



# Safety Data Sheet

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

### Identification of the substance or mixture

**Product code** LC6060  
**Product name** SimplyBlue™ SafeStain

### Company/undertaking identification

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301-431-8585  
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**Country specific Emergency Number (if available):**  
CHEMTREC Brazil (Rio De Janeiro) +(55)-2139581449 (português)

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## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### GHS - Classification

**Signal Word**  
WARNING

**Health hazards**  
Not Hazardous

### Physical hazards

GHS Physical Hazard 1	Flammable liquids
GHS Physical Hazard Category Number	Category 4

**Hazard Statements**  
H227 - Combustible liquid

### Precautionary Statements

**Prevention**  
P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking  
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

**Response**  
P370 + P378 - In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam for extinction

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**Storage**

P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place

**Disposal**

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Principle Routes of Exposure****Potential Health Effects**

**eyes** May cause eye irritation with susceptible persons.  
**Skin** May cause skin irritation in susceptible persons.  
**inhalation** May cause irritation of respiratory tract.  
**Ingestion** Ingestion may cause irritation to mucous membranes.

**Specific effects**

**Carcinogenic effects** None.  
**Mutagenic effects** None.  
**Reproductive toxicity** None.  
**Sensitization** None.

**Target Organ Effects** No known effects under normal use conditions.

**HMIS**

Health	1
Flammability	2
Reactivity	0

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Component	CAS-No	EINECS-No	Weight %
ethanol 64-17-5 ( 1-5 )	64-17-5	200-578-6	1-5

We recommend handling all chemicals with caution.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

**Skin contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water. If symptoms occur, obtain medical advice.  
**Eye contact** Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Consult a physician if necessary.  
**Ingestion** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If symptoms persist, call a physician. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.  
**inhalation** Remove to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

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**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

**Suitable extinguishing media** Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Foam. Dry chemical.

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**Special protective equipment for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

Not known

#### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

**Personal precautions**

ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). Use personal protection equipment.

**Methods for cleaning up**

Soak up with inert absorbent material. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. After cleaning, flush away traces with water.

#### Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

See Section 12 for more information.

#### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

**Handling**

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Always wear recommended Personal Protective Equipment.

**Storage**

Keep away from heat, sparks, flame and other sources of ignition (i.e., pilot lights, electric motors and static electricity). Do not store near combustible materials. Keep in properly labeled containers.

#### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### Exposure Limits

Chemical Name	OSHA PEL	OSHA PEL (Ceiling)	ACGIH OEL (TWA)	ACGIH OEL (STEL)
ethanol	1000 ppm 1900 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	None	None	1000 ppm

#### Engineering measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

#### Personal Protective Equipment

Personal Protective Equipment requirements are dependent on the user institution's risk assessment and are specific to the risk assessment for each laboratory where this material may be used.

**Respiratory protection**

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

**Hand protection**

Impervious butyl rubber gloves. Nitrile gloves are not recommended. Some brands of Nitrile gloves have breakthrough times of five minutes.

**Eye protection**

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Skin and Body Protection**

Lightweight protective clothing.

**Hygiene measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

#### Environmental exposure controls

Prevent product from entering drains.

#### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### General information

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<b>Form</b>	Liquid	
<b>Appearance</b>	No information available	
<b>Odor</b>	No data available	
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	No data available	
<b>Boiling point / boiling range</b>	°C No data available	°F No data available
<b>Melting point / melting range</b>	°C No data available	°F No data available
<b>flash point</b>	°C >60.0 - <93.0	°F 140.0 - 199.4
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	°C No data available	°F No data available
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	No data available	
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	No data available	
<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	No information available	
<b>Water solubility</b>	miscible	
<b>Upper explosion limit</b>	No data available	
<b>Lower explosion limit</b>	No data available	
<b>Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water</b>	No data available	
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	No data available	
<b>vapor density</b>	No data available	
<b>Viscosity</b>	No data available	
<b>pH value</b>	No data available	

#### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

<b>Stability</b>	Stable under normal conditions.
<b>Materials to avoid</b>	Strong acids. Strong oxidizing agents.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	Hazardous reaction has not been reported
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. Carbon oxides.
<b>polymerization</b>	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	None under normal processing.

#### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

##### Acute Toxicity

Chemical Name	LD50 (oral, rat/mouse)	LD50 (dermal, rat/rabbit)	LC50 (inhalation, rat/mouse)
ethanol	7060 mg/kg Oral LD50	No data available	64,000 ppm/4hr

##### Principle Routes of Exposure

##### Potential Health Effects

<b>eyes</b>	May cause eye irritation with susceptible persons.
<b>Skin</b>	May cause skin irritation in susceptible persons.
<b>inhalation</b>	May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Ingestion may cause irritation to mucous membranes.
<b>Carcinogenic effects</b>	None.

**Mutagenic effects**                None.  
**Reproductive toxicity**        None.  
**Sensitization**                    None.

**SECTION 12: Ecological information**

**Ecotoxicity**                        The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.  
**Mobility**                            see log Pow.  
**Biodegradation**                No information available.  
**Bioaccumulation**                No information available.

Chemical Name	Freshwater Algae Data	Water Flea Data	Freshwater Fish Species Data	Microtox Data	log Pow
ethanol		Daphnia magna EC50=10800 mg/L (24 h) Daphnia magna EC50=2 mg/L (48 h) Daphnia magna LC509268 - 14221 mg/L (48 h)			logPow-0.32

**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulations.

**SECTION 14: Transport information**

**IATA**  
**Proper Shipping Name**        No dangerous good in sense of these transport regulations  
**Hazard Class**                    None  
**Subsidiary class**                None  
**Packing group**                  None  
**UN-No**                                none  
**Environmental hazards**        None

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

Component	US TSCA
ethanol 64-17-5 ( 1-5 )	Listed

### US Federal Regulations

#### **SARA 313**

This product contains the following toxic chemical(s) subject to the notification requirements of section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986. This law requires certain manufacturers to report on annual emissions of specified chemicals and chemical categories. Please note that if you repackaging, or otherwise redistribute, this product to industrial customers, a notice similar to this one should be sent to those customers:.

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No</u>	<u>Weight %</u>	<u>SARA 313 - Threshold Values</u>
ethanol	64-17-5	1-5	

#### **Clean Air Act, Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) (see 40 CFR 61)**

This product does not contains HAPs.

### US State Regulations

#### **California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals.

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No</u>	<u>Weight %</u>	<u>Category</u>
ethanol	64-17-5	1-5	Carcinogen Developmental

#### **WHMIS Hazard Class**

B3 - Combustible liquid



This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

## SECTION 16: Other information

**Reason for revision**                      SDS sections updated.

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