



## Safety Data Sheet

### Ethanol Denatured 25-100%

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#### SECTION 1: Identification

##### GHS Product identifier

Product name	Ethanol Denatured 25-100%
Product number	EIMSxxx-500M, 1L, 2.5L, 5L, 10L, 20L (x) = Ethanol concentration
Brand	Hurstchem

##### Other means of identification

Industrial Methylated Spirit, denatured absolute alcohol, ethanol 100 IMS, ethanol absolute denatured, methylated spirit 95 IMS, denatured ethyl alcohol, IMS solution.

##### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Laboratory Solvent

##### Supplier's details

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Address	2/36 Hensbrook Loop 6112 Forrestdale WA Australia
Telephone	1300 778 068
email	<a href="mailto:sales@hurstscientific.com.au">sales@hurstscientific.com.au</a>

##### Emergency phone number

Australian Poisons Information Centre 131 126  
Australian Emergency Services 000

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#### SECTION 2: Hazard identification

##### General hazard statement

Classified as a Hazardous substance according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) and Safe Work Australia criteria.

Classified as a Dangerous goods according to the ADG Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (7th Edition).

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**Classification of the substance or mixture**

- Flammable liquids, Cat. 2
- Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Cat. 2A

**GHS label elements, including precautionary statements.**

**Pictograms**



1. Flame; 2. Exclamation mark

**Signal word**

**Danger**

**Hazard statement(s)**

H225  
H319  
Highly flammable liquid and vapor  
Causes serious eye irritation.

**Precautionary statement(s)**

P210  
Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames, and other ignition sources.  
No smoking.  
P233  
Keep container tightly closed.  
P240  
Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.  
P241  
Use explosion-proof [electrical/ventilating/lighting/...] equipment.  
P242  
Use non-sparking tools.  
P243  
Take action to prevent static discharges.  
P280  
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
P264  
Wash ... thoroughly after handling.  
P303+P361+P353  
IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].  
P370+P378  
In case of fire: Use ... to extinguish.  
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.  
P403+P235  
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.  
P501  
Dispose of contents/container to ...

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**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

**Mixtures**

**1. Ethanol**

Concentration 25 - 100 %  
CAS no. 64-17-5

**2. Water**

Concentration Not specified, Balance.  
CAS no. 7732-18-5

**3. METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE**

Concentration 0.25 %  
CAS no. 108-10-1

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**4. Benzenemethanaminium, N-[2-[(2,6-dimethylphenyl) amino]-2-oxoethyl]-N,N-diethyl-, benzoate (1:1)**

Concentration Not specified, 6.6ppm  
CAS no. 3734-33-6

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## **SECTION 4: First-aid measures**

### **Description of necessary first-aid measures**

If inhaled	Evacuate to fresh air immediately. If there are signs of intoxication, respiratory irritation, dizziness, nausea or headache seek medical attention immediately. Keep at rest until fully recovered. If unconscious place in recovery position, provide artificial respiration if breathing ceases.
In case of skin contact	Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected area with soap and water thoroughly. If irritation develops, seek medical attention.
In case of eye contact	Flush eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention.
If swallowed	DO NOT induce vomiting. If a small amount has been swallowed, dilute the stomach by consuming water. For large volumes seek immediate medical attention.
Personal protective equipment for first-aid responders	Eye wash station, safety shower and First Aid kit.

### **Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary**

Treat symptomatically and based on individual reactions of patient and judgement of a doctor.

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## **SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures**

### **Suitable extinguishing media**

Water fog or foam. Keep containers cool with water spray.

### **Specific hazards arising from the chemical.**

Toxic gases may evolve (Oxides of Carbon).

### **Special protective actions for fire-fighters**

Wear SCBA (Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus) and full protective equipment.

### **Hazchem code 2YE**

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## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

### **Personal precautions, protective equipment, and emergency procedures**

If spill or leakage occurs eliminate all sources of ignition and take measures to prevent static discharge. Clear area of all persons not involved with the

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clean-up and ensure all others wear suitable protective equipment and breathing apparatus. Contain the spill or absorb using a suitable inert material such as vermiculite or sand etc... Prevent run off into drains and if contamination of waterways has occurred notify the local emergency services. Use water spray to disperse vapour. Ventilate the area well and ensure the atmosphere is clear of contaminant prior to allowing personnel to return.

### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up.

Wash the affected area with a large volume of water. De-gas any non-returnable containers prior to disposal and adhere to local government guidelines for the disposal of any material or packaging.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

Use in well-ventilated areas away from all sources of ignition. Avoid eye contact and repeated or prolonged skin contact. Avoid inhalation of vapour, mist or aerosols. Do not use compressed gas to fill, discharge or mix due to the high vapour hazard of this product. Observe good personal hygiene practices. Ensure containers are earthed when agitating or transferring product to avoid static discharge.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities.

Store in tightly closed containers in a cool, dry environment away from sources of ignition and direct sunlight. Check regularly for leaks. Store away from incompatible materials.

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### Control parameters

#### CAS: 64-17-5

Ethanol

AU/SWA (Australia): 1000 ppm; 1880 mg/m<sup>3</sup> TWA inhalation

### Appropriate engineering controls

Ensure adequate ventilation to maintain airborne concentrations below national exposure standards.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

#### Eye/face protection

Wear suitable protective clothing. Safety glasses or chemical resistant, splash-proof goggles.

#### Skin protection

Nitrile/neoprene gloves, lab coat or overalls.

#### Respiratory protection

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Always use a NIOSH or European Standard EN 149 approved respirators when necessary.

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### Basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state

Liquid

Appearance

Clear Colourless

Colour

Clear

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Odor	Distinct Alcohol odour
Melting point/freezing point	-117°C
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	78°C
Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit	3.5% - 19%
Flash point	13°C (closed cup)
Auto-ignition temperature	392°C
pH	Not available
Solubility	Miscible with water, aqueous and organic solvents
Vapor pressure	44mm Hg (@20°C)
Density and/or relative density	Approx. 0.8 (water = 1)
Relative vapor density	1.59 (air = 1)

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### Reactivity

None known.

### Chemical stability

Stable under recommended conditions for use and storage.

### Conditions to avoid.

Heat, direct sunlight, moisture, sparks, flame, and build-up of static electricity.

### Incompatible materials

Oxidising agents.

### Hazardous decomposition products

Oxides of carbon and nitrogen, smoke, and other toxic fumes.

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

##### HEALTH EFFECTS:

Eye Contact Irritating to eyes. Exposure may result in lacrimation, irritation, pain, and redness.

Skin Contact Prolonged contact may result in drying and defatting of the skin, rash, and dermatitis.

Ingestion may result in gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, diarrhoea, headache, dizziness, and drowsiness with large doses. Chronic ingestion may result in cirrhosis of the liver. Liver damage may occur with high level of chronic ingestion.

Inhalation Vapour is moderately irritating to the mucous membranes and respiratory tract.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

No classification.

#### Serious eye damage/irritation

Reversible effects to eyes.

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

No classification.

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### Germ cell mutagenicity

No classification.

### Carcinogenicity

No classification.

### Reproductive toxicity

No classification.

### Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - single exposure.

No classification.

### Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) - repeated exposure.

No classification.

### Aspiration hazard

No classification.

### Additional information

#### TOXICITY DATA:

Ethanol (100%): Inhalation LC50 Rat: 2000 ppm/10h

Oral LD50 Rat: 7060 mg/kg

Ingestion LD50 Mouse: 3450 mg/kg

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### Toxicity

No data available.

### Persistence and degradability

No data available.

### Bioaccumulate potential

Not expected to bio-accumulate.

### Mobility in soil

No data available.

### Other adverse effects

Do not contaminate drains and waterways.

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### Disposal methods

#### Product disposal

Dispose of in accordance with local authority guidelines.

#### Packaging disposal

Dispose of in accordance with local authority guidelines.

### Other disposal recommendations

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Product must not be disposed of in sewerage systems, drains or allowed to enter the waterways. Empty containers retain liquid and/or vapour residue and are not to be pressure cut, welded, brazed, soldered, drilled or exposed to heat, flame, sparks electricity or any other source of ignition. Rinse containers thoroughly with cold water when empty.

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### SECTION 14: Transport information

UN Number	1170
Hazchem emergency action code (EAC)	2YE
UN Proper Shipping Name	Ethanol (Ethyl Alcohol)
Transport hazard class(es)	3
Packing group	II

#### Special precautions for user

Not to be loaded with explosives (Class 1), flammable gases (Class 2.1), if both are in bulk, toxic gases (Class 2.3), spontaneously combustible substances (Class 4.2), oxidising agents (Class 5.1), organic peroxides (Class 5.2), toxic substances (Class 6.1), infectious substances (Class 6.2) or radioactive substances (Class 7). Exemptions may apply.

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### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### Chemical Safety Assessment

- Poison Schedule: Not applicable.
- TWA (Time Weighted Average): The average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over a normal eight hour working day, for a five-day week.

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### SECTION 16: Other information

#### Further information/disclaimer

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