

# Part of Thermo Fisher Scientific

# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name Methyl Isobutyl Ketone

Cat No. M213-1; M213-4; M213-20; M213-200

Synonyms Hexone; Isobutyl methyl ketone; Isopropylacetone; 4-Methyl-2-pentanone (Certified ACS)

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals

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Fair Lawn, NJ 07410 CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA: 001-

Tel: (201) 796-7100 703-527-3887

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### DANGER!

### **Emergency Overview**

Flammable liquid and vapor. May form explosive peroxides. Harmful by inhalation. Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin. May cause central nervous system effects. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking. Aspiration hazard if swallowed - can enter lungs and cause damage.

Appearance Clear Physical State Liquid odor sweet

Target Organs Central nervous system (CNS), Eyes, Respiratory system, Skin, Kidney, Liver, Heart, spleen,

Blood

**Potential Health Effects** 

**Acute Effects** 

**Principle Routes of Exposure** 

Eyes Irritating to eyes.

Skin Irritating to skin. May be harmful in contact with skin. Repeated exposure may cause skin

dryness or cracking.

Inhalation Harmful by inhalation. Irritating to respiratory system. Inhalation may cause central nervous

system effects.

**Ingestion** Aspiration hazard. May be harmful if swallowed. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation,

nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

Chronic Effects Tumorigenic effects have been reported in experimental animals.. Experiments have shown

reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals. May cause adverse liver effects. May cause

adverse kidney effects. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

See Section 11 for additional Toxicological information.

**Aggravated Medical Conditions**Central nervous system disorders. Preexisting eye disorders. Kidney disorders. Liver disorders.

Skin disorders.

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Haz/Non-haz

Component	CAS-No	Weight %
Methylisobutyl ketone	108-10-1	> 98.5

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Eye Contact** Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain

medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Do not use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation

if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; induce artificial respiration with a respiratory

medical device. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point 14°C / 57.2°F

**Method** No information available.

Autoignition Temperature 448°C / 838.4°F

**Explosion Limits** 

 Upper
 8.0% @ 93°C

 Lower
 1.2% @ 93°C

Suitable Extinguishing Media CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol-resistant foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media Water may be ineffective

Hazardous Combustion Products

No information available.

Sensitivity to mechanical impactNo information available.Sensitivity to static dischargeNo information available.

# **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Flammable. Risk of ignition. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back. Containers may explode when heated. May form explosive peroxides.

### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

**NFPA** Health 2 Flammability 3 Physical hazards N/A Instability 1

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions** Use personal protective equipment. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary

measures against static discharges. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

**Environmental Precautions** Should not be released into the environment.

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Methods for Containment and Clean Remove all sources of ignition. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Use explosion-proof equipment. Keep away from open Handling

flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. If peroxide formation is suspected, do not open or move

container.

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat **Storage** 

and sources of ignition. Flammables area. May form explosive peroxides. Containers should be dated when opened and tested periodically for the presence of peroxides. Should crystals form in a peroxidizable liquid, peroxidation may have occurred and the product should be

considered extremely dangerous. In this instance, the container should only be opened

remotely by professionals.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Engineering Measures** Use only under a chemical fume hood. Use explosion-proof

electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are

close to the workstation location.

#### **Exposure Guidelines**

Component	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Methylisobutyl ketone	TWA: 20 ppm	(Vacated) TWA: 50 ppm	IDLH: 500 ppm
	STEL: 75 ppm	(Vacated) TWA: 205 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 50 ppm
		(Vacated) STEL: 75 ppm	TWA: 205 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
		(Vacated) STEL: 300 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL: 75 ppm
		TWA: 100 ppm	STEL: 300 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
		TWA: 410 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	

Component	Quebec	Mexico OEL (TWA)	Ontario TWAEV
Methylisobutyl ketone	TWA: 50 ppm	TWA: 50 ppm	TWA: 50 ppm
	TWA: 205 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 205 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL: 75 ppm
	STEL: 75 ppm	STEL: 75 ppm	
	STEL: 307 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL: 307 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	

NIOSH IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

# **Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye/face Protection** 

Skin and body protection **Respiratory Protection** 

Wear appropriate protective eveglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits

are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Physical State** Liquid **Appearance** Clear odor sweet

**Odor Threshold** No information available. No information available.

19.9 mmHg @ 25 °C **Vapor Pressure** Vapor Density (Air = 1.0)

**Viscosity** No information available. **Boiling Point/Range** 117°C / 242.6°F@ 760 mmHg

Melting Point/Range -84°C / -119.2°F

Decomposition temperature No information available. **Flash Point** 14°C / 57.2°F

**Evaporation Rate** 1.6 (Butyl Acetate = 1.0) 0.80

**Specific Gravity** 

Solubility Soluble in water log Pow No data available

Molecular Weight 100.16 Molecular Formula C6H12O

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

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Stability Unstable if heated. May form explosive peroxides.

Conditions to Avoid Incompatible products. Heat, flames and sparks.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizing agents, Strong reducing agents, Strong bases

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon monoxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), peroxides

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur

Hazardous Reactions . May form explosive peroxides..

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Acute Toxicity**

**Component Information** 

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation (Dust)
Methylisobutyl ketone	2080 mg/kg (Rat)	16000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	8.2 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

Irritation Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

**Toxicologically Synergistic** 

**Products** 

No information available.

## **Chronic Toxicity**

**Carcinogenicity** The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA	Mexico
Methylisobutyl ketone	A3	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

Sensitization No information available.

Mutagenic Effects No information available.

**Reproductive Effects** Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals.

**Developmental Effects** Developmental effects have occurred in experimental animals.

**Teratogenicity** Teratogenic effects have occurred in experimental animals..

Other Adverse Effects Tumorigenic effects have been reported in experimental animals.. See actual entry in RTECS

for complete information.

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** No information available

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# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## **Ecotoxicity**

. Do not empty into drains.

Component	Freshwater Algae	Freshwater Fish	Microtox	Water Flea
Methylisobutyl ketone	EC50: 400 mg/L/96h	496-514 mg/L LC50 96 h	EC50 = 79.6 mg/L 5 min	EC50: 4280.0 mg/L/24h EC50: 170 mg/L/48h EC50: 4280.0 mg/L/24h

Persistence and Degradability No information available

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation No information available

Mobility .

Component	log Pow
Methylisobutyl ketone	1.19

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Methods Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a

hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national

hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification

Component	RCRA - U Series Wastes	RCRA - P Series Wastes
Methylisobutyl ketone - 108-10-1	U161	-

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

UN-No UN1245

Proper Shipping Name METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE

Hazard Class 3 Packing Group II

**TDG** 

UN-No UN1245

Proper Shipping Name METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE

Hazard Class 3
Packing Group

<u>IATA</u>

**UN-No** UN1245

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# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

# IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN1245

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Packing Group II

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### International Inventories

Component	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	<b>EINECS</b>	<b>ELINCS</b>	NLP	PICCS	<b>ENCS</b>	AICS	CHINA	KECL
Methylisobutyl ketone	Χ	Χ	-	203-550-	-		Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ
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#### Legend:

- X Listed
- E Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
- F Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
- N Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
- P Indicates a commenced PMN substance
- R Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.
- S Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
- T Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
- XU Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B).
- Y1 Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
- Y2 Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

# **U.S. Federal Regulations**

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

### **SARA 313**

Component	CAS-No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Methylisobutyl ketone	108-10-1	> 98.5	1.0

# SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

Acute Health Hazard Yes
Chronic Health Hazard Yes
Fire Hazard Yes
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard No
Reactive Hazard Yes

#### Clean Water Act

Not applicable

#### Clean Air Act

Component	HAPS Data	Class 1 Ozone Depletors	Class 2 Ozone Depletors
Methylisobutyl ketone	X		-

#### **OSHA**

Not applicable

#### CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

Component	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA EHS RQs
Methylisobutyl ketone	5000 lb	-

## **California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

### State Right-to-Know

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Methylisobutyl ketone	X	X	Χ	Χ	X

# **U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Y
DOT Marine Pollutant N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

# **U.S. Department of Homeland Security**

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

# **Other International Regulations**

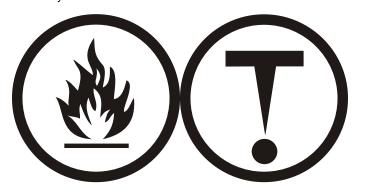
Mexico - Grade Serious risk, Grade 3

# Canada

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.

# **WHMIS Hazard Class**

B2 Flammable liquid D2A Very toxic materials



# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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**End of MSDS**