

Safety data sheet as per Commission Regulation (EU) 2015/830

Product: Methyl isobutyl carbinol



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

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name	Methyl isobutyl carbinol (MIBC)
Chemical Name	4-methylpentan-2-ol
CAS Number	108-11-2
EC Number	203-551-7

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

Relevant identified uses	Manufacture of substances (lube oil additives and antiwear and corrosion inhibitors; As a flotation frother; Formulations in surface coatings).
Uses identified against	Not for use other than those specified

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet:

Manufacturer	Prasol Chemicals Pvt. Ltd., Prasol House, Plot No.A-17/2/3, T.T.C. Indl. Area, Khairne M.I.D.C., Navi Mumbai - 400 710. Maharashtra, India.
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1.4 Emergency telephone number

Telephone	+91-22- 27782555
Language	English

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)

Flammable Liquid	Category 3	H226	Flammable liquid and vapor
Eye Irritation	Category 2	H319	Causes serious eye irritation
Specific Target Organ Toxicity	Category 3	H335	May cause respiratory irritation.

Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment: No further information

2.2 Label elements

Labeling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)

Hazard pictograms



GHS02

GHS07

Signal word

Warning

Hazard statements

H226	Flammable liquid and vapor
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H335	May cause respiratory irritation

Precautionary statements

General	P103	Read label before use.
Prevention	P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
	P233	Keep container tightly closed
	P240	Ground and bond container and receiving equipment
	P241	Use explosion - proof [electrical/ventilating/lighting/...] equipment
	P242	Use non-sparking tools
	P243	Take action to prevent static discharge
	P261	Avoid breathing fume/gas/mist/ vapours/spray
	P264	Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
	P271	Use only outdoors or in a well -ventilated area
	P280	Use protective gloves and eye protection.
Response	P303+P361+P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water.
	P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breath
	P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

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	P312	Call a doctor if you feel unwell.
	P337+P331	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice.
	P370+P378	In case of fire: Use CO ₂ , dry powder, foam or water spray to extinguish.
Storage	P403+P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
	P403+P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
	P405	Store locked up.
Disposal	P501	Dispose of contents and container in accordance with national regulations

2.3 Other hazards

Not a PBT, vPVB substance according to the criteria of REACH regulation

◆ SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

Ingredient	CAS No.	EC No.	Concentration (%)
Methyl isobutyl carbinol (MIBC)	108-11-2	203-551-7	99 min
Additional information:			
Molecular Formula	C ₆ H ₁₄ O		
Molecular Weight	102.17		

◆ SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General information	Take off all contaminated clothing immediately.
After inhalation	If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If unconscious, evaluate the need for artificial respiration. Get immediate medical attention
After skin contact	Wash off with plenty of water immediately, seek medical advice if necessary.
After eye contact	Rinse with plenty of water immediately and seek medical advice.
After swallowing	Do not induce vomiting and seek medical advice immediately.
4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	Can cause central nervous system depression, Symptoms and signs include headache, dizziness, fatigue, muscular weakness, drowsiness and in extreme cases, loss of consciousness. Blood disorders, Dermatitis, Blurred vision
4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed	Treat symptomatically and supportively.

◆ SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media	
Suitable extinguishing media	CO ₂ , dry powder, foam or water spray
Unsuitable extinguishing media	water jet
5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture	Flammable. Explosive mixtures with air may even form at room temperature. Beware of re-ignition Vapours form potentially explosive mixtures with air. Heavier than air, they proceed at floor level and may back-flash over great distances when ignited. Ignition by hot surfaces, sparks and open flames. May form toxic carbon oxides if case of fire.
5.3 Advice for firefighters	Do not expose to high temperature. Danger of bursting and explosion. Use fine water spray to cool endangered containers. Move undamaged containers from immediate hazard area. Do not allow fire water to penetrate into surface or ground water. Fire residuals and contaminated extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with the regulations of the local authorities.

◆ SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Remove persons not involved upwind. Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing. Solvent-resistant protective clothing recommended.
6.2 Environmental precautions	Plug leak if safely possible. Do not allow to enter drains, surface waters, basements or pits.



6.3	Methods and material for containment and cleaning up	When released into the environment, alert police and fire brigade. In case of spills of large quantities: Dam spills and pump to remove. Explosion protection required. Absorb leftover product with non-flammable liquid-binding material (e.g. earth, sand, vermiculite or ground sand stone) and place in closed containers for disposal.
6.4	Reference to other sections	Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment. Section 13 for disposal information

◆ **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

7.1	Precautions for safe handling	Provide adequate ventilation, and local exhaust as needed. Provide room air exhaust at ground level. Concentrated vapours are heavier than air. Avoid the formation of aerosol. Do not breathe vapours. Use only explosion-protected equipment/instruments. Do not use air pressure..
7.2	Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities	Keep away from sources of ignition. - No smoking. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Beware of re-ignition. Potentially explosive mixture may form within partially empty containers. Emergency cooling must be provided for in case of a fire in the vicinity. Do not weld.
	Advice on protection against fire and explosion	Keep container dry. Keep container tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place. Protect from direct sunlight. Incompatible products: Acid catalysts (sulphuric acid, hydrochloric acid, oxalic acid), Iodine, Bases, Acetic anhydride, Hydrogen peroxide (concentrated solutions) Packaging material: Recommended: Stainless steel, Iron To be avoided: Plastic materials
	Storage	Observe prohibition against storing together! 2 Flammable liquids
	Advice on common storage	Stable under recommended storage conditions
	Storage class	
	Storage stability	
7.3	Specific end use(s)	Solvent

◆ **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

8.1	Control parameters	Occupational Exposure Limit 25 ppm, 100 mg/m ³ TWA
8.2	Exposure controls	
	Appropriate engineering controls	Explosion protection required. Provide good ventilation and/or an exhaust system in the work area.
	Personal protective equipment	
	Eye/ face protection	closed goggles, face shield
	Skin protection	
	Hand protection	Butyl-rubber 0.5 mm > 480 min
	Body protection	Use solvent-resistant protective clothing. Flame-retardant antistatic protective clothing; safety shoes
	Respiratory protection	Respiratory equipment with suitable filter or a self-contained respiratory apparatus.
	Thermal hazards	Flammable liquid; do not expose to heat
	Industrial hygiene	Do not inhale vapours / aerosols. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Remove immediately all contaminated clothing. Use disposable clothing if appropriate. Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area.

◆ **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

9.1	Information on basic physical and chemical properties	
	Appearance	Colourless liquid
	Odour	mild alcohol-like
	Odour threshold	1.1ppm
	pH	not determined (does not liberate H ions when dissolved)
	Melting point	-90°C
	Boiling point	131-133°C
	Flash point	41°C (Closed cup)
	Evaporation rate	0.28 (nBuAc=1)
	Flammability (solid, gas)	flammable



Flammability limits	Lower 1.0Vol % Upper 5.5Vol %
Vapour pressure	0.42kPa at 20°C
Vapour density	3.5 (air =1)
Relative density	0.806-0.809 at 20°C
Solubility in water	1.6% at 20°C
Partition coefficient	1.68 log Kow (n-octanol/water) at 20°C
Ignition temperature	305°C
Decomposition temperature	no data available
Viscosity at 20 °C	5.2mPa.s
Explosive properties	No explosive properties. Formation of explosive air/ vapour mixtures is possible
Oxidizing properties	no oxidizing properties
9.2 Other information	
Heat of combustion	36500kJ/kg
Heat of vaporization	413 kJ/kg

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- ◆ **10.1 Reactivity** Vapours form potentially explosive mixtures with air. Heavier than air, they proceed at floor level and may back-flash over great distances when ignited. May become electrostatically charged.
- 10.2 Chemical stability** Under storage at normal ambient temperatures (-40°C to +40°C), the product is stable.
- 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No known hazardous reactions if used as directed
- 10.4 Conditions to avoid** Flammable. Concentrated vapours are heavier than air. Forms explosive mixtures with air, also in empty, uncleaned containers.
- 10.5 Incompatible materials** Strong oxidizing agents, strong acids
- 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products** Thermal decomposition products- carbon oxides, organic vapours

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- ◆ **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
 - Acute toxicity**
 - LD50 oral rat 2950 mg/kg bw not classified
 - LC0 inhalation 3h, rat >16000 mg/l not classified
 - LD50 Dermal rabbit >3870 ml/kg bw not classified
 - Skin irritation** can cause moderate skin irritation
 - Serious eye irritation** irritating category 2 (rabbit)
 - Respiratory or skin sensitization** No sensitizing effects known
 - Germ cell mutagenicity** non mutagenic (Ames test)
 - Carcinogenicity** no indications for a carcinogenic potential
 - Reproductive toxicity** no adverse effect on reproduction (rat)
 - STOT-single exposure** Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation. - Lungs
 - STOT-repeated exposure** NOAEC 3698ppm, 8 weeks for rats (inhalation)
 - Aspiration hazard** no data available

SECTION 12: Ecological information

- ◆ **12.1 Toxicity**
 - Aquatic toxicity**
 - Toxicity to fish LC50 96h 92.4mg/L *Pimephales promelas*
 - Toxicity to aquatic invertebrates EC50 48h 337mg/L *Daphnia magna*
 - Toxicity to aquatic algae and cyanobacteria ErC50 96h 334 mg/L *Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata*
 - Toxicity to microorganisms EC50 3h >100mg sewage, domestic
- 12.2 Persistence and degradability**
 - Biodegradation** readily biodegradable (85% in 28days)
- 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**
 - Bioconcentration factor 0.5
 - very low potential for bioaccumulation

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12.4	Mobility in soil	log K _{oc} <3; very low potential for geoaccumulation
12.5	Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	Not a PBT, vPvB substance according to the REACH regulation
12.6	Other adverse effects	No further information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1	Waste treatment methods	Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Do not dispose in sewage.
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◆ SECTION 14: Transport information

	ADR/RID	IMDG	ICAO/IATA	
14.1	UN Number	2053	2053	2053
14.2	UN proper shipping name	METHYL ISOBUTYL CARBINOL		
14.3	Transport hazard class	3	3	3
14.4	Packaging group	III	III	III
14.5	Environmental hazards	not environmentally hazardous, not a marine pollutant		
14.6	Special precautions for the user	Flammable liquid; Flash point 41°C (closed cup)		
14.7	Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	See regulatory information for transport approval		

◆ SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1	Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture	
	Major accident hazard	Seveso III P5a (Flammable Liquids)
	International Chemical Inventory Status	
	USA (TSCA)	listed
	Canada (DSL)	listed
	Australia (AICS)	listed
	Japan (MITI)	listed
	Korea (KECL)	listed
	Philippines (PICCS)	listed
	China	listed
	New Zealand	listed
	Taiwan	listed
15.2	Chemical safety assessment	A Chemical Safety Assessment will be carried out at the time of REACH registration

◆ SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

Further information:

Sections in which changes have been made since the last version are marked with a diamond ◆ in the left hand margin.

Abbreviations and acronyms in English language:

ADN	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
AICS	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances
CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
CLP	Classification for Labeling and Packaging
DSL	Domestic Substances List
EC	European Commission
EC50	Half maximal effective concentration
EINECS	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
GHS	Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IBC	International Bulk Chemical
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organization
IMDG	International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
KECL	Korea Existing Chemicals List

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KOC	Soil adsorption coefficient
KOW	Partition Coefficient octanol-water
LC50	Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50	Lethal dose, 50 percent
MARPOL	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships
MITI	Ministry of International Trade and Industry
NOAEC	No Observed Adverse Effect Concentration
NOAEL	No Observed Adverse Effect Level
PBT	Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic substances
PICCS	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
RID	Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail
STOT	Specific target organ toxicity
TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
UN	United Nations
vPVB	(very) Persistent, (very) Bioaccumulative

Sources

Commission Regulation (EU) 2015/830 of 28 May 2015 amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH)

ECHA	https://echa.europa.eu/registration-dossier/-/registered-dossier/16189/1
Chemid	https://chem.nlm.nih.gov/chemidplus/rn/108-11-2
HSDB	https://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov/cgi-bin/sis/search/a?dbs+hsdb:@term+@DOCNO+148
CDC	https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/npg/npgd0422.html
