AC MAYHEM 225 Insecticide

Axichem Pty Ltd

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

Product Identifier

Product name	AC MAYHEM 225 Insecticide
Chemical Name	Not Applicable
Synonyms	Not Available
Proper shipping name	CARBAMATE PESTICIDE, LIQUID, FLAMMABLE, TOXIC, flash point less than 23°C
Chemical formula	Not Applicable
Other means of identification	Not Available

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

Relevant identified uses	For the control of insect pests in various crops. Dangerous **POISON**. Available ONLY for industrial and manufacturing purposes. To be used by or in accordance with directions of accredited pest control officers. Operators to be trained in procedures for safe use of material.

Details of the manufacturer or supplier of the safety data sheet

Registered company name	**Axichem Pty Ltd**
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Fax	Not Available
Website	www.axichem.com.au
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Emergency telephone number

Association / Organisation	**CHEMWATCH EMERGENCY RESPONSE (24/7)**
Emergency telephone numbers	+61 1800 951 288
Other emergency telephone numbers	+61 3 9573 3188

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SECTION 2 Hazards identification

Classification of the substance or mixture

Poisons Schedule	S7
Classification [1]	Flammable Liquids Category 2, Acute Toxicity (Oral) Category 1, Acute Toxicity (Dermal) Category 3, Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2B, Acute Toxicity (Inhalation) Category 3, Reproductive Toxicity Category 1B, Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure Category 1, Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure Category 2, Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment Long-Term Hazard Category 2
Legend:	*1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI*

Label elements

Hazard pictogram(s)	
Signal word	**Danger**

Hazard statement(s)

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H300	Fatal if swallowed.
H311	Toxic in contact with skin.
H320	Causes eye irritation.
H331	Toxic if inhaled.
H360D	May damage the unborn child.
H370	Causes damage to organs.
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P260	Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray.
P264	Wash all exposed external body areas thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280	Wear protective gloves and protective clothing.
P240	Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.
P241	Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/intrinsically safe equipment.
P242	Use non-sparking tools.
P243	Take action to prevent static discharges.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.

Precautionary statement(s) Response

P301+P310	IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician/first aider.
P308+P311	IF exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician/first aider.
P330	Rinse mouth.
P370+P378	In case of fire: Use alcohol resistant foam or normal protein foam to extinguish.
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
P361+P364	Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P391	Collect spillage.
P303+P361+P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].

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 to authorised hazardous or special waste collection point in accordance with any local regulation.

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SECTION 3 Composition / information on ingredients

Substances

See section below for composition of Mixtures

Mixtures

CAS No	%[weight]	Name
67-56-1	>60	methanol
16752-77-5	10-30	methomyl

Legend:	*1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from HCIS; 3. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI; 4. Classification drawn from C&L; * EU IOELVs available*

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 lower lids. ▸ 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 product comes in contact with skin: ▸ Contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor. ▸ **DO NOT** allow clothing wet with product to remain in contact with skin, strip all contaminated clothing including boots. ▸ Quickly wash affected areas vigorously with soap and water. ▸ **DO NOT** give anything by mouth to a patient showing signs of narcosis, i.e. losing consciousness. ▸ Give atropine if instructed. ▸ **DO NOT** delay, get to a doctor or hospital quickly.
Inhalation	▸ If spray mist, vapour are inhaled, remove from contaminated area. ▸ Contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor at once. ▸ Lay patient down in a clean area and strip any clothing wet with spray. ▸ Prostheses such as false teeth, which may block airway, should be removed, where possible, prior to initiating first aid procedures. ▸ 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. ▸ **DO NOT** give anything by mouth to a patient showing signs of narcosis, i.e. losing consciousness. ▸ Give atropine if instructed. ▸ Get to doctor or hospital quickly.
Ingestion	If swallowed: ▸ Contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor at once. ▸ If swallowed, activated charcoal may be advised. ▸ Give atropine if instructed. ▸ **REFER FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION WITHOUT DELAY.** ▸ 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. ▸ 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. ▸ If medical attention is not available on the worksite or surroundings send the patient to a hospital together with a copy of the SDS.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

Following acute or short term repeated exposures to carbamates:

- Carbamylation of acetylcholinesterase produces symptoms of muscarinic and nicotinic poisoning. Clinical effects disappear within 24 hours following spontaneous, in vivo, hydrolysis of the complex. Symptoms develop within 15 minutes to 2 hours.
- Access the adequacy of the airway and ventilation and use oxygen, suction, intubation, artificial ventilation, intravenous lines and cardiac monitors as needed.
- Usual methods of decontamination (Ipecac / lavage / charcoal / cathartics) may be used when the patient presents within 2-4 hours after exposure. When Ipecac Syrup is used the patient must be observed closely to prevent aspiration.
- Atropine is the antidote of choice. Pralidoxime [and other oximes] usually is unnecessary and, in any case, may reduce the effectiveness of atropine. [Mild cases should be given 1 to 2 mg intramuscularly every 10 minutes until full atropinization has been achieved and repeated thereafter whenever symptoms reappear. Severe cases should given 2 to 4 mg intramuscularly every 10 minutes until fully atropinized, then every 30 to 60 minutes to maintain the effect for at least 12 hours - Incitec] [Ellenhorn and Barceloux: Medical Toxicology]

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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]

Methanol poisoning can be treated with fomepizole, or if unavailable, ethanol. Both drugs act to reduce the action of alcohol dehydrogenase on methanol by means of competitive inhibition. Ethanol, the active ingredient in alcoholic beverages, acts as a competitive inhibitor by more effectively binding and saturating the alcohol dehydrogenase enzyme in the liver, thus blocking the binding of methanol. Methanol is excreted by the kidneys without being converted into the very toxic metabolites formaldehyde and formic acid. Alcohol dehydrogenase instead enzymatically converts ethanol to acetaldehyde, a much less toxic organic molecule. Additional treatment may include sodium bicarbonate for metabolic acidosis, and hemodialysis or hemodiafiltration to remove methanol and formate from the blood. Folinic acid or folic acid is also administered to enhance the metabolism of formate.

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

- Alcohol stable foam.
- Dry chemical powder.
- BCF (where regulations permit).
- Carbon dioxide.
- Water spray or fog - Large fires only.

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	‣ 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. ‣ Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course. ‣ Consider evacuation (or protect in place). ‣ Fight fire from a safe distance, with adequate cover. ‣ If safe, switch off electrical equipment until vapour fire hazard removed. ‣ Use water delivered as a fine spray to control fire and cool adjacent area. ‣ Avoid spraying water onto liquid pools. ‣ **DO NOT** approach containers suspected to be hot. ‣ Cool fire exposed containers with water spray from a protected location. ‣ If safe to do so, remove containers from path of fire. ‣ If containment of runoff is not possible, consider allowing fire to burn-out. Use of water may present a significant pollution hazard.
Fire/Explosion Hazard	‣ 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. ‣ On combustion, may emit toxic fumes of carbon monoxide (CO). Combustion products include: carbon dioxide (CO_2) formaldehyde nitrogen oxides (NO_x) sulfur oxides (SO_x) hydrogen sulfide (H_2S) other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.

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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. ▸ Contain and absorb small quantities with vermiculite or other absorbent material. ▸ Wipe up. ▸ Collect residues in a flammable waste container.
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. ▸ Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course. ▸ Consider evacuation (or protect in place). ▸ No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources. ▸ Increase ventilation. ▸ Stop leak if safe to do so. ▸ Water spray or fog may be used to disperse vapour. ▸ Contain or absorb spill with sand, earth or vermiculite. ▸ Use only spark-free shovels and explosion proof equipment. ▸ Collect recoverable product into labelled containers for recycling. ▸ Collect solid residues and seal in labelled drums for disposal. ▸ Wash area and prevent runoff into drains. ▸ After clean up operations, decontaminate and launder all protective clothing and equipment before storing and re-using. ▸ If contamination of drains or waterways occurs, advise emergency services.

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

SECTION 7 Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Safe handling	▸ Containers, even those that have been emptied, may contain explosive vapours. ▸ Do NOT cut, drill, grind, weld or perform similar operations on or near containers. ▸ **DO NOT** allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin ▸ 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** enter confined spaces until atmosphere has been checked. ▸ Avoid smoking, naked lights, heat or ignition sources. ▸ When handling, **DO NOT** eat, drink or smoke. ▸ Vapour may ignite on pumping or pouring due to static electricity. ▸ **DO NOT** use plastic buckets. ▸ Earth and secure metal containers when dispensing or pouring product. ▸ Use spark-free tools when handling. ▸ Avoid contact with incompatible materials. ▸ Keep containers securely sealed. ▸ Avoid physical damage to containers. ▸ Always wash hands with soap and water after handling. ▸ Work clothes should be laundered separately. ▸ Use good occupational work practice. ▸ Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS. ▸ Atmosphere should be regularly checked against established exposure standards to ensure safe working conditions.
Other information	▸ Store in original containers in approved flame-proof area. ▸ No smoking, naked lights, heat or ignition sources. ▸ **DO NOT** store in pits, depression, basement or areas where vapours may be trapped. ▸ Keep containers securely sealed.

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	‣ Store away from incompatible materials in a cool, dry well ventilated area. ‣ Protect containers against physical damage and check regularly for leaks. ‣ Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this MSDS. ‣ Tank storage: Tanks must be specifically designed for use with this product. Bulk storage tanks should be diked (bunded). Locate tanks away from heat and other sources of ignition. Cleaning, inspection and maintenance of storage tanks is a specialist operation, which requires the implementation of strict procedures and precautions. ‣ Keep in a cool place. Electrostatic charges will be generated during pumping. Electrostatic discharge may cause fire. Ensure electrical continuity by bonding and grounding (earthing) all equipment to reduce the risk. The vapours in the head space of the storage vessel may lie in the flammable/explosive range and hence may be flammable. ‣ For containers, or container linings use mild steel, stainless steel. Examples of suitable materials are: high density polyethylene (HDPE), polypropylene (PP), and Viton (FMK), which have been specifically tested for compatibility with this product. ‣ For container linings, use amine-adduct cured epoxy paint. ‣ For seals and gaskets use: graphite, PTFE, Viton A, Viton B. ‣ Unsuitable material: Some synthetic materials may be unsuitable for containers or container linings depending on the material specification and intended use. Examples of materials to avoid are: natural rubber (NR), nitrile rubber (NBR), ethylene propylene rubber (EPDM), polymethyl methacrylate (PMMA), polystyrene, polyvinyl chloride (PVC), polyisobutylene. However, some may be suitable for glove materials. ‣ Do not cut, drill, grind, weld or perform similar operations on or near containers. Containers, even those that have been emptied, can contain explosive vapours.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Suitable container	‣ Packing as supplied by manufacturer. ‣ Plastic containers may only be used if approved for flammable liquid. ‣ Check that containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.
Storage incompatibility	Avoid storage with oxidisers

SECTION 8 Exposure controls / personal protection

Control parameters

Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL)

INGREDIENT DATA

Source	Ingredient	Material name	TWA	STEL	Peak	Notes
Australia Exposure Standards	methanol	Methyl alcohol	200 ppm / 262 mg/m3	328 mg/m3 / 250 ppm	Not Available	Not Available
Australia Exposure Standards	methomyl	Methomyl	2.5 mg/m3	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

Emergency Limits

Ingredient	TEEL-1	TEEL-2	TEEL-3
methanol	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
methomyl	0.91 mg/m3	10 mg/m3	23 mg/m3

Ingredient	Original IDLH	Revised IDLH
methanol	6,000 ppm	Not Available
methomyl	Not Available	Not Available

MATERIAL DATA

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. Ventilation can remove or dilute an air contaminant if designed properly. The design of a ventilation system must match the particular process and chemical or contaminant in use. Employers may need to use multiple types of controls to prevent employee overexposure. For flammable liquids and flammable gases, local exhaust ventilation or a process enclosure ventilation system may be required. Ventilation equipment should be explosion-resistant. Air contaminants generated in the workplace possess varying "escape" velocities which, in turn, determine the "capture velocities" of fresh circulating air required to effectively remove the contaminant.

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	Type of Contaminant: / Air Speed: solvent, vapours, degreasing etc., evaporating from tank (in still air). / 0.25-0.5 m/s (50-100 f/min.) aerosols, fumes from pouring operations, intermittent container filling, low speed conveyer transfers, welding, spray drift, plating acid fumes, pickling (released at low velocity into zone of active generation) / 0.5-1 m/s (100-200 f/min.) direct spray, spray painting in shallow booths, drum filling, conveyer loading, crusher dusts, gas discharge (active generation into zone of rapid air motion) / 1-2.5 m/s (200-500 f/min.) Within each range the appropriate value depends on: Lower end of the range / Upper end of the range 1: Room air currents minimal or favourable to capture / 1: Disturbing room air currents 2: Contaminants of low toxicity or of nuisance value only. / 2: Contaminants of high toxicity 3: Intermittent, low production. / 3: High production, heavy use 4: Large hood or large air mass in motion / 4: Small hood-local control only Simple theory shows that air velocity falls rapidly with distance away from the opening of a simple extraction pipe. Velocity generally decreases with the square of distance from the extraction point (in simple cases). Therefore the air speed at the extraction point should be adjusted, accordingly, after reference to distance from the contaminating source. The air velocity at the extraction fan, for example, should be a minimum of 1-2 m/s (200-400 f/min.) for extraction of solvents generated in a tank 2 meters distant from the extraction point. Other mechanical considerations, producing performance deficits within the extraction apparatus, make it essential that theoretical air velocities are multiplied by factors of 10 or more when extraction systems are installed or used. · Adequate ventilation is typically taken to be that which limits the average concentration to no more than 25% of the LEL within the building, room or enclosure containing the dangerous substance. · Ventilation for plant and machinery is normally considered adequate if it limits the average concentration of any dangerous substance that might potentially be present to no more than 25% of the LEL. However, an increase up to a maximum 50% LEL can be acceptable where additional safeguards are provided to prevent the formation of a hazardous explosive atmosphere. For example, gas detectors linked to emergency shutdown of the process might be used together with maintaining or increasing the exhaust ventilation on solvent evaporating ovens and gas turbine enclosures. · Temporary exhaust ventilation systems may be provided for non-routine higher-risk activities, such as cleaning, repair or maintenance in tanks or other confined spaces or in an emergency after a release. The work procedures for such activities should be carefully considered.. The atmosphere should be continuously monitored to ensure that ventilation is adequate and the area remains safe. Where workers will enter the space, the ventilation should ensure that the concentration of the dangerous substance does not exceed 10% of the LEL (irrespective of the provision of suitable breathing apparatus)
Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment	
Eye and face protection	‣ Safety glasses with side shields. ‣ Chemical goggles. [AS/NZS 1337.1, EN166 or national equivalent] ‣ 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. This should include a review of lens absorption and adsorption for the class of chemicals in use and an account of injury experience. Medical and first-aid personnel should be trained in their removal and suitable equipment should be readily available. In the event of chemical exposure, begin eye irrigation immediately and remove contact lens as soon as practicable. Lens should be removed at the first signs of eye redness or irritation - lens should be removed in a clean environment only after workers have washed hands thoroughly. [CDC NIOSH Current Intelligence Bulletin 59].
Skin protection	See Hand protection below
Hands/feet protection	‣ Wear chemical protective gloves, e.g. PVC. ‣ Wear safety footwear or safety gumboots, e.g. Rubber 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. Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended. Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Important factors in the selection of gloves include: · frequency and duration of contact, · chemical resistance of glove material, · glove thickness and · dexterity Select gloves tested to a relevant standard (e.g. Europe EN 374, US F739, AS/NZS 2161.1 or national equivalent). · When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 5 or higher (breakthrough time

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	greater than 240 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended. · When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 3 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 60 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended. · Some glove polymer types are less affected by movement and this should be taken into account when considering gloves for long-term use. · Contaminated gloves should be replaced. As defined in ASTM F-739-96 in any application, gloves are rated as: · Excellent when breakthrough time > 480 min · Good when breakthrough time > 20 min · Fair when breakthrough time < 20 min · Poor when glove material degrades For general applications, gloves with a thickness typically greater than 0.35 mm, are recommended. It should be emphasised that glove thickness is not necessarily a good predictor of glove resistance to a specific chemical, as the permeation efficiency of the glove will be dependent on the exact composition of the glove material. Therefore, glove selection should also be based on consideration of the task requirements and knowledge of breakthrough times. Glove thickness may also vary depending on the glove manufacturer, the glove type and the glove model. Therefore, the manufacturers technical data should always be taken into account to ensure selection of the most appropriate glove for the task. Note: Depending on the activity being conducted, gloves of varying thickness may be required for specific tasks. For example: · Thinner gloves (down to 0.1 mm or less) may be required where a high degree of manual dexterity is needed. However, these gloves are only likely to give short duration protection and would normally be just for single use applications, then disposed of. · Thicker gloves (up to 3 mm or more) may be required where there is a mechanical (as well as a chemical) risk i.e. where there is abrasion or puncture potential Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended.
Body protection	See Other protection below
Other protection	‣ Overalls. ‣ PVC Apron. ‣ PVC protective suit may be required if exposure severe. ‣ Eyewash unit. ‣ Ensure there is ready access to a safety shower. ‣ Some plastic personal protective equipment (PPE) (e.g. gloves, aprons, overshoes) are not recommended as they may produce static electricity. ‣ For large scale or continuous use wear tight-weave non-static clothing (no metallic fasteners, cuffs or pockets). ‣ Non sparking safety or conductive footwear should be considered. Conductive footwear describes a boot or shoe with a sole made from a conductive compound chemically bound to the bottom components, for permanent control to electrically ground the foot an shall dissipate static electricity from the body to reduce the possibility of ignition of volatile compounds. Electrical resistance must range between 0 to 500,000 ohms. Conductive shoes should be stored in lockers close to the room in which they are worn. Personnel who have been issued conductive footwear should not wear them from their place of work to their homes and return. ‣ Ensure that there is a supply of atropine tablets on hand ‣ Ensure all employees have been informed of symptoms of cholinesterase poisoning and that the use of atropine in first aid is understood .

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:
AC MAYHEM 225 Insecticide

Material	CPI
SARANEX-23	B
BUTYL	C
BUTYL/NEOPRENE	C
NAT+NEOPR+NITRILE	C
NATURAL RUBBER	C
NATURAL+NEOPRENE	C
NEOPRENE	C
NEOPRENE/NATURAL	C
NITRILE	C
PE	C
PE/EVAL/PE	C
PVA	C
PVC	C

Respiratory protection

Type AX Filter of sufficient capacity. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 & 149:2001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

Where the concentration of gas/particulates in the breathing zone, approaches or exceeds the "Exposure Standard" (or ES), respiratory protection is required. Degree of protection varies with both face-piece and Class of filter; the nature of protection varies with Type of filter.

Required Minimum Protection Factor	Half-Face Respirator	Full-Face Respirator	Powered Air Respirator
up to 10 x ES	AX-AUS	-	AX-PAPR-AUS / Class 1
up to 50 x ES	-	AX-AUS / Class 1	-
up to 100 x ES	-	AX-2	AX-PAPR-2 ^

^ - Full-face
A(All classes) = Organic vapours, B AUS or B1 = Acid gasses, 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 degC)

- 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

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PVDC/PE/PVDC	C
SARANEX-23 2-PLY	C
TEFLON	C
VITON/NEOPRENE	C

* CPI - Chemwatch Performance Index
A: Best Selection
B: Satisfactory; may degrade after 4 hours continuous immersion
C: Poor to Dangerous Choice for other than short term immersion
NOTE: As a series of factors will influence the actual performance of the glove, a final selection must be based on detailed observation. -
* Where the glove is to be used on a short term, casual or infrequent basis, factors such as "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.

Ansell Glove Selection

Glove *— In order of recommendation*
AlphaTec 02-100
AlphaTec® Solvex® 37-185
AlphaTec® 58-008
AlphaTec® 58-530B
AlphaTec® 58-530W
AlphaTec® 79-700
AlphaTec® Solvex® 37-675
MICROFLEX® 63-864
MICROFLEX® Diamond Grip® MF-300
TouchNTuff® 83-500

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.
- Cartridge performance is affected by humidity. Cartridges should be changed after 2 hr of continuous use unless it is determined that the humidity is less than 75%, in which case, cartridges can be used for 4 hr. Used cartridges should be discarded daily, regardless of the length of time used

SECTION 9 Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Blue liquid with sulfur-like odour ; mixes with water.

Physical state	Liquid	**Relative density (Water = 1)**	0.9
Odour	Not Available	**Partition coefficient n-octanol / water**	Not Available
Odour threshold	Not Available	**Auto-ignition temperature (°C)**	470
pH (as supplied)	Not Available	**Decomposition temperature (°C)**	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)	21	**Taste**	Not Available
Evaporation rate	Not Available	**Explosive properties**	Not Available
Flammability	HIGHLY FLAMMABLE.	**Oxidising properties**	Not Available
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	44	**Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)**	Not Available
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	5.5	**Volatile Component (%vol)**	52
Vapour pressure (kPa)	Not Available	**Gas group**	Not Available
Solubility in water	Miscible	**pH as a solution (1%)**	Not Available
Vapour density (Air = 1)	Not Available	**VOC g/L**	Not Available

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SECTION 10 Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	See section 7
Chemical stability	▸ Unstable in the presence of incompatible materials. ▸ Product is considered stable. ▸ Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.
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

Inhaled	Inhalation of vapours or aerosols (mists, fumes), generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may produce toxic effects. Strong evidence exists that exposure to the material may produce serious irreversible damage (other than carcinogenesis, mutagenesis and teratogenesis) following a single exposure by inhalation. Inhalation of vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness. This may be accompanied by narcosis, reduced alertness, loss of reflexes, lack of coordination and vertigo. Symptoms of acute exposure to cholinesterase-inhibiting compounds may include the following: numbness, tingling sensations, incoordination, headache, dizziness, tremor, nausea, abdominal cramps, sweating, blurred vision, difficulty breathing or respiratory depression, slow heartbeat. Very high doses may result in unconsciousness, incontinence, and convulsions or fatality. Some cholinesterase-inhibitors may cause delayed symptoms beginning 1 to 4 weeks after an acute exposure that may or may not have produced immediate symptoms. In such cases, numbness, tingling, weakness, and cramping may appear in the lower limbs and progress to incoordination and paralysis. Improvement may occur over months or years, but some residual impairment may remain The early warnings of poisonings associated with cholinesterase inhibition include nasal hyperaemia (localised engorgement with blood), watery discharge, chest discomfort, dyspnoea and wheezing due to increased bronchial secretions and bronchioconstriction. Other effects may include tearing, urination, chest pains, breathing difficulties, low blood pressure, irregular heartbeat, loss of reflexes, twitching, visual disturbances, dilated or pin-point pupils, convulsion, lung congestion, coma and heart-include ataxia, slurred speech, tremors of the tongue and eyelids, and eventual paralysis of the extremities and respiratory muscles. Fatalities in man are generally due to respiratory failure on the basis of central nervous system paralysis although cardiac arrest may also occur. Where cholinesterase inhibitors have been used as miotic eyedrops there has occasional evidence of toxic effects on the crystalline lens and obstruction of the nasolachrymal canals. Although signs and symptoms of carbamate ester poisoning are almost identical to those produced by organophosphorus pesticides, there are significant differences. For example, carbamate doses resulting in early toxic symptoms are widely separated from doses resulting in mortality. This is the result of differences between the binding properties of organo-phosphates and carbamates to acetylcholinesterase. Also in contrast to the organophosphates, recovery from carbamate poisoning is rapid, due to the significantly increased rate of reactivation of acetylcholinesterase. Minor but regular methanol exposures may effect the central nervous system, optic nerves and retinae. Symptoms may be delayed, with headache, fatigue, 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*] Breathing of methomyl vapour, dust or sprays may aggravate asthma and inflammatory or fibrotic pulmonary disease. Methomyl is a pulmonary irritant; during exposure animals exhibit tremors, irregular breathing, grooming action, salivation.
Ingestion	Severely toxic effects may result from the accidental ingestion of the material; animal experiments indicate that ingestion of less than 5 gram may be fatal or may produce serious damage to the health of the individual. Strong evidence exists that exposure to the material may produce serious irreversible damage (other than carcinogenesis, mutagenesis and teratogenesis) following a single exposure by swallowing. Ingestion may produce nausea, vomiting, anorexia, abdominal cramps, and diarrhoea. Generalised symptoms produced by cholinesterase inhibitors may ensue following appreciable absorption. Some organophosphates may cause delayed symptoms beginning 1 to 4 weeks after an acute exposure which may or may not have produced immediate symptoms. In such cases, numbness, tingling, weakness, and cramping may appear in the lower limbs and progress to incoordination and paralysis. Improvement may occur over months or years, and in some cases residual impairment will remain The inhibition of cholinesterase by methomyl is quickly reversed. A lethal dose for humans has been estimated at 12 to 15 mg/kg. In a methomyl poisoning involving five men who had mistakenly used methomyl instead of salt, the men were found to be critically ill 3 hours after the meal with symptoms including frothing at the mouth, twitching and trembling. One of the two survivors showed generalised twitching and spasms, fasciculation and respiratory impairment thought to be due to severe bronchiospasms. A separate case involving suicide by a mother who also forced her 6-year old son to drink methomyl concluded the lethal dose in the mother was 55 mg/kg and 13 mg/kg in her child. Autopsy revealed pulmonary congestion and oedema, and the gastric mucosa was black-brown, oedematous and congested.

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	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 death. Onset of symptoms may be delayed for several hours. Effects are due partly to acidosis and partly to cerebral oedema. Visual impairment produces blurring, double vision (diplopia), changes in colour perception, restriction of visual fields and blindness. 60-200 ml of methanol is a fatal dose for most adults with as little as 10 ml producing blindness. In massive overdose, liver, kidney, heart and muscle injury have been described. Methanol exhibits potential hazardous properties for human health (neurological effects, CNS depression, ocular effects, reproductive and developmental effects, and other organ toxicity). The effects of methanol on the CNS and retina in humans only occur at doses at which formate accumulates due to a rate-limiting conversion to carbon dioxide. In primates, formate accumulation was observed at methanol doses greater than 500 mg/kg bw. Methanol intoxication can cause severe visual dysfunction and death. Indeed, small amounts of ingested methanol are sufficient to produce acute destruction of parts of the central nervous system leading to permanent neurological dysfunction and irreversible blindness.
Skin Contact	Strong evidence exists that exposure to the material may produce serious irreversible damage (other than carcinogenesis, mutagenesis and teratogenesis) following a single exposure by skin contact. The material may produce moderate skin irritation; limited evidence or practical experience suggests, that the material either: ▸ produces moderate inflammation of the skin in a substantial number of individuals following direct contact and/or ▸ produces significant, but moderate, inflammation when applied to the healthy intact skin of animals (for up to four hours), such inflammation being present twenty-four hours or more after the end of the exposure period. Skin irritation may also be present after prolonged or repeated exposure; this may result in a form of contact dermatitis (nonallergic). The dermatitis is often characterised by skin redness (erythema) and swelling (oedema) which may progress to blistering (vesiculation), scaling and thickening of the epidermis. At the microscopic level there may be intercellular oedema of the spongy layer of the skin (spongiosis) and intracellular oedema of the epidermis. Localised sweating and fasciculation (small localised muscular contractions visible through the skin) may occur at sites of contact. Absorption may produce cholinesterase inhibition effects following delays of up to 2-3 hours (but generally not more than 12 hours). Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material Toxic effects may result from skin absorption Entry into the blood-stream through, for example, cuts, abrasions, puncture wounds 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.
Eye	Direct contact with the eyes may produce lachrymation (tears), twitching of the eyelids, miosis (contraction of the pupils) and ciliary muscle spasm mydriasis (dilation of the pupils). Absorption may produce generalised cholinesterase inhibition.
Chronic	Repeated or prolonged exposures to cholinesterase inhibitors produce symptoms similar to acute effects. In addition workers exposed repeatedly to these substances may exhibit impaired memory and loss of concentration, severe depression and acute psychosis, irritability, confusion, apathy, emotional lability, speech difficulties, headache, spatial disorientation, delayed reaction times, sleepwalking, drowsiness or insomnia. An influenza-like condition with nausea, weakness, anorexia and malaise has been described. There is a growing body of evidence from epidemiological studies and from experimental laboratory studies that short-term exposure to some cholinesterase-inhibiting insecticides may produce behavioural or neuro-chemical changes lasting for days or months, presumably outlasting the cholinesterase inhibition. Although the number of adverse effects following humans poisonings subsides, there are still effects in some workers months after cholinesterase activity returns to normal. These long-lasting effects include blurred vision, headache, weakness, and anorexia. The neurochemistry of animals exposed to chlorpyrifos or fenthion is reported to be altered permanently after a single exposure. These effects may be more severe in developing animals where both acetyl- and butyrylcholinesterase may play an integral part in the development of the nervous system. *Padilla S., The Neurotoxicity of Cholinesterase-Inhibiting Insecticides: Past and Present Evidence Demonstrating Persistent Effects. Inhalation Toxicology 7:903-907, 1995* 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. Some individuals show severe eye damage following prolonged exposure to 800 ppm of the vapour.

AC MAYHEM 225 Insecticide	**TOXICITY**	**IRRITATION**
	Not Available	Not Available
methanol	**TOXICITY**	**IRRITATION**
	Dermal (rabbit) LD50: 15800 mg/kg[2]	Eye (rabbit): 100 mg/24h-moderate
	Inhalation(Rat) LC50: 64000 ppm4h[2]	Eye (rabbit): 40 mg-moderate
	Oral (Rat) LD50: 5628 mg/kg[2]	Eye: no adverse effect observed (not irritating)[1]
		Skin (rabbit): 20 mg/24 h-moderate
		Skin: no adverse effect observed (not irritating)[1]
methomyl	**TOXICITY**	**IRRITATION**
	dermal (rat) LD50: >1600 mg/kg[2]	Eye (rabbit): slight* *[Manufacturer]

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	Inhalation(Rat) LC50: 0.258 mg/l4h[1]	Skin (rabbit): slight*
	Oral (Rat) LD50: 14.7 mg/kg[2]	
Legend:	*1. Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Acute toxicity 2. Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS. Unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances*	

METHOMYL	ADI (Acceptable Daily Intake) humans: 0.01 mg/kg/day** **ADI List, Commonwealth Department of Health and Family Services, 4/97. ADI: 0.01 mg/kg/day NOEL: 1.25 mg/kg/day
AC MAYHEM 225 Insecticide & METHANOL	The material may cause skin irritation after prolonged or repeated exposure and may produce a contact dermatitis (nonallergic). This form of dermatitis is often characterised by skin redness (erythema) and swelling the epidermis. Histologically there may be intercellular oedema of the spongy layer (spongiosis) and intracellular oedema of the epidermis.
AC MAYHEM 225 Insecticide & METHOMYL	for carbamates: Carbamates are effective insecticides by virtue of their ability to inhibit acetylcholinesterase (AChE) (EC 3.1.1.7) in the nervous system. They can also inhibit other esterases. The carbamylation of the enzyme is unstable, and the regeneration of AChE is relatively rapid compared with that from a phosphorylated enzyme. Thus, carbamate pesticides are less dangerous with regard to human exposure than organophosphorus pesticides. The ratio between the dose required to produce death and the dose required to produce minimum symptoms of poisoning is substantially larger for carbamate compounds than for organophosphorus compounds. A dose-effect relationship exists between the dose, the severity of symptoms, and the degree of cholinesterase (ChE) inhibition. Because most carbamates have a low volatility, inhalation studies are mainly carried out using a dust or mist. In these studies, the toxicity is highly dependent on the size of the particles or droplets and, therefore, difficult to evaluate. The acute dermal toxicity of carbamates is generally low to moderate. From controlled human studies, it is clear that poisoning symptoms can be seen a few minutes after exposure, and can last for a few hours. Thereafter, recovery starts and within hours, the symptoms disappear, and the ChE activity in erythrocytes and plasma returns to normal, because the carbamate is rather rapidly metabolised and the metabolites excreted. The appearance of these metabolites in the urine may be used for biological monitoring. Apart from the symptoms indicative of ChE poisoning, other signs and symptoms induced by certain carbamates have been described, such as skin and eye irritation, hyperpigmentation, and influence on the function of testes (slight increase of sperm abnormalities). These signs and symptoms were found in a few studies and should be confirmed before it can be stated that they were induced by carbamates. Epidemiological studies with persons primarily exposed to carbamates are not available. Carbamates produce slight to moderate skin and eye irritation, depending on the vehicle used, duration of contact, and on whether the substance is applied to the abraded or intact skin. From the available data, it cannot be excluded that some of the carbamates will have a slight to moderate sensitization potential. Short- and long-term toxicity studies have been carried out. Some carbamates are very toxic and others are less toxic in long- term studies. From these studies, it is evident that, apart from the anticholinesterase activity, the following changes can be found: an influence on the haemopoietic system, an influence on the functioning of, and, at higher dosages, degeneration of, the liver and kidneys, and degeneration of testes. These abnormalities in the different organ systems depend on the animal strain and on the chemical structure of the carbamate. A clear influence on the nervous system, functional as well as histological, was found, particularly in non-laboratory animals such as pigs. A considerable number of reproduction and teratogenicity studies have been carried out with different carbamates and various animal species. Different types of abnormalities were found, i.e., increase in mortality, disturbance of the endocrine system, and effects on the hypophysis and its gonadotrophic function. These effects were mainly seen at high dose levels. Generally, the fetal effects included an increase in mortality, decreased weight gain in the first weeks after birth, and induction of early embryonic death. All these effects can be summarized as embryotoxic effects. Certain carbamates also induce teratogenic effects, mainly at high dose levels applied by stomach tube. When the same dose level was administered with the diet, no effects were seen. Some carbamates induce mutagenic effects, others are negative. In general, the methyl carbamates are negative in mammalian tests, while compounds such as carbendazim, benomyl, and the 2 thiophanate derivatives showed a positive effect with very high dose levels in certain systems. The benzimidazole moiety may act as a base analogue for DNA and as a spindle poison. They are antimitotic agents and cause mitotic arrest, mitotic delay, and a low incidence of chromosome damage. Sometimes, the results are contradictory or cannot be reproduced, but positive results for point mutation and chromosome aberrations are well documented. These benzimidazole derivatives can be considered as weak mutagenic compounds. Carcinogenicity studies with benzimidazole derivatives showed either positive or equivocal results. Added to the fact that certain mutagenicity studies also give positive results, it cannot be excluded that these compounds may have carcinogenic or promotor properties. Carbamate pesticides may be converted to *N* -nitroso compounds. This was demonstrated in a great number of *in vivo* nitrosation studies in which high levels of the carbamates were administered to animals in combination with high levels of nitrite. These *N* - nitroso compounds have to be considered as mutagenic and carcinogenic. However, the amount of nitroso compounds that can be expected to result from dietary intake of carbamate pesticide residues is negligible in comparison with nitroso-precursors that occur naturally in food and drinking-water. The metabolic fate of carbamates is basically the same in plants, insects, and mammals. Carbamates are usually easily absorbed through the skin, mucous membranes, and respiratory and gastrointestinal tracts, but there are exceptions. Generally, the metabolites are less toxic than the parent compounds. However, in certain cases, the metabolites are just as toxic or even more toxic than the parent carbamate. In most mammals, the metabolites are mainly excreted rather rapidly in the urine. The dog seems to be different in this respect. Accumulation takes place in certain cases, but is of minor importance because of the rapid metabolism. The first step in the metabolism of carbamates is hydrolysis to carbamic acid, which decomposes to carbon dioxide (CO2) and the corresponding amine. The rate of hydrolysis by esterases is faster in mammals than in plants and insects. The organs in which residues have been reported are the liver, kidneys, brain, fat, and muscle. The half-life in the rat is of the order of 3 - 8 h. From the limited data available, it seems that the excretion of carbamates via urine is also rapid in man, and that the metabolic pathways in man are the same as those in the rat for methomyl **Acute toxicity:** Methomyl is highly toxic via the oral route, with reported oral LD50 values of 17 to 24 mg/kg in rats , 10 mg/kg in mice, and 15 mg/kg in guinea pigs . Symptoms of methomyl exposure are similar to those caused by other carbamates and cholinesterase inhibitors. These may include weakness, blurred vision, headache, nausea, abdominal cramps, chest discomfort,

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constriction of pupils, sweating, muscle tremors, and decreased pulse. If there is severe poisoning, symptoms of twitching, giddiness, confusion, muscle incoordination, slurred speech, low blood pressure, heart irregularities, and loss of reflexes may also be experienced. Death can result from discontinued breathing, paralysis of muscles of the respiratory system, intense constriction of the openings of the lung, or all three . It is moderately toxic via inhalation with a reported 4-hour inhalation LC50 in male rats of 0.3 mg/L . Inhalation of dust or aerosol may cause irritation, lung and eye problems, with symptoms of chest tightness, blurred vision, tearing, wheezing, and headaches appearing upon exposure. Other systemic symptoms of cholinesterase inhibition may appear within a few minutes to several hours of exposure . It is slightly toxic via the dermal route, with a reported dermal LD50 of 5880 mg/kg in rabbits, and is absorbed only slowly through the skin. However, if sufficient amounts are absorbed through the skin, symptoms similar to those induced by ingestion or inhalation will develop. Within fifteen minutes to four hours of exposure, the immediate area of contact may show localized sweating and uncoordinated muscular contractions. In rabbits, application of methomyl resulted in mild eye irritation. Pain, short-sightedness, blurring of distant vision, tearing, and other eye disturbances may occur within a few minutes of eye contact with methomyl

Chronic toxicity: Prolonged or repeated exposure to methomyl may cause symptoms similar to the pesticide's acute effects. Repeated exposure to small amounts of methomyl may cause an unsuspected inhibition of cholinesterase, resulting in flu-like symptoms, such as weakness, lack of appetite, and muscle aches. Cholinesterase-inhibition may persist for two to six weeks. This condition is reversible if exposure is discontinued. Since cholinesterase is increasingly inhibited with each exposure, severe cholinesterase-inhibition symptoms may be produced in a person who has had previous methomyl exposure, while a person without previous exposure may not experience any symptoms at all. In a 24-month study with rats fed doses of 2.5, 5 or 20 mg/kg/day, effects were only observed at the highest dose tested, 20 mg/kg/day. At this very high dose, red blood cell counts and hemoglobin levels were significantly reduced in female rats. In a 2-year feeding study with dogs, 5 mg/kg/day caused no observed adverse effects. It is not likely that chronic effects would be seen in humans unless exposures were unexpectedly high, as with chronic misuse.

Reproductive effects: Methomyl fed to rats at dietary doses of 2.5 or 5 mg/kg for three generations caused no adverse effect on reproduction, nor was there any evidence of congenital abnormalities No fetotoxicity was observed in offspring of pregnant rats given 33.9 mg/kg/day on day 6 to 21 of gestation . Based on these data it appears unlikely that methomyl will have reproductive effects.

Teratogenic effects: No teratogenic effects were found in the fetuses of female rabbits that were fed approximately 15 to 30 mg/kg/day during the 8th to 16th day of gestation . In rats, no embryonic or teratogenic effects were observed at the highest dietary dose administered, approximately 34 mg/kg/day. Thus, methomyl does not appar to be teratogenic.

Mutagenic effects: In a number of assays (including Ames test, a reverse mutation assay, a recessive lethal assay, three DNA damage studies, an unscheduled DNA synthesis assay, and in vivo and in vitro cytogenetic assays), methomyl was not mutagenic . There is no evidence that methomyl is a mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenic effects: There was no evidence of carcinogenicity in either rats or dogs that ingested high doses of methomyl in 2-year feeding studies . Methomyl was not carcinogenic in 22- and 24-month studies with rats fed doses of up to 20 mg/kg, nor in a two-year study with mice fed dietary doses of up to 93.4 mg/kg/day . The evidence suggests that methomyl is not carcinogenic.

Organ toxicity: Lungs, skin, eyes, gastrointestinal tract, kidneys, spleen, and blood-forming organs have been affected in various experiments, depending on route of entry, duration of exposure, and dosage.

Fate in humans and animals: Methomyl is quickly absorbed through the skin, lungs, and gastrointestinal tract and are broken down in the liver. Breakdown products are readily excreted via respiration and urine. Although they do not appear to accumulate in any particular body tissue, they may alter many other enzymes besides the cholinesterases.

Acute Toxicity	✔	**Carcinogenicity**	✘
Skin Irritation/Corrosion	✘	**Reproductivity**	✔
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation	✔	**STOT - Single Exposure**	✔
Respiratory or Skin sensitisation	✘	**STOT - Repeated Exposure**	✔
Mutagenicity	✘	**Aspiration Hazard**	✘

Legend: ✘ *– Data either not available or does not fill the criteria for classification*
✔ *– Data available to make classification*

SECTION 12 Ecological information

Toxicity

AC MAYHEM 225 Insecticide

Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

methanol

Endpoint	Test Duration (hr)	Species	Value	Source
EC50	48h	Crustacea	>10000mg/l	2
EC50	96h	Algae or other aquatic plants	14.11-20.623mg/l	4
LC50	96h	Fish	290mg/l	2
NOEC(ECx)	720h	Fish	0.007mg/L	4

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methomyl	**Endpoint**	**Test Duration (hr)**	**Species**	**Value**	**Source**
	EC50	72h	Algae or other aquatic plants	>=50mg/l	4
	EC50	48h	Crustacea	0.00161-0.00343mg/l	4
	EC50	96h	Algae or other aquatic plants	5.85mg/L	4
	LC50	96h	Fish	>0.1mg/l	4
	NOEC(ECx)	576h	Fish	0.0002-0.00024mg/l	4
Legend:	*Extracted from 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Information - Aquatic Toxicity 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*				

Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.
DO NOT discharge into sewer or waterways.

Persistence and degradability

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air
methanol	LOW	LOW
methomyl	HIGH	HIGH

Bioaccumulative potential

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation
methanol	LOW (BCF = 10)
methomyl	LOW (LogKOW = -0.0343)

Mobility in soil

Ingredient	Mobility
methanol	HIGH (KOC = 1)
methomyl	LOW (KOC = 22.76)

SECTION 13 Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Product / Packaging disposal	▸ Recycle wherever possible or consult manufacturer for recycling options. ▸ Consult State Land Waste Authority for disposal. ▸ Bury or incinerate residue at an approved site. ▸ Recycle containers if possible, or dispose of in an authorised landfill.

SECTION 14 Transport information

Labels Required

	
Marine Pollutant	
HAZCHEM	•3WE

Land transport (ADG)

14.1. **UN number or ID number**	2758
14.2. **UN proper shipping name**	CARBAMATE PESTICIDE, LIQUID, FLAMMABLE, TOXIC, flash point less than 23°C

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14.3. **Transport hazard class(es)**	Class: 3 Subsidiary Hazard: 6.1
14.4. **Packing group**	II
14.5. **Environmental hazard**	Environmentally hazardous
14.6. **Special precautions for user**	Special provisions: 61 274 Limited quantity: 1 L

Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR)

14.1. **UN number**	2758
14.2. **UN proper shipping name**	Carbamate pesticide, liquid, flammable, toxic * flash point less than 23°C
14.3. **Transport hazard class(es)**	ICAO/IATA Class: 3 ICAO / IATA Subsidiary Hazard: 6.1 ERG Code: 3P
14.4. **Packing group**	II
14.5. **Environmental hazard**	Environmentally hazardous
14.6. **Special precautions for user**	Special provisions: A4 Cargo Only Packing Instructions: 364 Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack: 60 L 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)

14.1. **UN number**	2758
14.2. **UN proper shipping name**	CARBAMATE PESTICIDE, LIQUID, FLAMMABLE, TOXIC flashpoint less than 23Â°C
14.3. **Transport hazard class(es)**	IMDG Class: 3 IMDG Subsidiary Hazard: 6.1
14.4. **Packing group**	II
14.5 **Environmental hazard**	Marine Pollutant
14.6. **Special precautions for user**	EMS Number: F-E, S-D Special provisions: 61 274 Limited Quantities: 1 L

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

Not Applicable

14.7.2. Transport in bulk in accordance with MARPOL Annex V and the IMSBC Code

Product name	Group
methanol	Not Available
methomyl	Not Available

14.7.3. Transport in bulk in accordance with the IGC Code

Product name	Ship Type
methanol	Not Available

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Product name	Ship Type
methomyl	Not Available

SECTION 15 Regulatory information

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

methanol is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals
Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 10 / Appendix C
Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 5
Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 6
Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC)
Chemical Footprint Project - Chemicals of High Concern List

methomyl is found on the following regulatory lists

Australia Chemicals with non-industrial uses removed from the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (old Inventory)
Australia Hazardous Chemical Information System (HCIS) - Hazardous Chemicals
Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 6
Australia Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP) - Schedule 7

National Inventory Status

National Inventory	Status
Australia - AIIC / Australia Non-Industrial Use	Yes
Canada - DSL	No (methomyl)
Canada - NDSL	No (methanol; methomyl)
China - IECSC	Yes
Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP	Yes
Japan - ENCS	No (methomyl)
Korea - KECI	Yes
New Zealand - NZIoC	Yes
Philippines - PICCS	No (methomyl)
USA - TSCA	No (methomyl)
Taiwan - TCSI	Yes
Mexico - INSQ	Yes
Vietnam - NCI	Yes
Russia - FBEPH	Yes
Legend:	*Yes = All CAS declared ingredients are on the inventory* *No = One or more of the CAS listed ingredients are not on the inventory. These ingredients may be exempt or will require registration.*

SECTION 16 Other information

Revision Date	10/03/2023
Initial Date	21/03/2014

SDS Version Summary

Version	Date of Update	Sections Updated
5.1	23/12/2022	Classification review due to GHS Revision change.
6.1	10/03/2023	Classification change due to full database hazard calculation/update.

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

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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
ES: Exposure Standard
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
DNEL: Derived No-Effect Level
PNEC: Predicted no-effect concentration
AIIC: Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals
DSL: Domestic Substances List
NDSL: Non-Domestic Substances List
IECSC: Inventory of Existing Chemical Substance in China
EINECS: European INventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances
ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
NLP: No-Longer Polymers
ENCS: Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory
KECI: Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory
NZIoC: New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals
PICCS: Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act
TCSI: Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory
INSQ: Inventario Nacional de Sustancias Químicas
NCI: National Chemical Inventory
FBEPH: Russian Register of Potentially Hazardous Chemical and Biological Substances