

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

1.1. Product identifier

Product form	: Substance
Substance name	: Formaldehyde, 37% w/w
CAS No	: 50-00-0
Product code	: LC14650
Formula	: CH ₂ O
Synonyms	: formic aldehyde, 37% / formol, 37% / methanal, 37% / methyl aldehyde, 37% / methylene glycol, 37% / methylene oxide, 37% / oxomethane, 37% / oxomethylene, 37% / paraform, 37% / tetraoxymethylene, 37%
BIG no	: 12083

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the substance/mixture	: Chemical intermediate Disinfectant Laboratory chemical
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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

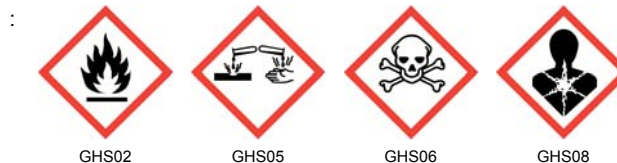
GHS-US classification

Flam. Liq. 3	H226
Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	H302
Acute Tox. 3 (Inhalation)	H331
Skin Corr. 1B	H314
Eye Dam. 1	H318
Skin Sens. 1A	H317
Carc. 1B	H350
Aquatic Acute 2	H401

2.2. Label elements

GHS-US labelling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US)



Signal word (GHS-US)

: Danger

Hazard statements (GHS-US)

: H226 - Flammable liquid and vapour
H302 - Harmful if swallowed
H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction
H318 - Causes serious eye damage
H331 - Toxic if inhaled
H350 - May cause cancer (Inhalation)
H401 - Toxic to aquatic life

Precautionary statements (GHS-US)

: P201 - Obtain special instructions before use
P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
P210 - Keep away from heat, sparks, open flames, hot surfaces. - No smoking
P233 - Keep container tightly closed

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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 mist, vapours, spray
P264 - Wash exposed skin 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
P273 - Avoid release to the environment
P280 - Wear protective clothing, protective gloves, eye protection, face protection
P301+P330+P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting
P303+P361+P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower
P304+P340 - IF INHALED: remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position 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+P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention
P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
P333+P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention
P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
P370+P378 - In case of fire: Use carbon dioxide (CO₂), powder, alcohol-resistant foam for extinction
P403+P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed
P235 - Keep cool
P405 - Store locked up
P501 - Dispose of contents/container to comply with local, state and federal regulations

2.3. Other hazards

Other hazards not contributing to the classification : None under normal conditions.

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS-US)

No data available

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substance

Substance type : Multi-constituent
Name : Formaldehyde, 37% w/w
CAS No : 50-00-0

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
Water	(CAS No) 7732-18-5	48 - 53	Not classified
Formaldehyde	(CAS No) 50-00-0	37	Acute Tox. 1 (Inhalation:gas), H330 Carc. 1A, H350
Methanol	(CAS No) 67-56-1	10 - 15	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Acute Tox. 3 (Oral), H301 Acute Tox. 3 (Dermal), H311 Acute Tox. 3 (Inhalation), H331 STOT SE 1, H370

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

3.2. Mixture

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Check the vital functions. Unconscious: maintain adequate airway and respiration. Respiratory arrest: artificial respiration or oxygen. Cardiac arrest: perform resuscitation. Victim conscious with laboured breathing: half-seated. Victim in shock: on his back with legs slightly raised. Vomiting: prevent asphyxia/aspiration pneumonia. Prevent cooling by covering the victim (no warming up). Keep watching the victim. Give psychological aid. Keep the victim calm, avoid physical strain. Depending on the victim's condition: doctor/hospital.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove the victim into fresh air. Immediately consult a doctor/medical service.

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First-aid measures after skin contact	: Wash immediately with lots of water (15 minutes)/shower. Do not apply (chemical) neutralizing agents. Remove clothing while washing. Do not remove clothing if it sticks to the skin. Cover wounds with sterile bandage. Consult a doctor/medical service. If burned surface > 10%: take victim to hospital.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Rinse immediately with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Do not apply neutralizing agents. Take victim to an ophthalmologist.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Rinse mouth with water. Immediately after ingestion: give lots of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting. Immediately consult a doctor/medical service. Call Poison Information Centre (www.big.be/antigif.htm). Ingestion of large quantities: immediately to hospital. Take the container/vomit to the doctor/hospital. Do not give chemical antidote. Doctor: gastric lavage.

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

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation	: Runny nose. Coughing. Irritation of the respiratory tract. Irritation of the nasal mucous membranes. EXPOSURE TO HIGH CONCENTRATIONS: Possible oedema of the upper respiratory tract. Possible laryngeal spasm/oedema. Respiratory difficulties. Risk of lung oedema.
Symptoms/injuries after skin contact	: Caustic burns/corrosion of the skin.
Symptoms/injuries after eye contact	: Corrosion of the eye tissue.
Symptoms/injuries after ingestion	: Nausea. Vomiting. Diarrhoea. AFTER ABSORPTION OF HIGH QUANTITIES: Central nervous system depression. Dizziness. Blood in vomit. Blood in stool. Shock. Disturbances of consciousness. Change in the haemogramme/blood composition. Change in urine composition. Urine discolouration.
Chronic symptoms	: ON CONTINUOUS/REPEATED EXPOSURE/CONTACT: Red skin. Dry skin. Skin rash/inflammation. Coughing. Possible inflammation of the respiratory tract. Respiratory difficulties.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Obtain medical assistance.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	: Preferably: water spray. Alcohol-resistant foam. BC powder. Carbon dioxide.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	: No unsuitable extinguishing media known.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard	: DIRECT FIRE HAZARD. Material presenting a fire hazard. INDIRECT FIRE HAZARD. Temperature above flashpoint: higher fire/explosion hazard. Reactions involving a fire hazard: see "Reactivity Hazard".
Explosion hazard	: INDIRECT EXPLOSION HAZARD. Reactions with explosion hazards: see "Reactivity Hazard".
Reactivity	: Upon combustion: CO and CO ₂ are formed. Reacts violently with (strong) oxidizers: (increased) risk of fire/explosion. Reacts violently with many compounds. Reacts with (some) acids: release of (highly) toxic compounds. Unstabilized product polymerizes. Reacts with (some) bases: release of carbon dioxide with pressure rise and possible bursting of container.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions	: Cool tanks/drums with water spray/remove them into safety. Do not move the load if exposed to heat. Take account of toxic fire-fighting water. Use water moderately and if possible collect or contain it.
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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment	: Gas-tight suit. Corrosion-proof suit.
Emergency procedures	: Keep upwind. Mark the danger area. Consider evacuation. Close doors and windows of adjacent premises. No naked flames. Keep containers closed. Wash contaminated clothes.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment	: Equip cleanup crew with proper protection. Do not breathe gas, fumes, vapour or spray.
Emergency procedures	: If a major spill occurs, all personnel should be immediately evacuated and the area ventilated. Ventilate area. Stop leak if safe to do so.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent soil and water pollution. Prevent spreading in sewers.

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6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- For containment : Contain released substance, pump into suitable containers. Consult "Material-handling" to select material of containers. Plug the leak, cut off the supply. Dam up the liquid spill. Try to reduce evaporation. Dilute toxic gases/vapours with water spray. Take account of toxic/corrosive precipitation water.
- Methods for cleaning up : Take up liquid spill into absorbent material, e.g.: dry sand/earth/vermiculite. Scoop absorbed substance into closing containers. See "Material-handling" for suitable container materials. Carefully collect the spill/leftovers. Damaged/cooled tanks must be emptied. Take collected spill to manufacturer/competent authority. Clean contaminated surfaces with an excess of water. Wash clothing and equipment after handling.

6.4. Reference to other sections

No additional information available

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Comply with the legal requirements. Use only in well-ventilated areas. Remove contaminated clothing immediately. Clean contaminated clothing. Keep the substance free from contamination. Thoroughly clean/dry the installation before use. Do not discharge the waste into the drain. Use earthed equipment. Keep away from naked flames/heat. At temperature > flashpoint: use spark-/explosionproof appliances. Finely divided: spark- and explosionproof appliances. Finely divided: keep away from ignition sources/sparks. Observe very strict hygiene - avoid contact. Keep container tightly closed. Measure the concentration in the air regularly. Exhaust gas must be neutralised.
- Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Incompatible products : Strong oxidizers. Strong bases. metals. Acid chlorides. Acid anhydrides.
- Incompatible materials : Sources of ignition.
- Heat and ignition sources : KEEP SUBSTANCE AWAY FROM: heat sources.
- Prohibitions on mixed storage : KEEP SUBSTANCE AWAY FROM: combustible materials. oxidizing agents. (strong) acids. (strong) bases.
- Storage area : Store in a cool area. Keep container in a well-ventilated place. Keep locked up. Provide for a tub to collect spills. Unauthorized persons are not admitted. Meet the legal requirements.
- Special rules on packaging : SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: closing. clean. correctly labelled. meet the legal requirements. Secure fragile packagings in solid containers.
- Packaging materials : SUITABLE MATERIAL: stainless steel. aluminium. synthetic material. glass. stoneware/porcelain. MATERIAL TO AVOID: iron. copper. zinc. nickel.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Formaldehyde, 37% w/w (50-00-0)		
USA ACGIH	ACGIH Ceiling (mg/m ³)	0.37 mg/m ³
USA ACGIH	ACGIH Ceiling (ppm)	0.3 ppm
USA OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)	0.75 ppm
USA OSHA	OSHA PEL (STEL) (ppm)	2 ppm
Formaldehyde (50-00-0)		
USA ACGIH	ACGIH Ceiling (mg/m ³)	0.37 mg/m ³
USA ACGIH	ACGIH Ceiling (ppm)	0.3 ppm
USA OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)	0.75 ppm
USA OSHA	OSHA PEL (STEL) (ppm)	2 ppm
Methanol (67-56-1)		
USA ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (ppm)	200 ppm


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Methanol (67-56-1)		
USA ACGIH	ACGIH STEL (ppm)	200 ppm
USA OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m ³)	260 mg/m ³
USA OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)	200 ppm

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls	: Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation.
Personal protective equipment	: Gas mask with filter type A. Protective goggles. Protective clothing. Face shield.
	
Materials for protective clothing	: GIVE EXCELLENT RESISTANCE: butyl rubber. nitrile rubber. viton. GIVE GOOD RESISTANCE: tetrafluoroethylene. polyethylene/ethylenevinylalcohol. GIVE LESS RESISTANCE: neoprene. PVC. GIVE POOR RESISTANCE: natural rubber. polyethylene. PVA.
Hand protection	: Gloves.
Eye protection	: Safety glasses.
Skin and body protection	: Head/neck protection. Corrosion-proof clothing.
Respiratory protection	: Wear gas mask with filter type A if conc. in air > exposure limit. High vapour/gas concentration: self-contained respirator.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Appearance	: Liquid.
Molecular mass	: 30.03 g/mol
Colour	: Colourless.
Odour	: Irritating/pungent odour.
Odour threshold	: 1 ppm 1.2 mg/m ³
pH	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: No data available
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: > 60 °C
Self ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: No data available
Vapour pressure	: No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Density	: 1.08 g/ml
Solubility	: Soluble in ethanol. Soluble in methanol. Soluble in ether. Soluble in acetone. Soluble in chloroform.
Log Pow	: -0.78 - 0.0
Log Kow	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidising properties	: No data available
Explosive limits	: No data available

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9.2. Other information

VOC content : > 25 %
Other properties : Clear. Physical properties depending on the concentration. Volatile. Substance has acid reaction.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Upon combustion: CO and CO₂ are formed. Reacts violently with (strong) oxidizers: (increased) risk of fire/explosion. Reacts violently with many compounds. Reacts with (some) acids: release of (highly) toxic compounds. Unstabilized product polymerizes. Reacts with (some) bases: release of carbon dioxide with pressure rise and possible bursting of container.

10.2. Chemical stability

No data available.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Incompatible materials. Heat. Sparks. Open flame.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong bases. Strong oxidizers. Strong acids. metals.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon dioxide. Carbon monoxide. Hydrogen. Formaldehyde.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Harmful if swallowed. Toxic if inhaled.

Formaldehyde, 37% w/w (f)50-00-0	
LD50 oral rat	500 mg/kg

Formaldehyde (50-00-0)	
LD50 oral rat	500 mg/kg
LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	0.579 ppm/4h

Methanol (67-56-1)	
LD50 oral rat	> 5000 mg/kg (1187-2769 mg/kg bodyweight; Rat; Rat)
LD50 dermal rabbit	15800 mg/kg (Rabbit)
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	85 mg/l/4h (Rat)
LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	64000 ppm/4h (Rat)

Water (7732-18-5)	
LD50 oral rat	≥ 90000 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye damage.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation : May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified
Carcinogenicity : May cause cancer (Inhalation).

Formaldehyde, 37% w/w (50-00-0)	
IARC group	1 - Carcinogenic to humans

Formaldehyde (50-00-0)	
IARC group	1 - Carcinogenic to humans
National Toxicity Program (NTP) Status	2 - Known Human Carcinogens

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) : Not classified

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Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
Symptoms/injuries after inhalation	: Runny nose. Coughing. Irritation of the respiratory tract. Irritation of the nasal mucous membranes. EXPOSURE TO HIGH CONCENTRATIONS: Possible oedema of the upper respiratory tract. Possible laryngeal spasm/oedema. Respiratory difficulties. Risk of lung oedema.
Symptoms/injuries after skin contact	: Caustic burns/corrosion of the skin.
Symptoms/injuries after eye contact	: Corrosion of the eye tissue.
Symptoms/injuries after ingestion	: Nausea. Vomiting. Diarrhoea. AFTER ABSORPTION OF HIGH QUANTITIES: Central nervous system depression. Dizziness. Blood in vomit. Blood in stool. Shock. Disturbances of consciousness. Change in the haemogramme/blood composition. Change in urine composition. Urine discoloration.
Chronic symptoms	: ON CONTINUOUS/REPEATED EXPOSURE/CONTACT: Red skin. Dry skin. Skin rash/inflammation. Coughing. Possible inflammation of the respiratory tract. Respiratory difficulties.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - water	: Water pollutant (surface water). Harmful to fishes. Harmful to invertebrates (Daphnia). pH shift. Not harmful to activated sludge.
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Formaldehyde, 37% w/w (50-00-0)	
LC50 fishes 1	41 mg/l (96 h; Brachydanio rerio; Pure substance)
EC50 Daphnia 1	14.7 mg/l (24 h; Daphnia magna; Pure substance)
LC50 fish 2	62 - 109 mg/l (96 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss); Pure substance)
EC50 Daphnia 2	2 mg/l
TLM fish 1	50 - 200,96 h; Poecilia reticulata; Pure substance
TLM fish 2	10 - 100,Pisces; Pure substance
TLM other aquatic organisms 1	10 - 100,96 h
Threshold limit algae 1	2.5 mg/l (192 h; Scenedesmus quadricauda; Pure substance)
Threshold limit algae 2	0.39 mg/l (192 h; Microcystis aeruginosa; Solution <50%)

Methanol (67-56-1)	
LC50 fishes 1	15400 mg/l (96 h; Lepomis macrochirus; Lethal)
EC50 Daphnia 1	> 10000 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna; Lethal)
LC50 fish 2	10800 mg/l 96 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss)
EC50 Daphnia 2	24500 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna)
Threshold limit other aquatic organisms 1	6600 mg/l (16 h; Pseudomonas putida)
Threshold limit algae 1	530 mg/l (192 h; Microcystis aeruginosa)
Threshold limit algae 2	8000 mg/l (168 h; Scenedesmus quadricauda)

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Formaldehyde, 37% w/w (50-00-0)	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water. Biodegradability in soil: no data available. No (test)data on mobility of the components of the mixture available. Photodegradation in the air.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	0.64 g O ² /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	1.06 g O ² /g substance
ThOD	1.068 g O ² /g substance
BOD (% of ThOD)	(5 day(s)) 0.60

Methanol (67-56-1)	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water. Biodegradable in the soil.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	0.6 - 1.12 g O ² /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	1.42 g O ² /g substance
ThOD	1.5 g O ² /g substance
BOD (% of ThOD)	0.8 % ThOD

Water (7732-18-5)	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.

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12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Formaldehyde, 37% w/w (50-00-0)	
Log Pow	-0.78 - 0.0
Bioaccumulative potential	Bioaccumulation: not applicable.
Formaldehyde (50-00-0)	
Log Pow	0.35
Methanol (67-56-1)	
BCF fish 1	< 10 (Leuciscus idus)
Log Pow	-0.77 (Experimental value; Other, Experimental value; Other)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (BCF < 500).
Water (7732-18-5)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Formaldehyde, 37% w/w (50-00-0)	
Ecology - soil	Toxic to flora.
Methanol (67-56-1)	
Surface tension	0.023 N/m (20 °C)

12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

- Waste disposal recommendations : Remove waste in accordance with local and/or national regulations. Hazardous waste shall not be mixed together with other waste. Different types of hazardous waste shall not be mixed together if this may entail a risk of pollution or create problems for the further management of the waste. Hazardous waste shall be managed responsibly. All entities that store, transport or handle hazardous waste shall take the necessary measures to prevent risks of pollution or damage to people or animals. Dehydrate. Remove to an authorized incinerator equipped with an afterburner and a flue gas scrubber with energy recovery. May be discharged to wastewater treatment installation.
- Additional information : Hazardous waste according to Directive 2008/98/EC.
- Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment. Hazardous waste due to toxicity.

SECTION 14: Transport information

- In accordance with DOT
- Transport document description : UN1198 Formaldehyde solutions, flammable, 3, III
- UN-No.(DOT) : 1198
- DOT NA no. : UN1198
- DOT Proper Shipping Name : Formaldehyde solutions, flammable
- Department of Transportation (DOT) Hazard Classes : 3 - Class 3 - Flammable and combustible liquid 49 CFR 173.120
- Hazard labels (DOT) : 3 - Flammable liquid
8 - Corrosive



- Packing group (DOT) : III - Minor Danger

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DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102)	: B1 - If the material has a flash point at or above 38 C (100 F) and below 93 C (200 F), then the bulk packaging requirements of 173.241 of this subchapter are applicable. If the material has a flash point of less than 38 C (100 F), then the bulk packaging requirements of 173.242 of this subchapter are applicable. IB3 - Authorized IBCs: Metal (31A, 31B and 31N); Rigid plastics (31H1 and 31H2); Composite (31HZ1 and 31HA2, 31HB2, 31HN2, 31HD2 and 31HH2). Additional Requirement: Only liquids with a vapor pressure less than or equal to 110 kPa at 50 C (1.1 bar at 122 F), or 130 kPa at 55 C (1.3 bar at 131 F) are authorized, except for UN2672 (also see Special Provision IP8 in Table 2 for UN2672). T4 - 2.65 178.274(d)(2) Normal..... 178.275(d)(3) TP1 - The maximum degree of filling must not exceed the degree of filling determined by the following: Degree of filling = $97 / (1 + a (tr - tf))$ Where: tr is the maximum mean bulk temperature during transport, and tf is the temperature in degrees celsius of the liquid during filling.
DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx)	: 4b;150
DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx)	: 203
DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx)	: 242
DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail (49 CFR 173.27)	: 5 L
DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 CFR 175.75)	: 60 L
DOT Vessel Stowage Location	: A - The material may be stowed "on deck" or "under deck" on a cargo vessel and on a passenger vessel.
DOT Vessel Stowage Other	: 40 - Stow "clear of living quarters"

Additional information

Other information	: No supplementary information available.
State during transport (ADR-RID)	: as liquid.

ADR

Transport document description	:
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Transport by sea

No additional information available

Air transport

No additional information available

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

Formaldehyde, 37% w/w (50-00-0)	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory	
RQ (Reportable quantity, section 304 of EPA's List of Lists) :	100 lb
SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Immediate (acute) health hazard Delayed (chronic) health hazard
SARA Section 313 - Emission Reporting	0.1 %
Formaldehyde (50-00-0)	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory Listed on SARA Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings)	
RQ (Reportable quantity, section 304 of EPA's List of Lists) :	100 lb
SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Immediate (acute) health hazard Delayed (chronic) health hazard
Methanol (67-56-1)	
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory Listed on SARA Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings)	
RQ (Reportable quantity, section 304 of EPA's List of Lists) :	5000 lb
SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Immediate (acute) health hazard Fire hazard

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Water (7732-18-5)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

15.2. International regulations

CANADA

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Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.

WHMIS Classification

Class B Division 3 - Combustible Liquid
Class D Division 1 Subdivision A - Very toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects
Class D Division 2 Subdivision A - Very toxic material causing other toxic effects
Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects
Class E - Corrosive Material

Formaldehyde (50-00-0)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.

WHMIS Classification

Class D Division 1 Subdivision A - Very toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects
Class D Division 2 Subdivision A - Very toxic material causing other toxic effects
Class E - Corrosive Material

Methanol (67-56-1)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.

WHMIS Classification

Class B Division 2 - Flammable Liquid
Class D Division 2 Subdivision A - Very toxic material causing other toxic effects
Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects

Water (7732-18-5)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List) inventory.

WHMIS Classification

Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria

EU-Regulations

No additional information available

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Carc. 2 H351
Acute Tox. 3 (Inhalation) H331
Acute Tox. 3 (Dermal) H311
Acute Tox. 3 (Oral) H301
Skin Corr. 1B H314
STOT SE 3 H335
Skin Sens. 1 H317

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

Carc.Cat.3; R40
T; R23/24/25
C; R34
R43

Full text of R-phrases: see section 16

15.2.2. National regulations

Formaldehyde, 37% w/w (50-00-0)

Listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List

Formaldehyde (50-00-0)

Listed on IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)
Listed as carcinogen on NTP (National Toxicology Program)
Listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List

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Methanol (67-56-1)

Listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List

Water (7732-18-5)

Not listed on the Canadian Ingredient Disclosure List

15.3. US State regulations

Formaldehyde, 37% w/w(50-00-0)

U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List	Yes
U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxicity	Yes
No significance risk level (NSRL)	40 µg/day

Formaldehyde (50-00-0)

U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxicity	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Female	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Male	No significance risk level (NSRL)
Yes				40 µg/day

Methanol (67-56-1)

U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxicity	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Female	U.S. - California - Proposition 65 - Reproductive Toxicity - Male	No significance risk level (NSRL)
	Yes			40 µg/day

SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16:

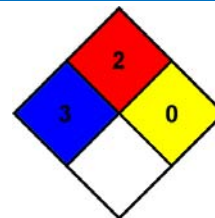
Acute Tox. 1 (Inhalation:gas)	Acute toxicity (inhalation:gas) Category 1
Acute Tox. 3 (Dermal)	Acute toxicity (dermal), Category 3
Acute Tox. 3 (Inhalation)	Acute toxicity (inhal.), Category 3
Acute Tox. 3 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 3
Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4
Aquatic Acute 2	Hazardous to the aquatic environment — AcuteHazard, Category 2
Carc. 1A	Carcinogenicity, Category 1A
Carc. 1B	Carcinogenicity, Category 1B
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1
Flam. Liq. 2	Flammable liquids, Category 2
Flam. Liq. 3	Flammable liquids, Category 3
Skin Corr. 1B	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1B
Skin Sens. 1A	Sensitisation — Skin, category 1A
STOT SE 1	Specific target organ toxicity — single exposure, Category 1
H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour
H226	Flammable liquid and vapour
H301	Toxic if swallowed
H302	Harmful if swallowed
H311	Toxic in contact with skin
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H330	Fatal if inhaled
H331	Toxic if inhaled
H350	May cause cancer
H370	Causes damage to organs
H401	Toxic to aquatic life

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- NFPA health hazard : 3 - Short exposure could cause serious temporary or residual injury even though prompt medical attention was given.
- NFPA fire hazard : 2 - Must be moderately heated or exposed to relatively high temperature before ignition can occur.
- NFPA reactivity : 0 - Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions, and are not reactive with water.



HMIS III Rating

- Health : 3 Serious Hazard - Major injury likely unless prompt action is taken and medical treatment is given
- Flammability : 2 Moderate Hazard
- Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard
- Personal Protection : H

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