

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## Section 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

<b>Product Name</b>	0.1mol/L Potassium Hydroxide Ethanolic Solution
<b>Product Code</b>	166-03915

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**Recommended uses** For research use only

**Restrictions on use** Seek expert judgment when using for purposes other than those recommended.

## Section 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## GHS classification

## Classification of the substance or mixture

## Flammable liquids

## Skin corrosion/irritation

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

## Carcinogenicity

## Reproductive Toxicity

## Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

**Category 3** Respiratory irritation, Narcotic effects

## Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

**Category 1** liver

**Category 2** central nervous system

Category 2

Category 2

Category 2A

Category 1A

Category 1A

Category 3

Category 1, Category 2

## Pictograms



## Signal word

Danger

## Hazard statements

H225 - Highly flammable liquid and vapor

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

H350 - May cause cancer

H360 - May damage fertility or the unborn child

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

H336 - May cause drowsiness or dizziness

H372 - Causes damage to the following organs through prolonged or repeated exposure: liver

H373 - May cause damage to the following organs through prolonged or repeated exposure: central nervous system

## Precautionary statements-(Prevention)

- Obtain special instructions before use
- Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

- Use personal protective equipment as required
- Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
- Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
- Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
- Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
- Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking
- Keep container tightly closed
- Ground/bond container and receiving equipment
- Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating / lighting / equipment
- Use only non-sparking tools
- Take precautionary measures against static discharge
- Keep cool

**Precautionary statements-(Response)**

- IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention
- IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
- If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention
- If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention
- IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower
- Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
- IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
- In case of fire: Use suitable extinguishing media for extinction

**Precautionary statements-(Storage)**

- Store locked up
- Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

**Precautionary statements-(Disposal)**

- Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Others**

**Other hazards** Not available

### Section 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**Single Substance or Mixture** Mixture

Chemical Name	Weight-%	Molecular weight	ENCS	ISHL No.	CAS RN
Ethanol	92	46.07	(2)-202	*	64-17-5
Water	7.44	18.02	N/A	N/A	7732-18-5
Potassium Hydroxide	0.56	56.11	(1)-369	*	1310-58-3

**Note on ISHL No.:** \* in the table means announced chemical substances.

### Section 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

**Inhalation**

Remove to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Skin contact**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Eye contact**

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Ingestion**

Rinse mouth. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.

**Protection of first-aiders**

Use personal protective equipment as required.

## Section 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

### Suitable extinguishing media

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Foam, Extinguishing powder, Sand

### Unsuitable extinguishing media

No information available

### Specific hazards arising from the chemical product

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air

### Special extinguishing method

No information available

### Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Use personal protective equipment as required. Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear.

## Section 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For indoor, provide adequate ventilation process until the end of working. Deny unnecessary entry other than the people involved by, for example, using a rope. While working, wear appropriate protective equipments to avoid adhering it on skin, or inhaling the gas. Work from windward, and retract the people downwind.

### Environmental precautions

To be careful not discharged to the environment without being properly handled waste water contaminated.

### Methods and materials for contaminant and methods and materials for cleaning up

Absorb dry sand, earth, sawdust and the waste. Collect empty container that can be sealed.

### Recovery, neutralization

No information available

### Secondary disaster prevention measures

Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

## Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Handling

#### Technical measures

Highly flammable. Avoid contact with high temperature objects, spark, and strong oxidizing agents. Use with local exhaust ventilation.

#### Precautions

Do not rough handling containers, such as upsetting, falling, giving a shock, and dragging. Prevent leakage, overflow, and scattering. Not to generate steam and dust in vain. Seal the container after use. After handling, wash hands and face, and then gargle. In places other than those specified, should not be smoking or eating and drinking. Should not be brought contaminated protective equipment and gloves to rest stops. Deny unnecessary entry of non-emergency personnel to the handling area.

#### Safety handling precautions

Take necessary action to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause ignition of organic vapors). Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

### Storage

#### Safe storage conditions

##### Storage conditions

Store away from sunlight in well-ventilated place at room temperature (preferably cool).  
Keep container tightly closed.

##### Safe packaging material

Glass

#### Incompatible substances

Strong oxidizing agents

## Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Engineering controls

In case of indoor workplace, seal the source or use a local exhaust system. Provide the safety shower facility, and hand- and eye-wash facility. And display their position clearly.

**Exposure limits**

Chemical Name	JSOH (Japan)	ISHL (Japan)	ACGIH
Ethanol 64-17-5	N/A	N/A	STEL: 1000 ppm
Potassium Hydroxide 1310-58-3	Maximum ; 2mg/m <sup>3</sup>	N/A	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Personal protective equipment**

<b>Respiratory protection</b>	gas mask for organic gas ( JIS T 8152 )
<b>Hand protection</b>	chemical protective gloves ( JIS T 8116 )
<b>Eye protection</b>	protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles
<b>Skin and body protection</b>	Long-sleeved work clothes

**General hygiene considerations**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Data except for the appearance is described as a solvent.

**Form**

**Color** Colorless - slightly yellow

**Appearance** liquid

**Odor**

characteristic odor

**Melting point/freezing point**

-130 °C

**Boiling point, initial boiling point and boiling range**

78 °C

**Flammability**

Highly flammable liquid and vapor

**Evaporation rate:**

no data available

**Flammability (solid, gas):**

no data available

**Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits**

**Upper:** 19 %

**Lower:** 3.3 %

**Flash point**

12.8 °C

**Auto-ignition temperature:**

371 °C / 700 °F

**Decomposition temperature:**

no data available

**pH**

Strongly alkaline

**Viscosity (coefficient of viscosity)**

no data available

**Dynamic viscosity**

no data available

**Solubilities**

water , Ethanol : at the rate of any miscible .

**n-Octanol/water partition coefficient:(log Pow)**

-0.32

**Vapour pressure**

59.3 mmHg ( 25 °C )

**Specific Gravity / Relative density**

no data available

**Vapour density**

1.6 (air = 1)

**Particle characteristics**

no data available

## Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Stability**

**Reactivity** no data available

**Chemical stability** Easy to absorb the carbon dioxide in the air.

**Hazardous reactions**

None under normal processing

**Conditions to avoid**

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight, Heat, flames and sparks, static electricity, spark

**Incompatible materials**

Strong oxidizing agents

**Hazardous decomposition products**Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)**Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Acute toxicity**

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Ethanol	6200 mg/kg ( Rat )	20000 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	63000 ppmV ( Rat ) 4 h
Potassium Hydroxide	273 mg/kg ( Rat )	N/A	N/A

Chemical Name	Acute toxicity -oral- source information	Acute toxicity -dermal- source information	Acute toxicity -inhalation gas- source information
Ethanol	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.
Potassium Hydroxide	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

Chemical Name	Acute toxicity -inhalation vapor- source information	Acute toxicity -inhalation dust- source information	Acute toxicity -inhalation mist- source information
Ethanol	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.
Potassium Hydroxide	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

**Skin irritation/corrosion**

Chemical Name	Skin corrosion/irritation source information
Ethanol	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.
Potassium Hydroxide	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

**Serious eye damage/ irritation**

Chemical Name	Serious eye damage/irritation source information
Ethanol	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.
Potassium Hydroxide	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization**

Chemical Name	Respiratory or Skin sensitization source information
Ethanol	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.
Potassium Hydroxide	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

**Reproductive cell mutagenicity**

Chemical Name	germ cell mutagenicity source information
Ethanol	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.
Potassium Hydroxide	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

**Carcinogenicity**

Chemical Name	Carcinogenicity source information
Ethanol	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.
Potassium Hydroxide	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

Chemical Name	NTP	IARC	ACGIH	JSOH (Japan)
Ethanol 64-17-5	Known	Group 1	A3	-

**Reproductive toxicity**

Chemical Name	Reproductive toxicity source information
Ethanol	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.
Potassium Hydroxide	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

**STOT-single exposure**

Chemical Name	STOT -single exposure- source information
Ethanol	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.
Potassium Hydroxide	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

**STOT-repeated exposure**

Chemical Name	STOT -repeated exposure- source information
Ethanol	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

Potassium Hydroxide	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	
<b>Chemical Name</b>	<b>Aspiration Hazard source information</b>
Ethanol	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.
Potassium Hydroxide	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

## Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Ethanol	EC50 : <i>Chlorella alga</i> 1000 mg/L 96 h	LC50 : <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> 11200 ppm 96 h	EC50 : <i>Daphnia magna</i> 5463 mg/L 48 h

### Other data

Chemical Name	Short-term (acute) hazardous to the aquatic environment source information	Long-term (chronic) hazardous to the aquatic environment source information
Ethanol	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.
Potassium Hydroxide	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

<b>Persistence and degradability</b>	No information available
<b>Bioaccumulative potential</b>	No information available
<b>Mobility in soil</b>	No information available
<b>Hazard to the ozone layer</b>	No information available

## Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Waste from residues

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

### Contaminated container and contaminated packaging

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

## Section 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### ADR/RID

UN number	UN1993
Proper shipping name:	Flammable liquid, n.o.s. (Ethanol Solution)
UN classification	3
Subsidiary hazard class	
Packing group	II
Marine pollutant	Not applicable

### IMDG

UN number	UN1993
Proper shipping name:	Flammable liquid, n.o.s. (Ethanol Solution)
UN classification	3
Subsidiary hazard class	
Packing group	II
Marine pollutant (Sea)	Not applicable
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code	No information available

### IATA

UN number	UN1993
Proper shipping name:	Flammable liquid, n.o.s. (Ethanol Solution)
UN classification	3

Subsidiary hazard class  
Packing group II  
Environmentally Hazardous Substance Not applicable

## Section 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

### Japanese regulations

**Fire Service Act** Category IV, alcohols, dangerous grade 2 water-soluble  
**Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law** Not applicable  
**Industrial Safety and Health Act** Harmful Substances Whose Names Are to be Indicated on the Label (Law Art.57)  
Notifiable Substances (Law Art.57-2)  
Dangerous Substances - Flammable Substance (Enforcement Order Attached Table 1 Item 4)  
**Regulations for the carriage and storage of dangerous goods in ship** Flammable Liquids (Ordinance Art.3, Ministry of Transportation Ordinance Regarding Transport by Ship and Storage, Attached Table 1)  
**Civil Aeronautics Law** Flammable Liquids (Ordinance Art.194, MITL Notification for Air Transportation of Explosives etc., Attached Table 1)  
**Marine Pollution Prevention Law** Enforcement Ordinance Appendix 1 Hazardous Liquid Substance Y Class Substance (Potassium Hydroxide)  
**Pollutant Release and Transfer Register Law (2023.4.1-)** Not applicable  
**Water Pollution Control Act** Specified substances(Law Art.2 Para.4, Enforcement Order Art.3-3)  
**Export Trade Control Order** Not applicable

Chemical Name	Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law	Industrial Safety and Health Act Substances (Law Art.57-2)	Pollutant Release and Transfer Register Law (2023.4.1-)
Ethanol 64-17-5 ( 92 )	-	Applicable	-

## Section 16: OTHER INFORMATION

**Key literature references and sources for data etc.** NITE: National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (JAPAN)  
<http://www.safe.nite.go.jp/japan/db.html>  
ATA dangerous Goods Regulations  
RTECS:Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances  
Japan Industrial Safety and Health Association GHS Model SDS  
Dictionary of Synthetic Organic Chemistry , SSOCJ, Koudansha Scientific Co.Ltd.  
Chemical Dictionary, Kyouritsu Publishing Co., Ltd.  
etc

**Record of SDS revisions** The following contents were revised. Hazards identification. Composition/information on ingredients. Fire fighting measures. Exposure controls/personal protection. Physical and chemical properties. Transport information. Regulatory information.

### Disclaimer

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