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# SECTION 1 IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE / MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY / UNDERTAKING

# **Product Identifier**

Product name	Noroxymorphone hydrochloride
Chemical Name	noroxymorphone hydrochloride
Synonyms	N-012
Proper shipping name	METHANOL
Chemical formula	C16-H17-N-O4 .CI-H
Other means of identification	Not Available
CAS number	52446-24-9*

# Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant identified uses Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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# Emergency telephone number

Association / Organisation	Victorian Poisons Information Centre	
Emergency telephone numbers	13 11 26	
Other emergency telephone numbers	Not Available	

# **SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

### Classification of the substance or mixture

Poisons Schedule	S6	
Classification <sup>[1]</sup>	Flammable Liquid Category 2, Acute Toxicity (Oral) Category 3, Acute Toxicity (Dermal) Category 3, Acute Toxicity (Inhalation) Category 3, Respiratory Sensitizer Category 1B, Skin Sensitizer Category 1, Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure Category 1	
Legend:	1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HSIS; 3. Classification drawn from EC Directive 1272/2008 - Annex VI	

# Label elements

Hazard pictogram(s)







SIGNAL WORD D

DANGER

### Hazard statement(s)

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H301	Toxic if swallowed.
H311	Toxic in contact with skin.
H331	Toxic if inhaled.

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H334	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.	
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.	
Н370	Causes damage to organs.	

# Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

P210	Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces No smoking.	
P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.	
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.	
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.	

# Precautionary statement(s) Response

P301+P310	IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.	
P304+P340	F INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.	
P307+P311	IF exposed: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.	
P330	Rinse mouth.	

# Precautionary statement(s) Storage

P403+P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
P405	Store locked up.

# Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations.

# SECTION 3 COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

otherwise:

possible) to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration.

### Substances

CAS No	%[weight]	Name
67-56-1	79.95	methanol
52446-24-9	0.1	noroxymorphone hydrochloride
67-68-5	18.95	dimethyl sulfoxide

# Mixtures

See section above for composition of Substances

# SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures			
Eye Contact	If this product comes in contact with the eyes:  Immediately hold eyelids apart and flush the eye continuously with running water.  Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lowe  Continue flushing until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes.  Transport to hospital or doctor without delay.  Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.		
Skin Contact	If skin or hair contact occurs:  • Quickly but gently, wipe material off skin with a dry, clean cloth.  • Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear.  • Wash skin and hair with running water. Continue flushing with water until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre.  • Transport to hospital, or doctor.		
Inhalation	<ul> <li>If furnes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.</li> <li>Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested.</li> <li>Prostheses such as false teeth, which may block airway, should be removed, where possible, prior to initiating first aid procedures.</li> <li>Apply artificial respiration if not breathing, preferably with a demand valve resuscitator, bag-valve mask device, or pocket mask as trained. Perform CPR if necessary.</li> <li>Transport to hospital, or doctor, without delay.</li> </ul>		
Ingestion	<ul> <li>Avoid giving milk or oils.</li> <li>Avoid giving alcohol.</li> <li>IF SWALLOWED, REFER FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION, WHERE POSSIBLE, WITHOUT DELAY.</li> <li>For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.</li> <li>Urgent hospital treatment is likely to be needed.</li> <li>In the mean time, qualified first-aid personnel should treat the patient following observation and employing supportive measures as indicated by the patient's condition.</li> <li>If the services of a medical officer or medical doctor are readily available, the patient should be placed in his/her care and a copy of the SDS should be provided. Further action will be the responsibility of the medical specialist.</li> <li>If medical attention is not available on the worksite or surroundings send the patient to a hospital together with a copy of the SDS.</li> <li>Where medical attention is not immediately available or where the patient is more than 15 minutes from a hospital or unless instructed</li> </ul>		

▶ INDUCE vomiting with fingers down the back of the throat, ONLY IF CONSCIOUS. Lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if

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NOTE: Wear a protective glove when inducing vomiting by mechanical means

▶ If spontaneous vomiting appears imminent or occurs, hold patient's head down, lower than their hips to help avoid possible aspiration of vomitus.

### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Any material aspirated during vomiting may produce lung injury. Therefore emesis should not be induced mechanically or pharmacologically. Mechanical means should be used if it is considered necessary to evacuate the stomach contents; these include gastric lavage after endotracheal intubation. If spontaneous vomiting has occurred after ingestion, the patient should be monitored for difficult breathing, as adverse effects of aspiration into the lungs may be delayed up to 48 hours.

Treat symptomatically for a narcotic analgesic.

A vigorous program of symptomatic and supportive therapy has saved many victims of poisoning. The single most important element in therapy is the correction of anoxia by all available means: the maintenance of a patent airway, the administration of oxygen, the use of artificial respiration, and the injection of specific narcotic antagonists such as nalorphine, levallorphan or naloxone promptly antagonises the respiratory depression, coma and hypotension from overdoses of morphine, codeine, all semi-synthetics and almost all synthetic narcotics.

GOSSELIN et al: Clinical Toxicology of Commercial Products.

In fully conscious patients, remove swallowed poison by thorough gastric lavage and emesis. The chances of removing a significant amount of the drug are better if treatment is started within the first two hours. If the patient is unconscious or depressed, emesis is contraindicated and the dangers of gastric lavage are not justified.

DREISBACH AND ROBERTSON: Handbook of Poisoning, Appleton & Lange

For acute and short term repeated exposures to methanol:

- ► Toxicity results from accumulation of formaldehyde/formic acid.
- Clinical signs are usually limited to CNS, eyes and GI tract Severe metabolic acidosis may produce dyspnea and profound systemic effects which may become intractable. All symptomatic patients should have arterial pH measured. Evaluate airway, breathing and circulation.
- ▶ Stabilise obtunded patients by giving naloxone, glucose and thiamine.
- Decontaminate with Ipecac or lavage for patients presenting 2 hours post-ingestion. Charcoal does not absorb well; the usefulness of cathartic is not established.
- Forced diuresis is not effective; haemodialysis is recommended where peak methanol levels exceed 50 mg/dL (this correlates with serum bicarbonate levels below 18 meq/L).
- Ethanol, maintained at levels between 100 and 150 mg/dL, inhibits formation of toxic metabolites and may be indicated when peak methanol levels exceed 20 mg/dL. An intravenous solution of ethanol in D5W is optimal.
- Folate, as leucovorin, may increase the oxidative removal of formic acid. 4-methylpyrazole may be an effective adjunct in the treatment. 8. Phenytoin may be preferable to diazepam for controlling seizure

[Ellenhorn Barceloux: Medical Toxicology]

**BIOLOGICAL EXPOSURE INDEX - BEI** 

 Determinant
 Index
 Sampling Time
 Comment

 1. Methanol in urine
 15 mg/l
 End of shift
 B, NS

 2. Formic acid in urine
 80 mg/gm creatinine
 Before the shift at end of workweek
 B, NS

B: Background levels occur in specimens collected from subjects NOT exposed.

NS: Non-specific determinant - observed following exposure to other materials.

### **SECTION 5 FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

### **Extinguishing media**

Water may be an ineffective extinguishing media for methanol fires; static explosions are reported for aqueous solutions as dilute as 30%. Water may be used to cool containers.

- Alcohol stable foam.
- Dry chemical powder.
- ▶ BCF (where regulations permit).
- Carbon dioxide.

# Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

Fire Incompatibility 

Avoid contamination with oxidising agents i.e. nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result

### Advice for firefighters

Fire Fighting	<ul> <li>Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.</li> <li>Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves in the event of a fire.</li> <li>Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water courses.</li> <li>Use fire fighting procedures suitable for surrounding area.</li> </ul>	
Fire/Explosion Hazard	Use fire fighting procedures suitable for surrounding area.      Liquid and vapour are highly flammable.     Severe fire hazard when exposed to heat, flame and/or oxidisers.     Vapour may travel a considerable distance to source of ignition.     Heating may cause expansion or decomposition leading to violent rupture of containers. Combustion products include:     carbon dioxide (CO2) formaldehyde     sulfur oxides (SOx)     other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.     May emit poisonous furnes.	
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# SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

# Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

See section 8

### **Environmental precautions**

See section 12

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

### Minor Spills

- ▶ Remove all ignition sources
- ► Clean up all spills immediately.
- Avoid breathing vapours and contact with skin and eyes.
- ▶ Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment.

# Major Spills

- ▶ Clear area of personnel and move upwind.
- ► Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- ► May be violently or explosively reactive.
- Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.

Personal Protective Equipment advice is contained in Section 8 of the SDS.

### **SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### Precautions for safe handling

### Safe handling

- ► Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.
- Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.
- Use in a well-ventilated area.
- Prevent concentration in hollows and sumps.
- ▶ DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin

#### Other information

NOTE: Special security requirements may be mandated under Federal/State Regulation(s).

- Store in original containers.
- ▶ Store in vault fitted with warning devices or detectors recommended by various Federal/State authorities.
- ▶ Store in vault used only for the purpose of storage of drugs of addiction.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- ▶ Packaging as recommended by manufacturer.
- Check that containers are clearly labelled.
- Tamper-proof containers
- ▶ Polyethylene or polypropylene containers.
- ▶ Glass container is suitable for laboratory quantities

#### For low viscosity materials

### Suitable container

Storage incompatibility

- ► Drums and jerricans must be of the non-removable head type.
- ▶ Where a can is to be used as an inner package, the can must have a screwed enclosure.
- For materials with a viscosity of at least 2680 cSt. (23 deg. C) and solids (between 15 C deg. and 40 deg C.):
  - Removable head packaging;
  - ► Cans with friction closures and
  - ▶ low pressure tubes and cartridges

# may be used.

All inner and sole packagings for substances that have been assigned to Packaging Groups I or II on the basis of inhalation toxicity criteria, must be hermetically sealed.

- Many aprotic (non-hydroxylic) solvents are not inert towards other reagents and care must be taken when using untried combinations of solvents an
  reagents for the first time.
- ▶ Some aprotic solvents have a dramatic effect on reaction rates

### Dimethyl sulfoxide:

- reacts violently or explosively with oxidisers, acryl halides, aryl halides and related compounds, non-metallic chlorides and other active halogen compounds, p-bromobenzoyl acetanilide, diborane, boron compounds, iodine pentafluoride, magnesium perchlorate, methyl bromide, perchloric acid, periodic acid, silver fluoride, sodium hydride, potassium permanganate
- ▶ forms powerfully explosive mixtures with metal salts of oxoacids

All blends containing DMSO must be buffered at pH 7-9 before distillation.

Prolonged heating above 15 deg.C (302 deg. F) can cause rapid, exothermic decomposition

# Methanol:

- reacts violently with strong oxidisers, acetyl bromide, alkyl aluminium salts, beryllium dihydride, bromine, chromic acid, 1-chloro-3,3-difluoro-2-methoxycyclopropene, cyanuric chloride, diethylzinc, isophthaloyl chloride, nitric acid, perchloric acid, potassium-tert-butoxide, potassium sulfur diimide, Raney nickel catalysts, 2,4,6-trichlorotriazine, triethylaluminium, 1,3,3-trifluoro-2-methoxycyclopropene
- is incompatible with strong acids, strong caustics, alkaline earth and alkali metals, aliphatic amines, acetaldehyde, benzoyl peroxide, 1,3-bis(din-cyclopentadienyl iron)-2-propen-1-one, calcium carbide, chloroform, chromic anhydride, chromium trioxide, dialkylzinc, dichlorine oxide, dichloromethane, ethylene oxide, hypochlorous acid, isocyanates, isopropyl chlorocarbonate, lithium tetrahydroaluminate, magnesium, methyl azide, nitrogen dioxide, palladium, pentafluoroguanidine, perchloryl fluoride, phosphorus pentasulfide, phosphorus trioxide, potassium, tangerine oil, triisobutylaluminium
- ▶ mixtures with lead perchlorate, sodium hypochlorite are explosive
- ▶ may react with metallic aluminium at high temperatures
- ► slowly corrodes lead and aluminium
- ▶ may generate electrostatic charges, due to low conductivity, on flow or agitation
- attacks some plastics, rubber and coatings

Static induced flash fires have happened when filling plastic containers with methanol / water solutions with as low as 30% methanol content Alcohols

- ▶ are incompatible with strong acids, acid chlorides, acid anhydrides, oxidising and reducing agents.
- reacts, possibly violently, with alkaline metals and alkaline earth metals to produce hydrogen
- react with strong acids, strong caustics, aliphatic amines, isocyanates, acetaldehyde, benzoyl peroxide, chromic acid, chromium oxide, dialkylzincs, dichlorine oxide, ethylene oxide, hypochlorous acid, isopropyl chlorocarbonate, lithium tetrahydroaluminate, nitrogen dioxide, pentafluoroguanidine, phosphorus halides, phosphorus pentasulfide, tangerine oil, triethylaluminium, triisobutylaluminium
- should not be heated above 49 deg. C. when in contact with aluminium equipment
- Avoid storage with reducing agents.

### **SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

### Control parameters

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### OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS (OEL)

#### INGREDIENT DATA

Source	Ingredient	Material name	TWA	STEL	Peak	Notes
Australia Exposure Standards	methanol	Methyl alcohol	262 mg/m3 / 200 ppm	328 mg/m3 / 250 ppm	Not Available	Not Available

### **EMERGENCY LIMITS**

Ingredient	Material name	TEEL-1	TEEL-2	TEEL-3
methanol	Methyl alcohol; (Methanol)	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
dimethyl sulfoxide	Dimethyl sulfoxide; (DMSO)	150 ppm	290 ppm	1,800 ppm

Ingredient	Original IDLH	Revised IDLH
methanol	6000 ppm	Not Available
noroxymorphone hydrochloride	Not Available	Not Available
dimethyl sulfoxide	Not Available	Not Available

### **Exposure controls**

# Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection.

The basic types of engineering controls are:

Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.

Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard "physically" away from the worker and ventilation that strategically "adds" and "removes" air in the work environment.

### Personal protection











# Eye and face protection

- Safety glasses with side shields.
- Chemical goggles.
- ► Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lenses or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task.

### Skin protection

### See Hand protection below

- ► Wear chemical protective gloves, e.g. PVC.
- ► Wear safety footwear or safety gumboots, e.g. Rubber

### NOTE:

The material may produce skin sensitisation in predisposed individuals. Care must be taken, when removing gloves and other protective equipment, to avoid all possible skin contact.

Contaminated leather items, such as shoes, belts and watch-bands should be removed and destroyed.

### Hands/feet protection

The selection of suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality which vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Where the chemical is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

The exact break through time for substances has to be obtained from the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed when making a final choice.

Personal hygiene is a key element of effective hand care.

 Aprotic solvents may greatly promote the toxic properties of solutes because of their unique ability to penetrate synthetic rubber protective gloves and the skin (butyl rubber gloves are reported to be more satisfactory than others

# Body protection

# See Other protection below

### Other protection

- Overalls.
- ► Eyewash unit.
- Barrier cream.
- Thermal hazards
- ► Skin cleansing cream.

  Not Available

# Recommended material(s)

### GLOVE SELECTION INDEX

Glove selection is based on a modified presentation of the:

"Forsberg Clothing Performance Index".

The effect(s) of the following substance(s) are taken into account in the *computer-generated* selection:

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Material	СРІ
BUTYL	A
PE/EVAL/PE	A
NEOPRENE	В
BUTYL/NEOPRENE	С
HYPALON	С
NAT+NEOPR+NITRILE	С
NATURAL RUBBER	С
NATURAL+NEOPRENE	С
NEOPRENE/NATURAL	С

# Respiratory protection

Cartridge respirators should never be used for emergency ingress or in areas of unknown vapour concentrations or oxygen content. The wearer must be warned to leave the contaminated area immediately on detecting any odours through the respirator. The odour may indicate that the mask is not functioning properly, that the vapour concentration is too high, or that the mask is not properly fitted. Because of these limitations, only restricted use of cartridge respirators is considered appropriate.

Selection of the Class and Type of respirator will depend upon the level of breathing zone contaminant and the chemical nature of the contaminant. Protection Factors (defined as the ratio of contaminant outside and inside the mask) may also be important.

Required minimum protection factor	Maximum gas/vapour concentration present in air p.p.m. (by volume)	Half-face Respirator	Full-Face Respirator
up to 10	1000	A-AUS / Class	; -
		1	
up to 50	1000	-	A-AUS / Class
			1
up to 50	5000	Airline *	-
up to 100	5000	-	A-2
up to 100	10000	-	A-3
100+		-	Airline**

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NITRILE	С
NITRILE+PVC	С
PVA	С
PVC	С
PVDC/PE/PVDC	С
SARANEX-23 2-PLY	С
SARANEX-23	С
TEFLON	С
VITON/NEOPRENE	С

<sup>\*</sup> CPI - Chemwatch Performance Index

**NOTE**: As a series of factors will influence the actual performance of the glove, a final selection must be based on detailed observation. -

\* - Continuous Flow

\*\* - Continuous-flow or positive pressure demand.

A(All classes) = Organic vapours, B AUS or B1 = Acid gases, B2 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), B3 = Acid gas or hydrogen cyanide(HCN), E = Sulfur dioxide(SO2), G = Agricultural chemicals, K = Ammonia(NH3), Hg = Mercury, NO = Oxides of nitrogen, MB = Methyl bromide, AX = Low boiling point organic compounds(below 65 deg C)

# **SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

# Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Not Available		
Physical state	Liquid	Relative density (Water = 1)	0.954 @ 20 C
Odour	Not Available	Partition coefficient n-octanol / water	Not Available
Odour threshold	Not Available	Auto-ignition temperature (°C)	Not Available
pH (as supplied)	Not Applicable	Decomposition temperature	Not Available
Melting point / freezing point (°C)	Not Available	Viscosity (cSt)	Not Available
Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C)	Not Available	Molecular weight (g/mol)	Not Available
Flash point (°C)	22 C	Taste	Not Available
Evaporation rate	Not Available	Explosive properties	Not Available
Flammability	HIGHLY FLAMMABLE.	Oxidising properties	Not Available
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)	Not Available
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Volatile Component (%vol)	Not Available
Vapour pressure (kPa)	Not Available	Gas group	Not Available
Solubility in water (g/L)	Miscible	pH as a solution (1%)	Not Available
Vapour density (Air = 1)	Not Available	VOC g/L	Not Available

### **SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity	See section 7
Chemical stability	<ul> <li>Static induced flash fires have happened when filling plastic containers with methanol / water solutions with as low as 30% methanol content.</li> <li>Unstable in the presence of incompatible materials.</li> <li>Product is considered stable.</li> <li>Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.</li> </ul>
Possibility of hazardous reactions	See section 7
Conditions to avoid	See section 7
Incompatible materials	See section 7
Hazardous decomposition products	See section 5

# **SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# Information on toxicological effects

Inhalation of vapours or aerosols (mists, fumes), generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may produce toxic effects.

The material is not thought to produce respiratory irritation (as classified by EC Directives using animal models). Nevertheless inhalation of vapours, fumes or aerosols, especially for prolonged periods, may produce respiratory discomfort and occasionally, distress.

Inhaled

There is strong evidence to suggest that this material can cause, if inhaled once, serious, irreversible damage of organs. Inhalation of vapours of DMSO may cause cough or a burning sensation. High concentrations may cause nausea, vomiting, chills, cramps, headache, dizziness, tiredness, and allergic reactions. Very high doses may be lethal. Repeated exposure may cause liver damage and inflammation of the airway and lung.

A: Best Selection

B: Satisfactory; may degrade after 4 hours continuous immersion

C: Poor to Dangerous Choice for other than short term immersion

<sup>\*</sup> Where the glove is to be used on a short term, casual or infrequent basis, factors such as

<sup>&</sup>quot;feel" or convenience (e.g. disposability), may dictate a choice of gloves which might otherwise

be unsuitable following long-term or frequent use. A qualified practitioner should be consulted.

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Minor but regular methanol exposures may effect the central nervous system, optic nerves and retinae. Symptoms may be delayed, with headache, fatique, nausea, blurring of vision and double vision. Continued or severe exposures may cause damage to optic nerves, which may become severe with permanent visual impairment even blindness resulting. WARNING: Methanol is only slowly eliminated from the body and should be regarded as a cumulative poison which cannot be made non-harmful [CCINFO] Strong evidence exists that exposure to the material may cause irreversible damage (other than cancer, mutations and birth defects) following a single exposure by swallowing. Swallowing of the liquid may cause aspiration into the lungs with the risk of chemical pneumonitis; serious consequences may result. (ICSC13733) Morphine and other analgesics cause nausea, vomiting, constipation, drowsiness and confusion. Urination can be difficult, and the bowel and bile ducts Ingestion can spasm Methanol may produce a burning or painful sensation in the mouth, throat, chest, and stomach. This may be accompanied by nausea, vomiting, headache, dizziness, shortness of breath, weakness, fatigue, leg cramps, restlessness, confusion, drunken behaviour, visual disturbance, drowsiness, coma and There is strong evidence to suggest that this material, on a single contact with skin, can cause serious, irreversible damage of organs. The material is not thought to be a skin irritant (as classified by EC Directives using animal models). Temporary discomfort, however, may result from prolonged dermal exposures. Contact dermatitis has been reported with morphine and other narcotic analgesics. Topical exposure to DMSO results in stinging sensation, skin burns, redness, itching, scaly rashes and blisters. There may be � garlic � breath, transient disturbances of colour vision, headache, aversion to light, diarrhoea, numbness, tiredness, chills, chest pains, aching eyes, dark urine from rapid Skin Contact breakdown of the blood, drowsiness and shock. DMSO is commonly used as a carrier for topical preparations of many chemicals including drugs. Contact with DMSO solutions containing toxic material or materials with unknown toxicology should be avoided, as DMSO easily penetrates the skin and may enhance the rate of skin absorption of other skin-permeable substances. Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material Entry into the blood-stream, through, for example, cuts, abrasions or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects. Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected. Although the liquid is not thought to be an irritant (as classified by EC Directives), direct contact with the eye may produce transient discomfort characterised by tearing or conjunctival redness (as with windburn). Direct contact with high concentrations of DMSO produces irritation with temporary stinging and burning. Lower concentrations do not appear to cause injury and are tolerated well. Application of its full strength to the eye may cause pain, moderate discharge, corneal injury and dilation of the conjunctival blood vessels with bleeding. These effects are reversed within 2 days. 510meth Inhaling this product is more likely to cause a sensitisation reaction in some persons compared to the general population. Skin contact with the material is more likely to cause a sensitisation reaction in some persons compared to the general population. Substance accumulation, in the human body, may occur and may cause some concern following repeated or long-term occupational exposure. Chronic morphine poisoning or addiction causes pin-point pupils, rapid mood changes and poor social adaptation. As dependence and tolerance occurs, there is an overwhelming need to continue taking the drug or similar drugs and to increase the dose. Topical application for 6 months resulted in bad breath, transient reddening of skin, burning and stinging with moderate inflammation. These reversed with Chronic continuation of treatment. Continuous applications under an occluding membrane produced hardening of the skin within a month. There could be eye changes, leading to visual impairment; lung inflammation, liver enlargement, and kidney damage may occur. Long-term exposure to methanol vapour, at concentrations exceeding 3000 ppm, may produce cumulative effects characterised by gastrointestinal disturbances (nausea, vomiting), headache, ringing in the ears, insomnia, trembling, unsteady gait, vertigo, conjunctivitis and clouded or double vision. Liver and/or kidney injury may also result. TOXICITY IRRITATION Noroxymorphone hydrochloride Not Available Oral (mouse) LD50: 402 mg/kg<sup>[2]</sup> TOXICITY IRRITATION Dermal (rabbit) LD50: 15800 mg/kg<sup>[2]</sup> Eye (rabbit): 100 mg/24h-moderate methanol Inhalation (rat) LC50: 63926.976 mg/l/4h<sup>[2]</sup> Eve (rabbit): 40 mg-moderate Oral (rat) LD50:  $5600 \text{ mg/kg}^{[2]}$ Skin (rabbit): 20 mg/24 h-moderate TOXICITY IRRITATION noroxymorphone hydrochloride Oral (mouse) LD50: 402 mg/kg<sup>[2]</sup> Not Available TOXICITY IRRITATION dimethyl sulfoxide Oral (rat) LD50: 14500 mg/kg<sup>[2]</sup> Not Available 1. Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Acute toxicity 2.\* Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS. Unless otherwise specified Legend: data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances NOROXYMORPHONE WARNING: Abuse can lead to habituation. Subject to Federal and State Regulations. Narcotic Substance, Schedule I (UN). HYDROCHLORIDE for oxymorphone hydrochloride: Analgesia, specific developmental abnormalities (central nervous system) recorded. Asthma-like symptoms may continue for months or even years after exposure to the material ends. This may be due to a non-allergic condition known as reactive airways dysfunction syndrome (RADS) which can occur after exposure to high levels of highly irritating compound. Main criteria for diagnosing RADS include the absence of previous airways disease in a non-atopic individual, with sudden onset of persistent asthma-like symptoms within minutes to hours of a documented exposure to the irritant. Other criteria for diagnosis of RADS include a reversible airflow pattern on lung function tests, moderate to

severe bronchial hyperreactivity on methacholine challenge testing, and the lack of minimal lymphocytic inflammation, without eosinophilia.

Long term exposure may cause poor weight gain and changes in the blood and eye.

DMSO (dimethyl sulfoxide) is absorbed following inhalation, through the skin and after oral intake. Topical application causes mild redness, burning, stinging and itching, which disappear after discontinuation. It is mildly irritating to the eye and may induce tear formation with a brief burning sensation.

Extensive monitoring of humans has shown that DMSO does not affect human kidney function. Although it causes an increase in urine production, no sign

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of kidney damage or cancer has been found. Repeated skin application can cause occasional skin irritation, garlicky breath and body odour. It is metabolised in the body and excreted in the urine, faeces, through the breath and skin. The material may be irritating to the eye, with prolonged contact causing inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis **METHANOL & DIMETHYL** The material may cause skin irritation after prolonged or repeated exposure and may produce on contact skin redness, swelling, the production of vesicles, SULFOXIDE scaling and thickening of the skin. **Acute Toxicity** Carcinogenicity 0 0 Skin Irritation/Corrosion Reproductivity Serious Eye Damage/Irritation 0 STOT - Single Exposure Respiratory or Skin 0 STOT - Repeated Exposure sensitisation 0 Mutagenicity 0 **Aspiration Hazard** 

Legend:

★ - Data available but does not fill the criteria for classification

- Data available to make classification

O - Data Not Available to make classification

### **SECTION 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### Toxicity

Noroxymorphone	ENDPOINT	TEST DURATION (HR)			SPECIES			SOURCE		
hydrochloride	Not Available		Not Available		Not Available	Not Avai	ot Available Not Avail		ailable	
	ENDPOINT	ТЕ	EST DURATION (HR)	SPECIE	-s		VALUE		SOURCE	
	LC50	96	. ,	Fish			>100mg/L		4	
	EC50	48	3	Crustac	ea		>10000mg/L		4	
methanol	EC50	96	3	Algae o	r other aquatic plants		<10000mg/L		4	
	BCF	24		Algae o	Algae or other aquatic plants		0.05mg/L		4	
	EC0	168		Algae or other aquatic plants		=530mg/L		1		
	NOEC	72		Crustacea			0.1mg/L		4	
noroxymorphone	ENDPOINT	TEST DURATION (HR)		SPECIES		VALUE	VALUE		SOURCE	
hydrochloride	Not Available	Not Available			Not Available	Not Avai	lable	Not Av	ailable	
	ENDPOINT	TES	ST DURATION (HR)	SPECIES		VAL	.UE		SOURCE	
dimethyl sulfoxide	LC50	96		Fish		=308	=30800.0mg/L		1	
	EC50	96		Algae or other aquatic plants		=123	=12350-25500mg/L		1	
	NOEC	168	<b>;</b>	Crustacea		0.17	0.1750000mg/L		4	

Legend:

Extracted from 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Information - Aquatic Toxicity 3. EPIWIN Suite V3.12 (QSAR) - Aquatic Toxicity Data (Estimated) 4. US EPA, Ecotox database - Aquatic Toxicity Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessment Data 6. NITE (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 7. METI (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 8. Vendor Data

 $For Methanol: Log Kow: -0.82 \ to -0.66; Koc: 1; Henry \\ \bullet s \ Law Constant: 4.55x10-6 \ atm-cu \ m/mole; Vapor \ Pressure: 127 \ mm \ Hg; BCF: < 10.$ 

Atmospheric Fate: Methanol is expected to exist solely as a vapor in the ambient atmosphere. Vapor-phase methanol is broken down in the atmosphere by reactions with hydroxyl radicals; the half-life for this reaction in air is estimated to be 17 days.

Terrestrial Fate: Methanol is expected to have very high mobility in soil.

DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways

# Persistence and degradability

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air
methanol	LOW	LOW
dimethyl sulfoxide	HIGH	HIGH

### **Bioaccumulative potential**

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation
methanol	LOW (BCF = 10)
dimethyl sulfoxide	LOW (BCF = 0.4)

# Mobility in soil

Ingredient	Mobility
methanol	HIGH (KOC = 1)
dimethyl sulfoxide	LOW (KOC = 4.411)

# **SECTION 13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

### Waste treatment methods

- ► Containers may still present a chemical hazard/ danger when empty.
- ▶ Return to supplier for reuse/ recycling if possible.

#### Otherwise:

- Fig ontainer can not be cleaned sufficiently well to ensure that residuals do not remain or if the container cannot be used to store the same product, then puncture containers, to prevent re-use, and bury at an authorised landfill.
- ▶ Where possible retain label warnings and SDS and observe all notices pertaining to the product.

Valuable substance, hold all residues for recovery. Disposal of the material must be carried out in accordance with the requirements of the relevant Federal/State Act(s) or Code(s) regulating the disposal of Drugs of Addiction.

- Consult manufacturer/supplier for recycling options. ► Decontaminate empty containers with water; incinerate plastic bags.

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

#### Product / Packaging disposal

- ▶ Reduction
- Reuse
- Recycling
- Disposal (if all else fails)

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use

- ▶ DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning or process equipment to enter drains
- It may be necessary to collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.
- In all cases disposal to sewer may be subject to local laws and regulations and these should be considered first.
- ▶ Where in doubt contact the responsible authority.

In the absence of dissolved oxygen and in the presence of bacteria, a small amount of DMSO can be reduced to DMS (dimethyl sulfide), which produces a nauseating odour at very small concentrations.

These specific conditions occur mainly with DMSO effluents in poorly aerated, non sterile storage tanks or in biological waste treatment plant.

- ▶ With spot quantity of DMSO effluents in drums or storage tank, odour can be prevented or eliminated with 0,3% concentration of castor oil based formulation.
- ▶ In biological water treatment plant, DMS formation can be inhibited with less than 5 ppm of nitrates such as KNO3.

# **SECTION 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# **Labels Required**





**Marine Pollutant HAZCHEM**  NO •2WE

# Land transport (ADG)

UN number	1230
UN proper shipping name	METHANOL
Transport hazard class(es)	Class 3 Subrisk 6.1
Packing group	П
Environmental hazard	Not Applicable
Special precautions for user	Special provisions 279 Limited quantity 1 L

# Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR)

UN number	1230				
ON Humber	1230				
UN proper shipping name	Methanol				
Transport hazard class(es)	ICAO/IATA Class 3 ICAO / IATA Subrisk 6.1 ERG Code 3L				
Packing group					
Environmental hazard	Not Applicable				
Special precautions for user	Special provisions  Cargo Only Packing Instructions		A113 364		

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60 L Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions 352 Passenger and Cargo Maximum Qty / Pack 1 L Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions Y341 Passenger and Cargo Limited Maximum Qty / Pack 1 L

# Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee)

UN number	1230			
UN proper shipping name	METHANOL			
Transport hazard class(es)	IMDG Class 3 IMDG Subrisk 6.1			
Packing group				
Environmental hazard	Not Applicable			
Special precautions for user	EMS Number F-E , S-D Special provisions 279 Limited Quantities 1 L			

### Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC code

Not Applicable

# **SECTION 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# Safety, health and environmental regulations / legislation specific for the substance or mixture

# METHANOL(67-56-1) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

Australia Exposure Standards

Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)

Australia Hazardous Substances Information System - Consolidated Lists

### NOROXYMORPHONE HYDROCHLORIDE(52446-24-9) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

Not Applicable

### DIMETHYL SULFOXIDE(67-68-5) IS FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING REGULATORY LISTS

Australia Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)

National Inventory	Status
Australia - AICS	N (noroxymorphone hydrochloride)
Canada - DSL	N (noroxymorphone hydrochloride)
Canada - NDSL	N (dimethyl sulfoxide; noroxymorphone hydrochloride; methanol)
China - IECSC	N (noroxymorphone hydrochloride)
Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP	Y
Japan - ENCS	N (noroxymorphone hydrochloride)
Korea - KECI	N (noroxymorphone hydrochloride)
New Zealand - NZIoC	N (noroxymorphone hydrochloride)
Philippines - PICCS	N (noroxymorphone hydrochloride)
USA - TSCA	N (noroxymorphone hydrochloride)
Legend:	Y = All ingredients are on the inventory N = Not determined or one or more ingredients are not on the inventory and are not exempt from listing(see specific ingredients in brackets)

### **SECTION 16 OTHER INFORMATION**

### Other information

Classification of the preparation and its individual components has drawn on official and authoritative sources as well as independent review by the Chemwatch Classification committee using available literature references.

The SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.

# **Definitions and abbreviations**

PC-TWA: Permissible Concentration-Time Weighted Average

PC-STEL: Permissible Concentration-Short Term Exposure Limit

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit.

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations

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OSF: Odour Safety Factor

NOAEL: No Observed Adverse Effect Level
LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level
TLV: Threshold Limit Value

LOD: Limit Of Detection OTV: Odour Threshold Value BCF: BioConcentration Factors BEI: Biological Exposure Index

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