

Safety Data Sheet

acc. to OSHA HCS

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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Guaiacol 0.5% w/v
in Reagent Alcohol
- **Article number:** SPX351
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Aqua Solutions, Inc.
6913 Highway 225
DEER PARK, TX 77536
USA
800-256-2586
- **Information department:**
Technical Coordinator
Sherman Nelson sherman@aquasolutions.org
- **Emergency telephone number:**
Chemtrec: 800-424-9300
Canutec: 613-996-6666



2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS02 Flame

Flam. Liq. 2 H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.



GHS08 Health hazard

STOT SE 2 H371 May cause damage to organs.

- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS02



GHS08

- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**
Isopropanol
Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)
- **Hazard statements**
Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
May cause damage to organs.
- **Precautionary statements**
Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.
Keep container tightly closed.
Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.
Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.

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Use only non-sparking tools.
Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
Wash thoroughly after handling.
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
IF exposed or concerned: Call a poison center/doctor.
In case of fire: Use for extinction: CO₂, powder or water spray.
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
Store locked up.
Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

· **Classification system:**

· **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



· **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



· **Other hazards**

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

· **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**

· **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

· **Dangerous components:**

CAS: 64-17-5	Ethyl Alcohol, Absolute 200 Proof	89.442%
CAS: 67-56-1	Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)	4.984%
CAS: 67-63-0	Isopropanol	4.942%

· **Table of Nonhazardous Ingredients**

CAS: 90-05-1	guaiacol	0.632%
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4 First-aid measures

· **Description of first aid measures**

· **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.

· **After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.

· **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

· **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.

· **Information for doctor:**

· **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.

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- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
- **Environmental precautions:**
Dilute with plenty of water.
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.
- **Protective Action Criteria for Chemicals**

- **PAC-1:**

CAS: 64-17-5	Ethyl Alcohol, Absolute 200 Proof	1,800 ppm
CAS: 67-56-1	Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)	530 ppm
CAS: 67-63-0	Isopropanol	400 ppm

- **PAC-2:**

CAS: 64-17-5	Ethyl Alcohol, Absolute 200 Proof	3300* ppm
CAS: 67-56-1	Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)	2,100 ppm
CAS: 67-63-0	Isopropanol	2000* ppm

- **PAC-3:**

CAS: 64-17-5	Ethyl Alcohol, Absolute 200 Proof	15000* ppm
CAS: 67-56-1	Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)	7200* ppm
CAS: 67-63-0	Isopropanol	12000** ppm

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling** No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:**
Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.

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Protect against electrostatic charges.

- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Store in a cool location.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Control parameters**

· **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

CAS: 64-17-5 Ethyl Alcohol, Absolute 200 Proof

PEL Long-term value: 1900 mg/m³, 1000 ppm

REL Long-term value: 1900 mg/m³, 1000 ppm

TLV Short-term value: 1880 mg/m³, 1000 ppm

CAS: 67-56-1 Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)

PEL Long-term value: 260 mg/m³, 200 ppm

REL Short-term value: 325 mg/m³, 250 ppm

Long-term value: 260 mg/m³, 200 ppm
Skin

TLV Short-term value: 328 mg/m³, 250 ppm

Long-term value: 262 mg/m³, 200 ppm
Skin; BEI

CAS: 67-63-0 Isopropanol

PEL Long-term value: 980 mg/m³, 400 ppm

REL Short-term value: 1225 mg/m³, 500 ppm

Long-term value: 980 mg/m³, 400 ppm

TLV Short-term value: 984 mg/m³, 400 ppm

Long-term value: 492 mg/m³, 200 ppm
BEI

· **Ingredients with biological limit values:**

CAS: 67-56-1 Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)

BEI 15 mg/L

LD50 Intraperitoneal: urine

Time: end of shift

LD50: Methanol (background, nonspecific)

CAS: 67-63-0 Isopropanol

BEI 40 mg/L

LD50 Intraperitoneal: urine

Time: end of shift at end of workweek

LD50: Acetone (background, nonspecific)

· **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

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- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:**
The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.
Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation
- **Material of gloves**
The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product 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.
- **Penetration time of glove material**
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing

9 Physical and chemical properties

- **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**
- **General Information**
- **Appearance:**

Form:	Liquid
Color:	Clear
Odor:	Alcohol
Odor threshold:	Not determined.
- **pH-value:** Not determined.
- **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	78 °C (172.4 °F)
- **Flash point:** 13 °C (55.4 °F)
- **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Not applicable.
- **Ignition temperature:** 425 °C (797 °F)
- **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.
- **Auto igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.
- **Danger of explosion:** Product is not explosive. However, formation of explosive air/vapor mixtures are possible.

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· Explosion limits:	
Lower:	3.5 Vol %
Upper:	19 Vol %
· Vapor pressure at 20 °C (68 °F):	59 hPa (44.3 mm Hg)
· Density at 20 °C (68 °F):	0.79138 g/cm ³ (6.60407 lbs/gal)
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapor density	Not determined.
· Evaporation rate	Not determined.
· Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Fully miscible.
· Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
· Viscosity:	
Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.
· Solvent content:	
Organic solvents:	99.4 %
VOC content:	99.37 %
	786.4 g/l / 6.56 lb/gl
Solids content:	90.1 %
· Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**

· **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

ATE (Acute Toxicity Estimate)

Oral	LD50	23,817-55,559 mg/kg (rat)
Inhalative	LC50/4 h	491 mg/l (rat)

CAS: 67-56-1 Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)

Oral	LD50	100 mg/kg (ATE)
Dermal	LD50	300 mg/kg (ATE)
Inhalative	LC50/4 h	3 mg/l (ATE)

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- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:
- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

CAS: 64-17-5	Ethyl Alcohol, Absolute 200 Proof	1
CAS: 67-63-0	Isopropanol	3

- **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:**
Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14 Transport information

- **UN-Number**
- **DOT, IMDG, IATA** UN1993

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· **UN proper shipping name**
· **DOT**
· **IMDG, IATA**

Flammable liquids, n.o.s. (Ethanol, Methanol, Isopropanol)
FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (ETHANOL, METHANOL, Isopropanol)

· **Transport hazard class(es)**
· **DOT**



· **Class**
· **Label**

3 Flammable liquids
3

· **IMDG, IATA**



· **Class**
· **Label**

3 Flammable liquids
3

· **Packing group**
· **DOT, IMDG, IATA**

II

· **Environmental hazards:**
· **Marine pollutant:**

No

· **Special precautions for user**
· **Danger code (Kemler):**
· **EMS Number:**
· **Stowage Category**

Warning: Flammable liquids
33
F-E, S-E
B

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

Not applicable.

· **Transport/Additional information:**

· **DOT**
· **Quantity limitations**

On passenger aircraft/rail: 5 L
On cargo aircraft only: 60 L

· **IMDG**
· **Limited quantities (LQ)**
· **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

1L
Code: E2
Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml
Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml

· **UN "Model Regulation":**

UN 1993 FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS, N.O.S. (ETHANOL, METHANOL, ISOPROPANOL), 3, II

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15 Regulatory information

- Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
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· **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

CAS: 67-56-1 Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)

CAS: 67-63-0 Isopropanol

· **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

Ethyl Alcohol, Absolute 200 Proof

Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)

Isopropanol

guaiacol

· **Proposition 65**

· **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

CAS: 64-17-5 Ethyl Alcohol, Absolute 200 Proof

CAS: 67-56-1 Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

CAS: 64-17-5 Ethyl Alcohol, Absolute 200 Proof

A3

CAS: 67-63-0 Isopropanol

A4

· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

· **Hazard pictograms**



GHS02 GHS08

- **Signal word** Danger

· **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**

Isopropanol

Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)

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- **Hazard statements**

Highly flammable liquid and vapor.

May cause damage to organs.

- **Precautionary statements**

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.

Keep container tightly closed.

Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.

Use only non-sparking tools.

Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

IF exposed or concerned: Call a poison center/doctor.

In case of fire: Use for extinction: CO2, powder or water spray.

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

Store locked up.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

- **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- **Department issuing SDS:** Environment protection department.

- **Contact:**

- **Date of preparation / last revision**

01-05-2018: review SDS for accuracy. STN

Creation date for SDS 03-26-2015. STN

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- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety

OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

BEI: Biological Exposure Limit

Flam. Liq. 2: Flammable liquids – Category 2

STOT SE 2: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 2