

SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name: Ethyl Alcohol 140 Proof

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

Relevant identified uses: Industrial or Commercial Use only.

Uses advised against: All other uses.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

USA Lab Inc.
12400 Belden Ct., Livonia,
MI 48150,
USA

Hazard emergency contact: Chemtrec 800-424-9300

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to OSHA Hazardous Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

Flammable liquid, category 2

Eye irritation, category 2

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to OSHA Hazardous Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200:



Signal word: Danger

Hazard statements:

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements:

P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

P220 Keep/Store away from clothing/combustible materials.

P221 Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles.

P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.



P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

2.3 Other hazards

None known.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

This product is a mixture meeting the criteria for classification in accordance with OSHA Hazardous Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

Ingredients:

Name	CAS No.	GHS classification	% (w/v)
Ethanol	64-17-5	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Eye Irrit. 2, H319	50 – 80
Water	7732-18-5	Not classified.	20 – 50

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of first aid measures

Following inhalation: Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Following skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Following eye contact: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Following ingestion: Rinse mouth. Call a doctor if you feel unwell.

Protection of first aider: Not applicable.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects

Symptoms: The known symptoms and effects are described in section 2.2 of this SDS.

Risks: Untreated symptoms may result in additional health risks.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical and special treatment

The physician may contact the national poison center for advice.

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES



5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: Water fog. Alcohol resistant foam. Dry chemical powder.
Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

Unsuitable extinguishing media: Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

5.2 Specific hazards arising from mixture

Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel considerable distance to a source of ignition and flash back. During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed. Combustion products may include: carbon oxides.

5.3 Advice for fire fighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters:

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand and full protective gear.

5.4 Other information

No other information available.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Eliminate all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ventilate closed spaces before entering them. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

6.2 Environmental precautions:

Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Eliminate all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Keep combustibles (wood, paper, oil, etc.) away from spilled material. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Use only non-sparking tools. The product is completely soluble in water.

Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Use a non-combustible material like vermiculite, sand or earth to soak up the product and place into a container for later disposal. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Small Spills: Absorb with earth, sand or other non-combustible material and transfer to containers for later disposal. Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Do not handle, store or open near an open flame, sources of heat or sources of ignition. Protect material from direct sunlight. When using do not smoke. Explosion-proof general and local exhaust ventilation. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Use non-sparking tools and explosion-proof equipment. Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid prolonged exposure. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions: Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Prevent electrostatic charge build-up by using common bonding and grounding techniques. Store in a cool, dry place out of direct sunlight. Store in tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

Incompatible materials: See section 10.

7.3 Specific end uses

See section 1.2.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)

Components	Type	Value
Ethyl alcohol (CAS 64-17-5)	PEL	1900 mg/m ³ 1000 ppm

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit

Values Components	Type	Value
Ethyl alcohol (CAS 64-17-5)	STEL	1000 ppm

US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards

Values Components	Type	Value
Ethyl alcohol (CAS 64-17-5)	TWA	1900 mg/m ³ 1000 ppm

8.2 Exposure controls

Engineering controls:

Explosion-proof general and local exhaust ventilation. Good general ventilation should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. Provide eyewash station and safety shower.



Personal Protective equipment:

<u>Hand:</u>	Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.
<u>Body protection:</u>	Appropriate protective clothing should be worn to prevent skin contact.
<u>Eye:</u>	Use safety goggle with side protection.
<u>Respiratory:</u>	If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not been established), an approved respirator must be worn.
<u>Other measures:</u>	No statement available.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	Liquid
Color:	Colorless
Odor:	Sweet
Odor threshold:	No data available
pH:	No data available
Melting point/range:	-74.2 - -50.8 °F (-59 - -46 °C)
Boiling point/range:	172.4 - 179.6 °F (78 - 82 °C)
Flash point:	77.0 - 86.0 °F (25.0 - 30.0 °C)
Evaporation rate:	Expected to be rapid.
Flammability:	Not applicable.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:	3.3 % v/v (for 100% ethanol)
Vapor pressure:	No data available
Vapor density:	1.6
Relative Density:	0.855 - 0.973 (77 °F (25 °C))
Solubility(ies):	Completely soluble
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature:	No data available
Decomposition temperature:	No data available
Viscosity:	No data available
Explosive properties:	No data available
Oxidizing properties:	No data available

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity

The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2 Chemical stability

Material is stable under normal conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Avoid temperatures exceeding the flash point. Contact with incompatible materials.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION
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General information:

This product does not contain known human carcinogens.

11.1 Information on toxicological effects**Acute Toxicity:**

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Skin corrosion/irritation:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Serious eye damage/irritation:

Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Germ cell mutagenicity:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Carcinogenicity:

This product does not contain known human carcinogens.

Reproductive toxicity:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

STOT – single exposure:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

STOT – repeated exposure:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Aspiration hazard:



No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Likely route(s) of exposure:

Skin exposure and eye exposure are the most likely to occur. Accidental ingestion is also possible.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

General information:

No statements available for any of the ingredients

12.1 Toxicity

The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Physical- and photochemical elimination:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Biodegradation:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

12.4 Mobility in soil

Known/Predicted environmental distribution:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Surface tension:

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

Adsorption/Desorption:

The product is completely soluble in water.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This product does not contain components which are considered to be persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.6 Other adverse effects

No statements available for any of the ingredients.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product:



Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261.3. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

Waste material:

Dispose according to Federal, State, Provincial and Local regulations.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 UN number

ADR/RID/IDMG/IATA: UN 1170

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID/IDMG/IATA: ETHANOL

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID/IDMG/IATA: 3

14.4 Packing group

ADR/RID/IDMG/IATA: III

14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID/IDMG/IATA: Non-regulated

14.6 Special precautions for user

No statements available.

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable, as product is not shipped in bulk.

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA: Complies

DSL: All components are listed either on the DSL or NDSL.

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List.

US Federal Regulations

SARA 313: Toluene is subject to reporting requirements of Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986.

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard: No

Chronic Health Hazard: No

Fire hazard: Yes



Sudden release of pressure hazard: No
Reactive Hazard: No

CWA (Clean Water Act)
Not regulated.

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

U.S. State Regulations

California Prop 65, Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

Canada

WHMIS Hazard Class
Not determined.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Further information

The information presented in this Safety Data Sheet (SDS) is accurate to the best of our knowledge at the date of publication. The information given within the SDS is meant solely as a guide for safe handling, use, transportation, processing, storage, release and disposal. In no means can the information within the SDS be considered as a warranty or specification for quality.