





# Material Safety Data Sheet 3-Methyl-3-Pentanol MSDS

# **Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification**

Product Name: 3-Methyl-3-Pentanol

Catalog Codes: SLM4267

CAS#: 77-74-7

RTECS: SA7450000

TSCA: TSCA 8(b) inventory: 3-Methyl-3-Pentanol

CI#: Not available.

Composition:

**Synonym:** Diethyl Methyl Carbinol; Methyldiethylcarbinol;

Tert-Isohexyl alcohol

Chemical Name: 3-Methyl-3-Pentanol

Chemical Formula: C6-H14-O

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# Section 2: Composition and Information on Ingredients

Name	CAS#	% by Weight
{3-}Methyl-3-Pentanol	77-74-7	100

Toxicological Data on Ingredients: 3-Methyl-3-Pentanol: ORAL (LD50): Acute: 710 mg/kg [Rat].

#### **Section 3: Hazards Identification**

**Potential Acute Health Effects:** Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant, permeator), of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation.

#### **Potential Chronic Health Effects:**

CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Not available. Repeated or prolonged exposure is not known to aggravate medical condition.

#### **Section 4: First Aid Measures**

#### **Eye Contact:**

Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.

Skin Contact: Wash with soap and water. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Get medical attention if irritation develops.

Serious Skin Contact: Not available.

#### Inhalation:

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

#### Serious Inhalation:

Evacuate the victim to a safe area as soon as possible. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Seek medical attention.

#### Ingestion:

Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If large quantities of this material are swallowed, call a physician immediately. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband.

Serious Ingestion: Not available.

# **Section 5: Fire and Explosion Data**

Flammability of the Product: Flammable.

Auto-Ignition Temperature: Not available.

Flash Points: CLOSED CUP: 24°C (75.2°F).

Flammable Limits: Not available.

**Products of Combustion:** These products are carbon oxides (CO, CO2).

#### Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:

Highly flammable in presence of open flames and sparks, of heat. Non-flammable in presence of shocks.

# **Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:**

Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: Not available. Risks of explosion of the product in presence of static discharge: Not available.

#### **Fire Fighting Media and Instructions:**

Flammable liquid. SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder. LARGE FIRE: Use alcohol foam, water spray or fog. Cool containing vessels with water jet in order to prevent pressure build-up, autoignition or explosion.

Special Remarks on Fire Hazards: Not available.

**Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards:** Not available.

#### Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Small Spill: Absorb with an inert material and put the spilled material in an appropriate waste disposal.

#### Large Spill:

Flammable liquid. Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Stop leak if without risk. Absorb with DRY earth, sand or other non-combustible material. Do not touch spilled material. Prevent entry into sewers, basements or confined areas; dike if needed.

## **Section 7: Handling and Storage**

#### **Precautions:**

Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Ground all equipment containing material. Do not ingest. Do not breathe gas/fumes/ vapor/spray. Wear suitable protective clothing. If ingested, seek medical advice immediately and show the container or the label. Keep away from incompatibles such as oxidizing agents, acids.

#### Storage:

Store in a segregated and approved area. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Avoid all possible sources of ignition (spark or flame).

# **Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

#### **Engineering Controls:**

Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors below their respective threshold limit value. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are proximal to the work-station location.

Personal Protection: Safety glasses. Lab coat.

#### Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill:

Splash goggles. Full suit. Boots. Gloves. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.

Exposure Limits: Not available.

# **Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

Physical state and appearance: Liquid.

Odor: Not available.

Taste: Not available.

Molecular Weight: 102.18 g/mole

Color: Clear. light yellow.

pH (1% soln/water): Not available. Boiling Point: 123°C (253.4°F)

Melting Point: -38°C (-36.4°F)

**Critical Temperature:** Not available. **Specific Gravity:** 0.828 (Water = 1)

Vapor Pressure: Not available.

Vapor Density: Not available.

Volatility: Not available.

Odor Threshold: Not available.

Water/Oil Dist. Coeff.: Not available. Ionicity (in Water): Not available.

**Dispersion Properties:** Not available.

**Solubility:** Not available.

#### **Section 10: Stability and Reactivity Data**

Stability: The product is stable.

**Instability Temperature:** Not available.

Conditions of Instability: Heat, ignition sources, incompatible materials

**Incompatibility with various substances:** Reactive with oxidizing agents, acids.

Corrosivity: Not available.

Special Remarks on Reactivity: Incompatible acids, acid chlorides, acid anhydrides, oxidizing agents.

Special Remarks on Corrosivity: Not available.

Polymerization: Will not occur.

#### **Section 11: Toxicological Information**

Routes of Entry: Absorbed through skin. Eye contact. Ingestion.

Toxicity to Animals: Acute oral toxicity (LD50): 710 mg/kg [Rat].

Chronic Effects on Humans: Not available.

Other Toxic Effects on Humans: Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant, permeator), of ingestion, of inhalation.

**Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals:** 

Lowest Published Lethal Dose: LDL [Mouse] - Route: Oral; Dose: 750 mg/kg

Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans: Not available.

#### **Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans:**

Acute Potential Health Effects: Skin: May cause skin irritation. Eyes: May cause eye irritation. Inhalation: May cause respiratory tract irritation. Ingestion: May cause gastrointestinal tract irritation. The toxicological effects of this product have not been fully investigated.

# **Section 12: Ecological Information**

**Ecotoxicity:** Not available.

BOD5 and COD: Not available.

#### **Products of Biodegradation:**

Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.

Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation: The products of degradation are less toxic than the product itself.

Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation: Not available.

#### **Section 13: Disposal Considerations**

#### **Waste Disposal:**

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local environmental control regulations.

#### **Section 14: Transport Information**

**DOT Classification:** CLASS 3: Flammable liquid.

Identification: : Alcohols, n.o.s (3-Metyyl-3-Pentanol) UNNA: 1987 PG: III

**Special Provisions for Transport:** Not available.

# **Section 15: Other Regulatory Information**

Federal and State Regulations: TSCA 8(b) inventory: 3-Methyl-3-Pentanol

#### Other Regulations:

OSHA: Hazardous by definition of Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). EINECS: This product is on the European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances.

#### Other Classifications:

WHMIS (Canada): CLASS B-2: Flammable liquid with a flash point lower than 37.8°C (100°F).

#### DSCL (EEC):

R10- Flammable. S16- Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. S24/25- Avoid contact with skin and eyes. S36/37/39- Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

#### HMIS (U.S.A.):

Health Hazard: 1 Fire Hazard: 3

Reactivity: 0

Personal Protection: a

#### National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.):

Health: 1

Flammability: 3
Reactivity: 0
Specific hazard:

#### **Protective Equipment:**

Not applicable. Lab coat. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Safety glasses.

#### **Section 16: Other Information**

References: Not available.

Other Special Considerations: Not available.

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