

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

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture  
Product name : BTEX plus MTBE Standard  
Product code : AL0-101205  
Product group : Trade product

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

##### 1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Main use category : Laboratory Use  
Industrial/Professional use spec : Industrial  
For professional use only  
Use of the substance/mixture : Certified reference material for laboratory use only

##### 1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

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

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#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : ChemTel Assistance (US/Canada) 1-800-255-3924  
ChemTel Assistance (International) +1 813-248-0585

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

##### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Flam. Liq. 2 H225  
Acute Tox. 3 (Oral) H301  
Acute Tox. 3 (Dermal) H311  
STOT SE 1 H370

##### Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC [DSD] or 1999/45/EC [DPD]

F; R11  
T; R23/24/25  
T; R39/23/24/25  
Full text of R-phrases: see section 16

##### Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

No additional information available

#### 2.2. Label elements

##### Labeling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP) :



Signal word (CLP) : Danger  
Hazardous ingredients : methanol  
Hazard statements (CLP) : H225 - Highly flammable liquid and vapor  
H301+H311 - Toxic if swallowed or in contact with skin  
H370 - Causes damage to organs

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Precautionary statements (CLP) : P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking  
P233 - Keep container tightly closed  
P260 - Do not breathe dust, fume, gas, mist, spray, vapors  
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, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection  
P308+P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention  
P403+P235 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool  
P405 - Store locked up

No labeling applicable

### 2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1. Substance

Not applicable

### 3.2. Mixture

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
methanol (Component)	(CAS No) 67-56-1 (EC no) 200-659-6 (EC index no) 603-001-00-X	99.86	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Acute Tox. 3 (Oral), H301 Acute Tox. 3 (Dermal), H311 Acute Tox. 3 (Inhalation), H331 STOT SE 1, H370
benzene (Component) substance with a Community workplace exposure limit	(CAS No) 71-43-2 (EC no) 200-753-7 (EC index no) 601-020-00-8	0.02	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2, H319 Muta. 1B, H340 Carc. 1A, H350 STOT RE 1, H372 Asp. Tox. 1, H304
toluene (Component) substance with a Community workplace exposure limit	(CAS No) 108-88-3 (EC no) 203-625-9 (EC index no) 601-021-00-3	0.02	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Repr. 2, H361d STOT SE 3, H336 STOT RE 2, H373 Asp. Tox. 1, H304
ethylbenzene (Component) substance with a Community workplace exposure limit	(CAS No) 100-41-4 (EC no) 202-849-4 (EC index no) 601-023-00-4	0.02	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation), H332 STOT RE 2, H373 Asp. Tox. 1, H304
m-xylene (Component) substance with a Community workplace exposure limit	(CAS No) 108-38-3 (EC no) 203-576-3 (EC index no) 601-022-00-9	0.02	Flam. Liq. 3, H226 Acute Tox. 4 (Dermal), H312 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation), H332 Skin Irrit. 2, H315
o-xylene (Component) substance with a Community workplace exposure limit	(CAS No) 95-47-6 (EC no) 202-422-2 (EC index no) 601-022-00-9	0.02	Flam. Liq. 3, H226 Acute Tox. 4 (Dermal), H312 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation), H332 Skin Irrit. 2, H315
p-xylene (Component) substance with a Community workplace exposure limit	(CAS No) 106-42-3 (EC no) 203-396-5 (EC index no) 601-022-00-9	0.02	Flam. Liq. 3, H226 Acute Tox. 4 (Dermal), H312 Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation), H332 Skin Irrit. 2, H315
tert-Butyl Methyl Ether (MTBE) (Component) substance with a Community workplace exposure limit	(CAS No) 1634-04-4 (EC no) 216-653-1 (EC index no) 603-181-00-X	0.02	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Skin Irrit. 2, H315
Name	Product identifier	Specific concentration limits	
methanol (Component)	(CAS No) 67-56-1 (EC no) 200-659-6 (EC index no) 603-001-00-X	(3 ≤ C < 10) STOT SE 2, H371 (C ≥ 10) STOT SE 1, H370	

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Rinse skin with water/shower. Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician. Wash with plenty of soap and water. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

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- First-aid measures after eye contact : Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Obtain medical attention if pain, blinking or redness persist.
- First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

- Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Repeated exposure to this material can result in absorption through skin causing significant health hazard. Toxic in contact with skin.
- Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Toxic if swallowed. Swallowing a small quantity of this material will result in serious health hazard.

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

No additional information available

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

- Fire hazard : Highly flammable liquid and vapor.
- Explosion hazard : May form flammable/explosive vapor-air mixture.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

- Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment.
- Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
- Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- Methods for cleaning up : Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as soon as possible. Collect spillage. Store away from other materials.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Additional hazards when processed : Handle empty containers with care because residual vapors are flammable.
- Precautions for safe handling : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of vapor. No open flames. No smoking. Use only non-sparking tools.
- Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Gently wash with plenty of soap and water. Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

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

- Technical measures : Proper grounding procedures to avoid static electricity should be followed. Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.
- Storage conditions : Keep in fireproof place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep container tightly closed and in a well-ventilated place. Keep away from any flames or sparking source.
- Incompatible products : Strong bases. Strong acids.
- Incompatible materials : Sources of ignition. Direct sunlight. Heat sources.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

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### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

##### benzene (71-43-2)

USA OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (ppm)	10 ppm
USA OSHA	OSHA PEL (Ceiling) (ppm)	25 ppm

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Either local exhaust or general room ventilation is usually required.  
Personal protective equipment : Avoid all unnecessary exposure. Gloves. Protective clothing. Protective goggles. Safety glasses.



Hand protection : Wear chemically resistant protective gloves. Wear suitable gloves resistant to chemical penetration.  
Eye protection : Chemical goggles or safety glasses. Safety glasses.  
Skin and body protection : Wear chemically protective gloves, lab coat or apron to prevent prolonged or repeated skin contact.  
Respiratory protection : Where exposure through inhalation may occur from use, respiratory protection equipment is recommended.  
Other information : Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid  
Color : Colorless.  
Odor : characteristic.  
pH : No data available  
Melting point : No data available  
Freezing point : No data available  
Boiling point : No data available  
Flash point : No data available  
Auto-ignition temperature : No data available  
Decomposition temperature : No data available  
Flammability (solid, gas) : Highly flammable liquid and vapor  
Relative density : No data available  
Solubility : No data available  
Explosive properties : No data available  
Oxidizing properties : No data available  
Explosion limits : No data available

#### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Not established. Highly flammable liquid and vapor. May form flammable/explosive vapor-air mixture.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not established.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures. Open flame.

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Strong bases.

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### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

fume. Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide. May release flammable gases.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Oral: Toxic if swallowed. Dermal: Toxic in contact with skin.

<b>BTEX plus MTBE Standard</b>	
ATE CLP (oral)	100.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE CLP (dermal)	300.000 mg/kg body weight
<b>benzene (71-43-2)</b>	
LD50 oral rat	> 930 mg/kg (Rat; Equivalent or similar to OECD 401; Literature study; > 2000 mg/kg bodyweight; Rat; Experimental value)
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 8240 mg/kg (Rabbit; Experimental value; 21 CFR 191.10; > 9.4; Rabbit)
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	43.767 mg/l/4h (Rat; Experimental value)
LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	13700 ppm/4h (Rat; Experimental value)
ATE CLP (gases)	13700.000 ppmV/4h
ATE CLP (vapors)	43.767 mg/l/4h
ATE CLP (dust, mist)	43.767 mg/l/4h
<b>toluene (108-88-3)</b>	
LD50 oral rat	> 2000 mg/kg (Rat; Equivalent or similar to OECD 401; Literature study; 5580 mg/kg bodyweight; Rat; Experimental value)
LD50 dermal rabbit	12223 mg/kg (Rabbit; Literature study; Other; >5000 mg/kg bodyweight; Rabbit; Experimental value)
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	> 20 mg/l/4h (Rat; Literature study)
ATE CLP (dermal)	12223.000 mg/kg body weight
<b>ethylbenzene (100-41-4)</b>	
LD50 oral rat	3500 mg/kg (Rat; Other; Experimental value)
LD50 dermal rabbit	15415 mg/kg (Rabbit; Literature study; Other; 15432 mg/kg; Rabbit; Experimental value)
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	17.8 mg/l/4h (Rat; Literature study)
LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	4000 ppm/4h (Rat; Literature study)
ATE CLP (oral)	3500.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE CLP (dermal)	15415.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE CLP (gases)	4000.000 ppmV/4h
ATE CLP (vapors)	17.800 mg/l/4h
ATE CLP (dust, mist)	1.500 mg/l/4h
<b>m-xylene (108-38-3)</b>	
LD50 oral rat	5011 - 6630 mg/kg (Rat)
ATE CLP (oral)	5011.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE CLP (dermal)	1100.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE CLP (gases)	4500.000 ppmV/4h
ATE CLP (vapors)	11.000 mg/l/4h
ATE CLP (dust, mist)	1.500 mg/l/4h
<b>o-xylene (95-47-6)</b>	
LD50 oral rat	3608 mg/kg (Rat)
ATE CLP (oral)	3608.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE CLP (dermal)	1100.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE CLP (gases)	4500.000 ppmV/4h
ATE CLP (vapors)	11.000 mg/l/4h
ATE CLP (dust, mist)	1.500 mg/l/4h
<b>p-xylene (106-42-3)</b>	
LD50 oral rat	4030 mg/kg (Rat)
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	20 mg/l/4h (Rat)
LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	4740 ppm/4h (Rat)
ATE CLP (oral)	4030.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE CLP (dermal)	1100.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE CLP (gases)	4740.000 ppmV/4h
ATE CLP (vapors)	20.000 mg/l/4h
ATE CLP (dust, mist)	1.500 mg/l/4h

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<b>tert-Butyl Methyl Ether (MTBE) (1634-04-4)</b>	
LD50 oral rat	4000 mg/kg (Rat)
LD50 dermal rat	> 6800 mg/kg (Rat)
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 10000 mg/kg (Rabbit)
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	85 mg/l/4h (Rat)
LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	23576 ppm/4h (Rat)
ATE CLP (oral)	4000.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE CLP (gases)	23576.000 ppmV/4h
ATE CLP (vapors)	85.000 mg/l/4h
ATE CLP (dust, mist)	85.000 mg/l/4h

<b>methanol (67-56-1)</b>	
LD50 oral rat	> 5000 mg/kg (Rat; BASF test; Literature study; 1187-2769 mg/kg bodyweight; Rat; Weight of evidence)
LD50 dermal rabbit	15800 mg/kg (Rabbit; Literature study)
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	85 mg/l/4h (Rat; Literature study)
LC50 inhalation rat (ppm)	64000 ppm/4h (Rat; Literature study)
ATE CLP (oral)	100.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE CLP (dermal)	300.000 mg/kg body weight
ATE CLP (gases)	700.000 ppmV/4h
ATE CLP (vapors)	3.000 mg/l/4h
ATE CLP (dust, mist)	0.500 mg/l/4h

Skin corrosion/irritation	: Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Respiratory or skin sensitization	: Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met May cause cancer
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	: Causes damage to organs.
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	: Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms	: Toxic if swallowed. Toxic in contact with skin.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

<b>benzene (71-43-2)</b>	
LC50 fish 1	5.3 mg/l 96 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss)
EC50 Daphnia 1	18 mg/l (24 h; Daphnia magna)
LC50 fish 2	15.1 mg/l (96 h; Pimephales promelas)
EC50 Daphnia 2	10 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna)
TLM fish 1	22.5 mg/l (96 h; Lepomis macrochirus; Soft water)
TLM fish 2	32 mg/l (96 h; Pimephales promelas; Hard water)
Threshold limit algae 1	100 mg/l (72 h; Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata; GLP)
Threshold limit algae 2	50 mg/l (24 h; Phaeodactylum; Photosynthesis)

<b>toluene (108-88-3)</b>	
LC50 fish 1	24 mg/l 96 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss)
EC50 Daphnia 1	84 mg/l (24 h; Daphnia magna; Locomotor effect)
LC50 fish 2	13 mg/l (96 h; Lepomis macrochirus)
EC50 Daphnia 2	11.5 - 19.6 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna)

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<b>toluene (108-88-3)</b>	
Threshold limit algae 1	> 400 mg/l (168 h; Scenedesmus quadricauda; Toxicity test)
Threshold limit algae 2	105 mg/l (192 h; Microcystis aeruginosa)
<b>ethylbenzene (100-41-4)</b>	
LC50 fish 1	9.09 mg/l (96 h; Pimephales promelas)
EC50 Daphnia 1	77 mg/l (24 h; Daphnia magna)
EC50 other aquatic organisms 1	48 mg/l (72 h; Scenedesmus subspicatus)
LC50 fish 2	4.2 mg/l 96 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss)
EC50 Daphnia 2	75 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna)
TLM fish 1	29 ppm (96 h; Lepomis macrochirus; Hard water)
TLM fish 2	42.3 mg/l (96 h; Pimephales promelas)
TLM other aquatic organisms 1	10 - 100,96 h
Threshold limit algae 1	> 160 mg/l (192 h; Scenedesmus quadricauda; Toxicity test)
Threshold limit algae 2	33 mg/l (192 h; Microcystis aeruginosa; Toxicity test)
<b>m-xylene (108-38-3)</b>	
LC50 fish 1	13 mg/l (96 h; Poecilia reticulata; Growth)
EC50 Daphnia 1	4.7 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna)
LC50 fish 2	8.4 mg/l 96 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss)
TLM fish 1	22 ppm (96 h; Lepomis macrochirus)
Threshold limit other aquatic organisms 1	> 160 mg/l (Pseudomonas putida; No specific isomer)
Threshold limit algae 2	> 160 mg/l (Scenedesmus quadricauda; No specific isomer)
<b>o-xylene (95-47-6)</b>	
LC50 fish 1	12 mg/l (96 h; Poecilia reticulata)
EC50 Daphnia 1	3.820 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna; Locomotor effect)
EC50 other aquatic organisms 1	4.7 mg/l (72 h; Selenastrum capricornutum; Growth)
LC50 fish 2	8.05 mg/l 96 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss)
EC50 Daphnia 2	3.2 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna; Static system)
Threshold limit algae 1	> 160 mg/l (Scenedesmus quadricauda; No specific isomer)
<b>p-xylene (106-42-3)</b>	
LC50 fish 1	2.6 mg/l 96 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss)
EC50 Daphnia 1	3.6 mg/l (24 h; Daphnia magna)
EC50 other aquatic organisms 1	50 mg/l (Chlamydomonas angulosa; Photosynthesis)
LC50 fish 2	8.8 mg/l (96 h; Poecilia reticulata)
EC50 Daphnia 2	1.4 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna)
TLM fish 1	29 mg/l (96 h; Pimephales promelas)
TLM fish 2	20.9 mg/l (96 h; Lepomis macrochirus)
Threshold limit algae 2	> 160 mg/l (Scenedesmus quadricauda; No specific isomer)
<b>tert-Butyl Methyl Ether (MTBE) (1634-04-4)</b>	
LC50 fish 1	672 - 706 mg/l (96 h; Pimephales promelas)
LC50 other aquatic organisms 1	2500 mg/l (Rana sp.; Young)
EC50 Daphnia 1	651 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna)
LC50 fish 2	1000 mg/l (48 h; Leuciscus idus)
Threshold limit other aquatic organisms 1	2500 mg/l (Rana sp.; Young)
Threshold limit algae 1	470 mg/l (72 h; Scenedesmus subspicatus)
<b>methanol (67-56-1)</b>	
LC50 fish 1	15400 mg/l (96 h; Lepomis macrochirus; Lethal)
EC50 Daphnia 1	> 10000 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna; Lethal)
LC50 fish 2	10800 mg/l 96 h; Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss)
EC50 Daphnia 2	24500 mg/l (48 h; Daphnia magna; Locomotor effect)
Threshold limit other aquatic organisms 1	6600 mg/l (16 h; Pseudomonas putida)
Threshold limit algae 1	530 mg/l (192 h; Microcystis aeruginosa)
Threshold limit algae 2	8000 mg/l (168 h; Scenedesmus quadricauda)

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

<b>BTEX plus MTBE Standard</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.
<b>benzene (71-43-2)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water. Ozonation in water. Forming sediments in water. Biodegradable in the soil. Low potential for adsorption in soil. Photolysis in the air.

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<b>benzene (71-43-2)</b>	
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	2.18 g O /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	2.15 g O /g substance
ThOD	3.10 g O /g substance
BOD (% of ThOD)	0.70 % ThOD
<b>toluene (108-88-3)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water. easily degradable in the soil.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	2.15 g O /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	2.52 g O /g substance
ThOD	3.13 g O /g substance
BOD (% of ThOD)	0.69 % ThOD
<b>ethylbenzene (100-41-4)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water. Biodegradable in the soil. Low potential for adsorption in soil.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	1.44 g O /g substance (20d.)
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	2.1 g O /g substance
ThOD	3.17 g O /g substance
BOD (% of ThOD)	(20 day(s)) 45.4
<b>m-xylene (108-38-3)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water. Biodegradable in the soil. Photolysis in the air. Photooxidation in the air.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	2.53 g O /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	2.63 g O /g substance
ThOD	3.1 g O /g substance
<b>o-xylene (95-47-6)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water. Biodegradable in the soil. Photodegradation in the air.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	1.64 g O /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	2.91 g O /g substance
ThOD	3.125 g O /g substance
<b>p-xylene (106-42-3)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water. Forming sediments in water. Biodegradable in the soil. Adsorbs into the soil. Photolysis in the air.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	1.40 g O /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	2.56 g O /g substance
ThOD	3.125 g O /g substance
<b>tert-Butyl Methyl Ether (MTBE) (1634-04-4)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Not readily biodegradable in water.
<b>methanol (67-56-1)</b>	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water. Biodegradable in the soil. Highly mobile in soil.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	0.6 - 1.12 g O /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	1.42 g O /g substance
ThOD	1.5 g O /g substance
BOD (% of ThOD)	0.8 % ThOD
<b>12.3. Bioaccumulative potential</b>	
<b>BTEX plus MTBE Standard</b>	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.
<b>benzene (71-43-2)</b>	
BCF fish 1	19 Salmo gairdneri (Oncorhynchus mykiss)
BCF fish 2	< 10 (3 days; Leuciscus idus)
BCF other aquatic organisms 1	30 (24 h; Chlorella sp.; Fresh weight)
Log Pow	2.13 (Experimental value)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (BCF < 500).
<b>toluene (108-88-3)</b>	
BCF fish 1	13.2 (Anguilla japonica)
BCF fish 2	90 (72 h; Leuciscus idus)
BCF other aquatic organisms 1	380 (24 h; Chlorella sp.; Fresh weight)
BCF other aquatic organisms 2	4.2 (Mytilus edulis; Fresh weight)
Log Pow	2.73 (Experimental value; Other; 20 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (BCF < 500).



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<b>ethylbenzene (100-41-4)</b>	
BCF fish 1	1 (6 weeks; Oncorhynchus kisutch)
BCF fish 2	15 - 79 (Carassius auratus)
BCF other aquatic organisms 1	4.68 (Lamellibranchiata)
Log Pow	3.15 (Experimental value; 3.6; Experimental value; EU Method A.8: Partition Coefficient; 20 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (BCF < 500).
<b>m-xylene (108-38-3)</b>	
BCF fish 1	15 (Carassius auratus)
BCF fish 2	24 (Anguilla japonica)
Log Pow	3.20 (Experimental value)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (BCF < 500).
<b>o-xylene (95-47-6)</b>	
BCF fish 1	21.4 (Anguilla japonica)
BCF fish 2	14.1 (Carassius auratus)
BCF other aquatic organisms 1	219 (Selenastrum capricornutum)
Log Pow	3.12 (Experimental value)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (BCF < 500).
<b>p-xylene (106-42-3)</b>	
BCF fish 1	15 (Carassius auratus)
BCF fish 2	23 (240 h; Anguilla japonica)
Log Pow	3.15 (Experimental value)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (BCF < 500).
<b>tert-Butyl Methyl Ether (MTBE) (1634-04-4)</b>	
BCF fish 1	1.5 (672 h; Cyprinus carpio)
Log Pow	1.06 (Experimental value)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (BCF < 500).
<b>methanol (67-56-1)</b>	
BCF fish 1	< 10 (72 h; Leuciscus idus)
BCF fish 2	1 (72 h; Cyprinus carpio; Blood)
Log Pow	-0.77 (Experimental value; Other)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (BCF < 500).
<b>12.4. Mobility in soil</b>	
<b>benzene (71-43-2)</b>	
Surface tension	0.029 N/m (20 °C)
<b>toluene (108-88-3)</b>	
Surface tension	0.03 N/m (20 °C)
<b>ethylbenzene (100-41-4)</b>	
Surface tension	0.029 N/m
<b>m-xylene (108-38-3)</b>	
Ecology - soil	May be harmful to plant growth, blooming and fruit formation.
<b>o-xylene (95-47-6)</b>	
Surface tension	0.003 N/m (25 °C)
Ecology - soil	May be harmful to plant growth, blooming and fruit formation.
<b>p-xylene (106-42-3)</b>	
Ecology - soil	May be harmful to plant growth, blooming and fruit formation.
<b>tert-Butyl Methyl Ether (MTBE) (1634-04-4)</b>	
Surface tension	0.020 N/m (20 °C)
<b>methanol (67-56-1)</b>	
Surface tension	0.023 N/m (20 °C)

### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

### 12.6. Other adverse effects

Additional information : Avoid release to the environment

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### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

- Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.  
Additional information : Handle empty containers with care because residual vapors are flammable.  
Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment. Hazardous waste due to toxicity.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / RID / IMDG / IATA / ADN

#### 14.1. UN number

- UN-No. (ADR) : 1992  
UN-No.(IATA) : 1992

#### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

- Proper Shipping Name (ADR) : FLAMMABLE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S.  
Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : FLAMMABLE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S.  
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : FLAMMABLE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S.  
Proper Shipping Name (ADN) : FLAMMABLE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S.  
Transport document description (ADR) : UN 1992 FLAMMABLE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (methanol(67-56-1)), 3 (6.1), II, (D/E)

#### 14.3. Packing group

- Class (ADR) : 3  
Classification code (ADR) : FT1  
Class (IATA) : 3  
Class (IMDG) : 3  
Class (ADN) : 3  
Subsidiary risks (ADR) : 6.1  
Hazard labels (ADR) : 3, 6.1



- Hazard labels (IATA) : 3, 6.1



#### 14.4. Packing group

- Packing group (ADR) : II  
Packing group (IATA) : II

#### 14.5. Environmental hazards

- Other information : No supplementary information available.

#### 14.6. Special precautions for user

##### 14.6.1. Overland transport

- Hazard identification number (Kemler No.) : 336  
Classification code (ADR) : FT1  
Orange plates :



- Special provision (ADR) : 274  
Transport category (ADR) : 2  
Tunnel restriction code (ADR) : D/E  
Limited quantities (ADR) : 1I  
Excepted quantities (ADR) : E2

##### 14.6.2. Transport by sea

- No additional information available

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### 14.6.3. Air transport

CAO packing instructions (IATA)	: 364
CAO max net quantity (IATA)	: 60L
PCA packing instructions (IATA)	: 352
PCA Limited quantities (IATA)	: Y341
PCA limited quantity max net quantity (IATA)	: 1L
PCA max net quantity (IATA)	: 1L
PCA Excepted quantities (IATA)	: E2
ERG code (IATA)	: 3HP

### 14.6.4. Inland waterway transport

Carriage prohibited (ADN) : No

### 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

#### 15.1.1. EU-Regulations

Contains no substances with Annex XVII restrictions

Contains no REACH candidate substance

Contains no REACH Annex XIV substances.

#### 15.1.2. National regulations

No additional information available

### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

## SECTION 16: Other information

Data sources : REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 December 2008 on classification, labeling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.

Other information : None.

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