxide (CO₂)
Formaldehyde

Special protective equipment for firefighters : Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions : Wear personal protective equipment.
Immediately evacuate personnel to safe areas.
Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Remove all sources of ignition.
Do not swallow.
Do not breathe vapours or spray mist.
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Environmental precautions : Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
Prevent product from entering drains.
Discharge into the environment must be avoided.
Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.
Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

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Methods for cleaning up : Ventilate the area.
No sparking tools should be used.
Use explosion-proof equipment.
Contain spillage, soak up with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and transfer to a container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see section 13).

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**Handling**

Handling : Wear personal protective equipment.
Use only in well-ventilated areas.
Keep container tightly closed.
Do not smoke.
Do not swallow.
Do not breathe vapours or spray mist.
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion : Keep away from fire, sparks and heated surfaces.
Take precautionary measures against static discharges.
Ensure all equipment is electrically grounded before beginning transfer operations.
Use explosion-proof equipment.
Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.
No sparking tools should be used.
No smoking.

Storage

Requirements for storage areas and containers : Store in area designed for storage of flammable liquids. Protect from physical damage.
Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.
Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.
Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.
Keep away from direct sunlight.
Store away from incompatible substances.
Container hazardous when empty.
Do not pressurize, cut, weld, braze, solder, drill, grind or expose containers to heat or sources of ignition.

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SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

- Protective measures : Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.
- Engineering measures : Use with local exhaust ventilation.
Prevent vapor buildup by providing adequate ventilation during and after use.
- Eye protection : Do not wear contact lenses.
Wear as appropriate:
Safety glasses with side-shields
If splashes are likely to occur, wear:
Goggles or face shield, giving complete protection to eyes
- Hand protection : Solvent-resistant gloves
Gloves must be inspected prior to use.
Replace when worn.
- Skin and body protection : Wear as appropriate:
Solvent-resistant apron
Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing
If splashes are likely to occur, wear:
Protective suit
- Respiratory protection : In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.
For rescue and maintenance work in storage tanks use self-contained breathing apparatus.
Use NIOSH approved respiratory protection.
- Hygiene measures : When using do not eat, drink or smoke.
Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.
Keep working clothes separately.
Do not swallow.
Do not breathe vapours or spray mist.
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.
This material has an established AIHA ERPG exposure limit.
The current list of ERPG exposure limits can be found at http://www.aiha.org/insideaiha/GuidelineDevelopment/ERPG/Documents/2011erpgweelhandbook_table-only.pdf.



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Exposure Guidelines–

Components	CAS-No	Value	Control parameters	Update	Basis
Methanol	67-56-1	SKIN_DES : Skin designation:	Can be absorbed through the skin.	2008	ACGIH:US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

		STEL : Short term exposure limit	(250 ppm)	2008	ACGIH:US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values
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		TWA : time weighted average	(200 ppm)	2008	ACGIH:US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values
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		STEL : Short term exposure limit	325 mg/m3 (250 ppm)	2005	NIOSH/GUIDE: US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards
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		SKIN_DES : Skin designation:	Can be absorbed through the skin.	2005	NIOSH/GUIDE: US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards
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		REL : Recommended exposure limit (REL):	260 mg/m3 (200 ppm)	2005	NIOSH/GUIDE: US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards
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		PEL : Permissible exposure limit	260 mg/m3 (200 ppm)	02 2006	OSHA_TRANS: US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)
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		SKIN_FINAL : Skin designation (Final Rule Limit applies):	Can be absorbed through the skin.	1989	Z1A:US. OSHA Table Z-1-A (29 CFR 1910.1000)
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		STEL : Short term exposure limit	325 mg/m3 (250 ppm)	1989	Z1A:US. OSHA Table Z-1-A (29 CFR 1910.1000)
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		TWA : time weighted average	260 mg/m3 (200 ppm)	1989	Z1A:US. OSHA Table Z-1-A (29 CFR 1910.1000)
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SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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Physical state	: liquid, clear
Colour	: colourless
Odour	: slight alcohol-like
pH	: Note: not applicable
Melting point/freezing point	: Note: not applicable
Boiling point/boiling range	: 64.7 °C
Flash point	: 52 °F (11 °C) Method: closed cup
Evaporation rate	: ca. 5 Method: Compared to Butyl acetate.
Lower explosion limit	: 6 %(V)
Upper explosion limit	: 36 %(V)
Vapour pressure	: 129.32 hPa at 20 °C(68 °F)
Vapour density	: 1.11 Note: (Air = 1.0)
Density	: 0.792 g/cm ³ at 20 °C
Water solubility	: Note: completely soluble
Ignition temperature	: 464 °C

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Molecular Weight : 34.04 g/mol

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

- Conditions to avoid : Heat, flames and sparks.
Keep away from direct sunlight.
- Materials to avoid : Strong oxidizing agents
Aluminium
Magnesium
May attack many plastics, rubbers and coatings.
- Hazardous decomposition products : In case of fire hazardous decomposition products may be produced such as:
Carbon monoxide
Carbon dioxide (CO₂)
Formaldehyde
- Hazardous reactions : Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.
Stable under recommended storage conditions.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- Acute oral toxicity : LD50: 5,628 mg/kg
Species: rat
- Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50: 64000 ppm
Exposure time: 4 h
Species: rat
- Acute dermal toxicity : LD50: 15,800 mg/kg
Species: rabbit
- Skin irritation : Species: rabbit
Classification: irritating
Exposure time: 24 h

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Eye irritation	: Species: rabbit eye Result: irritating
Repeated dose toxicity	: Species: rat Application Route: Inhalation Test substance: Methanol Note: Developmental Toxicity NOAEL (maternal toxicity) 10,000 ppm NOAEL (developmental toxicity) 5,000 ppm Skeletal and visceral malformations.
Genotoxicity in vitro Methanol	: Note: In vitro tests did not show mutagenic effects
Genotoxicity in vivo Methanol	: Note: In vivo tests did not show mutagenic effects

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Ecotoxicity effects**

Toxicity to fish	: LC50: 29,400 mg/l Exposure time: 96 h Species: Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow)
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates.	: LC50: 10,000 mg/l Exposure time: 24 h Species: Daphnia
Toxicity to bacteria	: EC50: 43,000 mg/l Exposure time: 5 min Species: Photobacterium phosphoreum
	: EC50: 40,000 mg/l Exposure time: 15 min Species: Photobacterium phosphoreum
	: EC50: 39,000 mg/l Exposure time: 25 min


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Species: Photobacterium phosphoreum

Further information on ecology

Additional ecological information : Accumulation in aquatic organisms is unlikely.
The product is readily degradable in the environment.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods : Observe all Federal, State, and Local Environmental regulations.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT UN/ID No. : UN 1230
Proper shipping name : METHANOL
Class : 3
Packing group : II
Hazard Labels : 3

IATA UN/ID No. : UN 1230
Description of the goods : METHANOL
Class : 3
Packaging group : II
Hazard Labels : 3 (6.1)
Packing instruction (cargo aircraft) : 364
Packing instruction (passenger aircraft) : 352
Packing instruction (passenger aircraft) : Y341

IMDG UN/ID No. : UN 1230
Description of the goods : METHANOL
Class : 3
Packaging group : II
Hazard Labels : 3 (6.1)
EmS Number : F-E
Marine pollutant : no

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SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**Inventories**

- US. Toxic Substances Control Act : On TSCA Inventory
- Australia. Industrial Chemical (Notification and Assessment) Act : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
- Canada. Canadian Environmental Protection Act (CEPA). Domestic Substances List (DSL) : All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL list.
- Japan. Kashin-Hou Law List : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
- Korea. Existing Chemicals Inventory (KECI) : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
- Philippines. The Toxic Substances and Hazardous and Nuclear Waste Control Act : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
- China. Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory
- New Zealand. Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC), as published by ERMA New Zealand : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

National regulatory information

- SARA 302 Components** : SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.
- SARA 313 Components** : The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:
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SARA 311/312 Hazards	:	Fire Hazard Acute Health Hazard Chronic Health Hazard
CERCLA Reportable Quantity	:	5000 lbs
California Prop. 65	:	WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. Methanol 67-56-1
Massachusetts RTK	:	Methanol 67-56-1
New Jersey RTK	:	Methanol 67-56-1
Pennsylvania RTK	:	Methanol 67-56-1
WHMIS Classification	:	B2: Flammable liquid D1B: Toxic Material Causing Immediate and Serious Toxic Effects D2A: Very Toxic Material Causing Other Toxic Effects D2B: Toxic Material Causing Other Toxic Effects This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the CPR and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

	HMIS III	NFPA
Health hazard	: 2*	1
Flammability	: 3	3
Physical Hazard	: 0	
Instability	:	0

* - Chronic health hazard

Hazard rating and rating systems (e.g. HMIS® III, NFPA): This information is intended solely for the use of individuals trained in the particular system.



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