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## SECTION 1 - PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Company: AccuStandard, Inc.  
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Catalog Number: P-195S  
Product Name: Methidathion  
Synonyms: N/A  
Formula: N/A

Molecular Weight: N/A

## SECTION 2 - COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component(s)	( 1 )	CAS #	Appr. %	ACGIH-TLV (mg/m3)		OSHA-PEL (mg/m3)	
				TWA	STEL skin	TWA	STEL skin
Methidathion		950-37-8	0.01				
Methanol		67-56-1	99.99	262	328 x	260	

## SECTION 3 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Health and Environmental Hazards/Symptoms of Exposure:

Over exposure may cause dizziness, nausea, muscle weakness, narcosis and respiratory failure. After ingestion or inhalation, initial symptoms may be only that of mild intoxication, but may become severe after 12 or 18 hours. May cause eye, kidney, liver, and skin damage. May cause central nervous system damage. POISON: May be fatal or cause blindness if swallowed. Fetal development abnormalities and effects on embryo or fetus have been reported from prolonged exposure to methanol in laboratory tests involving pregnant rats.

HMIS® III	*	2	3	0	
NFPA		2	3	0	

### Potential Health Effects:

- Irritating to eyes.
- Irritating to skin.
- Toxic if absorbed through skin.
- Irritating to mucous membrane and upper respiratory system.
- Toxic if inhaled or swallowed.

### Routes of Entry:

Inhalation, ingestion or skin contact.

### Carcinogenicity:

Notification of carcinogenic ingredients in quantity less than 0.1% is not required under Federal Hazard Communication Law. Contains one or more components that are classified (ACGIH, IARC, NTP, OSHA) as a possible cancer hazard in quantities less than 0.1%.

## SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

### Emergency First Aid:

- Get medical assistance for all cases of overexposure.
- Skin contact: Immediately wash skin with soap and plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Wash clothing before reuse.
- Eye contact: Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove and contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers.

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Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Seek immediate medical attention.

Ingestion: Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

## **SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

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### **Flammable Properties:**

Flash Point: 52 °F (11 °C) (tcc)

Flammable Limits LEL (%): 6.7

Flammable Limits UEL (%): 36.5

Autoignition Temperature: 385 °C

Dangerous fire and explosive hazard.

Containers can build up pressure if exposed to heat.

Vapors can travel to a source of ignition and flash back.

During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion.

### **Extinguishing Media:**

Use alcohol foam, carbon dioxide, dry chemical, or water spray when fighting fires involving this material.

### **Fire Fighting Procedures:**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective

## **SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

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### **Spill Response:**

Wear suitable protective equipment listed under Exposure Controls / Personal Protection. Eliminate any ignition sources until the area is determined to be free from explosion or fire hazards. Contain the release and eliminate its source, if this can be done without risk. Dispose as hazardous waste. Comply with Federal, State and local regulations.

## **SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE**

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Store in a tightly closed container.

Store in a cool area away from ignition sources and oxidizers.

Avoid breathing vapors or mists.

Use with adequate ventilation.

Do not get in eyes, on skin or clothing.

Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

This product should only be used by persons trained in the safe handling of hazardous chemicals.

## **SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

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### **Engineering Controls and Personal Protection Equipment (PPE):**

Respiratory Protection: If workplace exposure limit(s) of product or any component is exceeded (see TLV/PEL), a NIOSH/MSHA approved air supplied respirator is advised in absence of proper environmental control. OSHA regulations also permit other NIOSH/MSHA respirators (negative pressure type) under specified conditions (see your safety equipment supplier). Engineering and/or administrative controls should be implemented to reduce exposure.

Material should be handled or transferred in an approved fume hood or with adequate ventilation.

(Chloroprene, natural rubber, nitrile, or equivalent)

Safety glasses with side shields must be worn at all times.

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### **General Hygiene Considerations:**

Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not take internally. Eye wash and safety equipment should be readily available.

## **SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

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Appearance: Clear liquid

Odor: N/A

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pH: N/A  
Vapor Pressure: 97 mmHg (20 °C)  
Vapor Density (Air = 1): 1.1 g/L  
Boiling Point: 65 °C  
Melting Point: -93.9 °C  
Solubility in Water (%): Very soluble  
Specific Gravity (H<sub>2</sub>O = 1): 0.791 g/cm<sup>3</sup>  
Flash Point: 52 °F (11 °C) (tcc)  
Explosion Limits (%): 6.7 to 36.5  
Autoignition Temperature: 385 °C  
Percent Volatile: 99.9+  
Evaporation Rate (BuAc = 1): 5.9  
Molecular Weight: N/A  
Molecular Formula: N/A

## **SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

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Stability: Stable

Conditions To Avoid: Heat; Contact with ignition sources

Materials To Avoid: Acids  
Oxidizers  
Alkali metals; Reducing agents

Hazardous Decomposition: Carbon oxides; Formaldehyde

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

## **SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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See section 3 for specific toxicological information for the ingredients of this product.

## **SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

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By complying with sections 6 and 7 there will be no release to the environment.

## **SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

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Recycle or incinerate at any EPA approved facility or dispose in compliance with Federal, State and local regulations. Empty containers must be triple-rinsed prior to disposal.

## **SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

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**DOT** UN Number: UN1230      Shipping Class: 3      Packing Group: II      **FLAMMABLE**

## **SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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In addition to Federal and state regulations, local regulations may apply. Check with your local regulatory authorities.

Not all components are listed on the TSCA Inventory. For research and development use only. Not for manufacturing or commercial purposes.

## **SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION**

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