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Safety Data Sheet

according to OSHA Hazard Communication
29 CFR Part 1910.1200

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SECTION 1. Identification

Product Code: 10453
Product Name: Formaldehyde 37%-11% Methanol
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INFOTRAC: 1-800-535-5053

Outside U.S. and Canada
Infotrac: 352-323-3500

NOTE: INFOTRAC and National Response Center emergency numbers to be used only in the event of chemical emergencies involving a spill, leak, fire, exposure or accident involving chemicals

SECTION 2. Hazard(s) Identification

*** EMERGENCY OVERVIEW ***: Combustible liquid and vapor. Fatal if inhaled. May cause cancer. Causes serious eye damage. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. May harm breast-fed children. May damage fertility or the unborn child.

GHS Classification

Acute Tox. 2 Inhalation, Carc. 1A, Eye Dam. 1, Flam. Liq. 4, Lact. Effect, Repr. 1A, Resp. Sens. 1, Skin Irrit. 2, Skin Sens. 1, STOT RE 2, STOT SE 1

Symbol(s) of Product



Signal Word
Danger

GHS HAZARD STATEMENTS

Flammable liquid, category 4	H227	Combustible liquid
Acute Toxicity, Oral, category 4	H302	Harmful if swallowed.
Acute Toxicity, Dermal, category 3	H311	Toxic in contact with skin.
Skin Irritation, category 2	H315	Causes skin irritation.
Skin Sensitizer, category 1	H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Serious Eye Damage, category 1	H318	Causes serious eye damage.
Acute Toxicity, Inhalation, category 2	H330	Fatal if inhaled.
Respiratory Sensitizer, category 1	H334	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
Carcinogenicity, category 1A	H350	May cause cancer.
Reproductive Toxicity, category 1A	H360	May damage fertility or the unborn child.
Effects on or via lactation	H362	May cause harm to breast-fed children.
STOT, single exposure, category 1	H370	Causes damage to organs.
STOT, repeated exposure, category 2	H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

GHS PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P202	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
P263	Avoid contact during pregnancy/while nursing.
P264	Wash thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P272	Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P284	[In case of inadequate ventilation] wear respiratory protection.
P301+P312	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
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/doctor/physician
P308+P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor
P314	Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.
P320	Specific treatment is urgent (see first aid section on this label).
P321	Specific treatment (see first aid section on this label).
P330	Rinse mouth.
P333+P313	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P342+P311	If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician
P361+P364	Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P370+P378	In case of fire: Use appropriate method to extinguish.
P403+P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
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.

SECTION 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Wt. %	GHS Symbols	GHS Statements
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	25-50	GHS05-GHS06-GHS08	H227-302-311-315-317-318-330-334-350-360-362-370-373
Methanol	67-56-1	10-25	GHS02-GHS06-GHS08	H225-301-311-331-360-362-370

The text for GHS Hazard Statements shown above (if any) is given in the "Other information" Section.

SECTION 4. First-Aid Measures



FIRST AID - EYE CONTACT: Immediately flush eyes with water. Flush eyes with water for a minimum of 15 minutes, occasionally lifting and lowering upper lids. Get medical attention promptly. Remove contact lenses if worn.

FIRST AID - SKIN CONTACT: Immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Remove clothing. Get medical attention immediately. Wash clothing separately and clean shoes before reuse.

FIRST AID - INHALATION: Rescuers should put on appropriate protective gear. Remove from area of exposure. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Keep victim warm. Get immediate medical attention.

FIRST AID - INGESTION: Small amounts which accidentally enter mouth should be rinsed out until taste of it is gone. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Only induce vomiting at the instruction of medical personnel.

SECTION 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS: Combustible liquid and vapor. Vapors can travel to a source of ignition and flash back. 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. Also, do not reuse container without commercial cleaning or reconditioning.

SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES: As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand (MSHA/NIOSH

approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Do not use water jet (frothing possible). Water spray to cool containers or protect personnel. Use with caution. Water runoff can cause environmental damage. Dike and collect water used to fight fire.

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical, Foam, Water Fog

SECTION 6. Accidental Release Measures

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED: Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. (See Exposure Controls / Personal Protection Section.) Eliminate all ignition sources. Prevent additional discharge of material if able to do so safely. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways. Ventilate spill area. Stay upwind of spill. Collect spilled materials for disposal. Use only non-combustible material for clean-up. Use clean, non-sparking tools to collect absorbed materials. Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. dry sand or earth), then place in a chemical waste container.

SECTION 7. Handling and Storage



HANDLING: Use only in a well ventilated area. Avoid breathing vapor, fumes or mist. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Always open containers slowly to allow any excess pressure to vent. Follow all MSDS/label precautions even after containers are emptied because they may retain product residues.

STORAGE: Keep away from heat, sparks, and flame. Store containers in a cool, well ventilated place. Keep container closed when not in use. Protect from direct sunlight.

SECTION 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Ingredients with Occupational Exposure Limits

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>ACGIH TLV-TWA</u>	<u>ACGIH-TLV STEL</u>	<u>OSHA PEL-TWA</u>	<u>OSHA PEL-CEILING</u>
Formaldehyde	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
Methanol	200 ppm	250 ppm	200 ppm	N.D.

Personal Protection



RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Wear a MSHA/NIOSH approved (or equivalent) full-facepiece airline respirator in the positive pressure mode with emergency escape provisions.



SKIN PROTECTION: Wear impervious gloves to prevent contact with the skin. Wear protective gear as needed - apron, suit, boots.



EYE PROTECTION: Use chemical splash goggles and face shield (ANSI Z87.1 or approved equivalent).



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



HYGENIC PRACTICES: Do not eat, drink, or smoke in areas where this material is used. Avoid breathing vapors. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash hands before eating.

SECTION 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:	Clear liquid	Physical State:	Liquid
Odor:	Typical	Odor Threshold:	N.D.
Density, g/cm3:	1.087	pH:	N.D.
Freeze Point, °F:	N.D.	Viscosity:	N.D.
Solubility in Water:	Soluble	Explosive Limits, vol%:	N.D.
Boiling Range, °F:	210 - 212	Flash Point, °F:	156
Evaporation Rate:	N.D.	Auto-ignition Temp., °F:	N.D.
Vapor Density:	N.D.	Vapor Pressure:	N.D.

(See "Other information" Section for abbreviation legend)

SECTION 10. Stability and Reactivity

STABILITY: No Information

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Avoid Impact, friction, heat, sparks, flame and source of ignition.

INCOMPATIBILITY: Avoid contact with hydrogen peroxide, chromic anhydride, nitric acid, mixed nitric/sulfuric acid, nitrosyl perchlorate, permonosulfuric acids, potassium tert-butoxide, sodium hypobromite, chlorinated melamine. Product reacts with phenol. Prevent contact with strong oxidizing agents. Keep away from acids. Keep separate from alkalis.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Toxic gases/fumes are given off during burning or thermal decomposition. During combustion carbon monoxide may be formed. During combustion carbon dioxide may be formed. Combustion can lead to the formation of formaldehyde. Combustion can lead to formation of formic acid.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: No Information

SECTION 11. Toxicological Information



Information on Toxicological Effects

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - INHALATION: Fatal if inhaled. Breathing in the material may irritate the mucous membranes of the nose, throat bronchi and lungs. Vapors are irritating to the respiratory tract. May cause dizziness and drowsiness. Can cause nausea, dizziness, headache, and stupor. May cause respiratory sensitization or asthma in susceptible individuals.

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - SKIN CONTACT: Toxic if in contact with skin. Severely irritating to skin and may cause burns. Skin absorption may add significantly to the overall toxic effect. May cause redness and pain. May cause skin sensitization, an allergic reaction, which becomes evident on reexposure to this material. Personnel with pre-existing skin disorders should avoid contact with this product.

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - EYE CONTACT: Causes serious eye damage. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness and swelling.

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - INGESTION: Toxic if swallowed. May be fatal or cause blindness if swallowed. May cause severe and permanent damage to mouth, throat and stomach. May cause central nervous system depression. Contains Methanol which may cause nausea, abdominal pain, vomiting, headache, dizziness, shortness of breathe, weakness, fatigue, leg cramps, restlessness, confusion, drunken behavior, visual disturbances, drowsiness, coma, and death.

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - CHRONIC HAZARDS: Cancer hazard. Adverse symptoms may include the following: reduced fetal weight, increase in fetal deaths, skeletal malformations. May cause delayed lung damage. Possible reproductive hazard. Overexposure may cause kidney damage. May cause liver disorder (e.g., edema, proteinuria) and damage. May cause damage to unborn child. May cause harm to breast-fed children. Material is slowly eliminated from the body, therefore it can have cumulative toxicity effects with repeated exposures. Significant exposure to this chemical may adversely affect people with chronic disease of the respiratory system, central nervous system, kidney, liver, skin, and/or eyes.

Carcinogenic Statement: No Information

Primary Route(s) of Entry: Eye Contact, Ingestion, Inhalation, Skin Contact

Acute Toxicity Values

The acute effects of this product have not been tested. Data on individual components are tabulated below:

<u>CAS-No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Oral LD50, mg/kg</u>	<u>Dermal LD50, mg/kg</u>	<u>Vapor LC50, mg/L</u>
50-00-0	Formaldehyde	800	270	0.578
67-56-1	Methanol	300	>200	>2

SECTION 12. Ecological Information

ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION: No Information

SECTION 13. Disposal Considerations

For more guidance and information contact our Waste Services Division at (262) 658-4000.



Always dispose of any waste in accordance with all local, state, and federal regulations.

DISPOSAL METHOD: Dispose of waste in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations.

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED: Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. (See Exposure Controls / Personal Protection Section.) Eliminate all ignition sources. Prevent additional discharge of material if able to do so safely. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways. Ventilate spill area. Stay upwind of spill. Collect spilled materials for disposal. Use only non-combustible material for clean-up. Use clean, non-sparking tools to collect absorbed materials. Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. dry sand or earth), then place in a chemical waste container.

SECTION 14. Transport Information

DOT Proper Shipping Name:	Formaldehyde solutions	Packing Group:	III
DOT Hazard Class:	8	Hazard SubClass:	No Information
DOT UN/NA Number:	UN2209	Resp. Guide Page:	132

SECTION 15. Regulatory Information**U.S. Federal Regulations:****CERCLA - SARA Hazard Category**

This product has been reviewed according to the EPA 'Hazard Categories' promulgated under Sections 311 and 312 of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA Title III) and is considered, under applicable definitions, to meet the following categories:

Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

SARA SECTION 313:

This product contains the following substances subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR part 372:

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>
Formaldehyde	50-00-0
Methanol	67-56-1

TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT:

This product contains the following chemical substances subject to the reporting requirements of TSCA 12(B) if exported from the United States:

No TSCA components exist in this product.

U.S. State Regulations:**NEW JERSEY RIGHT-TO-KNOW:**

The following materials are non-hazardous, but are among the top five components in this product.

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>
Water	7732-18-5

PENNSYLVANIA RIGHT-TO-KNOW

The following non-hazardous ingredients are present in the product are at or greater than 3%.

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>
Water	7732-18-5

CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65 CARCINOGENS

Warning: The following ingredients present in the product are known to the state of California to cause Cancer:

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>
Formaldehyde	50-00-0

CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65 REPRODUCTIVE TOXINS

Warning: The following ingredients present in the product are known to the state of California to cause birth defects, or other reproductive hazards.

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>
Methanol	67-56-1

International Regulations: As follows -**CANADIAN WHMIS:**

This SDS has been prepared in compliance with Controlled Product Regulations except for the use of the 16 headings.

WHMIS Class: No Information

SECTION 16. Other Information

Revision Date: 10/3/2016 Supersedes Date: 11/19/2015

Datasheet produced by: EH&S - Regulatory Department

HMIS Ratings:

Health:	3	Flammability:	2	Reactivity:	1	Personal Protection:	X
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Volatile Organic Compounds, gr/ltr: 119





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Text for GHS Hazard Statements shown in Section 3 describing each ingredient:

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
H227	Combustible liquid
H301	Toxic if swallowed.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H311	Toxic in contact with skin.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H330	Fatal if inhaled.
H331	Toxic if inhaled.
H334	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
H350	May cause cancer.
H360	May damage fertility or the unborn child.

H362 May cause harm to breast-fed children.
H370 Causes damage to organs.
H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Icons for GHS Pictograms shown in Section 3 describing each Ingredient:

- GHS02 
- GHS05 
- GHS06 
- GHS08 

Legend: N.A. - Not Applicable, N.E. - Not Established, N.D. - Not Determined, N.I. - No Information

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