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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1. Product identifier

Product Description:	3-Methyl-1-butanol
Cat No. :	126480000; 126480010; 126480025; 126480250; 126485000
Synonyms	Isoamyl alcohol; Isopentyl alcohol
CAS No	123-51-3
EC No	204-633-5
Molecular Formula	C5 H12 O

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

Recommended Use	Laboratory chemicals
Sector of use	SU3 - Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations a
Product category	PC21 - Laboratory chemicals
Process categories	PROC15 - Use as a laboratory reagent
Environmental release category	ERC6a - Industrial use resulting in manufacture of another substance
Uses advised against	No Information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company

UK entity/business name

Fisher Scientific UK
Bishop Meadow Road,
Loughborough, Leicestershire LE11 5RG, United Kingdom

EU entity/business name

Thermo Fisher Scientific
Janssen Pharmaceuticaan 3a, 2440 Geel, Belgium

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

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Emergency Number **US**:001-201-796-7100 / **Europe**: +32 14 57 52 99
CHEMTREC Tel. No. **US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-38

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

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Health hazards

Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Vapors
Skin Corrosion/Irritation
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation
Specific target organ toxicity - (single exposure)

Category 4 (H332)
Category 2 (H315)
Category 1 (H318)
Category 3 (H335)

Environmental hazards

Chronic aquatic toxicity

Category 3 (H412)

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

2.2. Label elements



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard Statements

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor
H332 - Harmful if inhaled
H315 - Causes skin irritation
H318 - Causes serious eye damage
H335 - May cause respiratory irritation
H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects
EUH066 - Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking

Precautionary Statements

P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking
P303 + P361 + P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water continuously
P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing
P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if easy to do. Continue rinsing
P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

2.3. Other hazards

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3.1. Substances

Component	CAS No	EC No	Weight %	GHS Classification GB-CLP Regulation UK SI
Isoamyl alcohol	123-51-3	EEC No. 204-633-5	<=100	Flam L Acute T Skin Irr Eye Irr STOT S Aquatic Ch (EU

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General Advice	If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Eye Contact	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention.
Skin Contact	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation occurs, call a physician.
Ingestion	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
Self-Protection of the First Aider	Use personal protective equipment as required.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None reasonably foreseeable. Causes severe eye damage. Symptoms may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically. Symptoms may be delayed.

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1. Extinguishing media

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Flammable. Risk of ignition. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may travel to source of ignition. Containers may explode when heated. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

Hazardous Combustion Products

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

5.3. Advice for firefighters

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

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Take measures against static discharges.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Should not be released into the environment. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Use only non-sparking tools and equipment. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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

Technical Rules for Hazardous Substances (TRGS) 510
Storage Class (LGK) (Germany)

Class 3

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8.1. Control parameters

Exposure limits

List source(s): **UK** - EH40/2005 Work Exposure Limits, Fourth edition. Published 2020. **IRE** - 2021 Code of Practice for the Control of Chemical Agents Regulations, Schedule 1. Published by the Health and Safety Authority

Component	The United Kingdom	European Union	
Isoamyl alcohol	STEL: 125 ppm 15 min STEL: 458 mg/m ³ 15 min TWA: 100 ppm 8 hr TWA: 366 mg/m ³ 8 hr		T ST S

Biological limit values

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the relevant regulatory bodies

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) / Derived Minimum Effect Level (DMEL)

See table for values

Component	Acute effects local (Inhalation)	Acute effects systemic (Inhalation)	Chronic effects local (Inhalation)	sy
Isoamyl alcohol 123-51-3 (≤100)	DNEL = 292mg/m ³		DNEL = 73.16mg/m ³	

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

See values below.

Component	Fresh water	Fresh water sediment	Water Intermittent	Microorganisms in sewage treatment
Isoamyl alcohol 123-51-3 (≤100)	PNEC = 0.12mg/L	PNEC = 0.496mg/kg sediment dw	PNEC = 1.2mg/L	PNEC = 37mg/L

Component	Marine water	Marine water sediment	Marine water intermittent	Food chain
Isoamyl alcohol 123-51-3 (≤100)	PNEC = 0.012mg/L	PNEC = 0.0496mg/kg sediment dw		

8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering Measures

Use only under a chemical fume hood. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment. Ensure that fire extinguishers and safety showers are close to the workstation location. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of automation, equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be considered.

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Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	EU standard	Glove co
Nitrile rubber Viton (R)	See manufacturers recommendations	-	EN 374	(minimum re

Skin and body protection Long sleeved clothing.

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatibility, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Respiratory Protection When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they should use appropriate certified respirators. To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct type and maintained properly

Large scale/emergency use Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if concentrations are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced
Recommended Filter type: Organic gases and vapours filter Type A EN14387

Small scale/Laboratory use Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149:2001 approved respirator if concentrations are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.
Recommended half mask:- Valve filtering: EN405; or; Half mask: EN141
When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

Environmental exposure controls Prevent product from entering drains.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State	Liquid	
Appearance	Clear	
Odor	Characteristic	
Odor Threshold	No data available	
Melting Point/Range	-117 °C / -178.6 °F	
Softening Point	No data available	
Boiling Point/Range	130 - 132 °C / 266 - 269.6 °F	760 mm HG
Flammability (liquid)	Flammable	On basis of test data
Flammability (solid,gas)	Not applicable	Liquid
Explosion Limits	Lower 1.0 Vol%	
	Upper 8 Vol%	
Flash Point	45 °C / 113 °F	Method - No information available
Autoignition Temperature	365 - °C / 689 - °F	
Decomposition Temperature	335 °C	
pH	6.5	25 g/l aq.sol
Viscosity	4.3 mPa s at 20 °C	

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Vapor Density 3.04 (Air = 1.0) (Air = 1.0)
Particle characteristics Not applicable (liquid)

9.2. Other information

Molecular Formula C5 H12 O
Molecular Weight 88.15
Explosive Properties explosive air/vapour mixtures possible

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1. Reactivity

None known, based on information available

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Hazardous Reactions None under normal processing.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Incompatible products. Excess heat. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces of ignition.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents. Metals. Alkali metals. Halogens. Acids. Acid chlorides. Isocyanates.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO₂).

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Product Information

(a) acute toxicity;

Oral

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Dermal

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Inhalation

Category 4

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50
Isoamyl alcohol	LD50 = 5770 mg/kg (Rat)	LD50 = 3250 mg/kg (Rabbit)	LC50 > 2

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| Skin | Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met |
| (e) germ cell mutagenicity; | Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met |
| (f) carcinogenicity; | Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product. |
| (g) reproductive toxicity; | Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met |
| (h) STOT-single exposure; | Category 3 |
| Results / Target organs | Respiratory system. |
| (i) STOT-repeated exposure; | Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met |
| Target Organs | None known. |
| (j) aspiration hazard; | Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met |
| Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed | Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea. |

11.2. Information on other hazards

Endocrine Disrupting Properties Assess endocrine disrupting properties for human health. This product contains no known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1. Toxicity
Ecotoxicity effects

This product contains the following substance(s) which are hazardous to the environment. Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. The product contains following substances which are hazardous to the environment.

Component	Freshwater Fish	Water Flea	Freshwater Invertebrates
Isoamyl alcohol	LC50 96 h 700 mg/L (rainbow trout)	EC50: = 260 mg/L, 48h (Daphnia magna)	EC50 = 260 mg/L, 48h (Desmognathus desmognathi) EC50 = 260 mg/L, 48h (Desmognathus desmognathi)

Component	Microtox	M-Factor
Isoamyl alcohol	EC50 = 2500 mg/L 17 h	

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Isoamyl alcohol	1.35	No data av
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12.4. Mobility in soil

The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems . Will environment due to its water solubility. Highly mobile in soils

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Substance is not considered persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) and very bioaccumulative (vPvB).

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

Endocrine Disruptor Information

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

12.7. Other adverse effects

Persistent Organic Pollutant

Ozone Depletion Potential

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

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SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from Residues/Unused Products

Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the EWC on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated Packaging

Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point. Do not retain product residue, (liquid and/or vapor), and can be dangerous. Keep empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

European Waste Catalogue (EWC)

According to the European Waste Catalog, Waste Codes are not provided application specific.

Other Information

Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application and use was used. Do not flush to sewer. Can be landfilled or incinerated, when local regulations. Do not empty into drains. Do not let this chemical enter the environment.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IMDG/IMO

14.1. UN number

UN1105

14.2. UN proper shipping name

PENTANOLS

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

3

14.4. Packing group

III

ADR

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14.1. UN number	UN1105
14.2. UN proper shipping name	PENTANOLS
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	3
14.4. Packing group	III
14.5. Environmental hazards	No hazards identified
14.6. Special precautions for user	No special precautions required.
14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments	Not applicable, packaged goods

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

International Inventories

Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), China (IECSC), Taiwan (TCSI), Korea (KECL), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Canada (DSL/AICS), New Zealand (NZIoC), Philippines (PICCS). US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

Component	CAS No	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	IECSC	TCSI	KECL
Isoamyl alcohol	123-51-3	204-633-5	-	-	X	X	KE-23575

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	DSL	NDSL	AICS
Isoamyl alcohol	123-51-3	X	ACTIVE	X	-	X

Legend: X - Listed '-' - Not Listed **KECL** - NIER number or KE number (<http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do>)

Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH Not applicable

Component	CAS No	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVIII - Substances of Very High Concern
Isoamyl alcohol	123-51-3	-	-	-

Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC)

Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Minor Accident Notification
Isoamyl alcohol	123-51-3	Not applicable	Not applicable

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)
Isoamyl alcohol	123-51-3	Listed	Not applicable

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Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to work .

National Regulations

UK - Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment

WGK Classification

See table for values

Component	Germany - Water Classification (AwSV)	Germany - TA-Luft
Isoamyl alcohol	WGK1	

Component	France - INRS (Tables of occupational diseases)
Isoamyl alcohol	Tableaux des maladies professionnelles (TMP) - RG 84

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has not been conducted

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3

H332 - Harmful if inhaled

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H318 - Causes serious eye damage

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

EUH066 - Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor

Legend

CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

IECSC - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Inventory

DSL/NDL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Canadian Domestic Substances List

ENCS - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

DNEL - Derived No Effect Level

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

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Dangerous Goods Code

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

BCF - Bioconcentration factor

VOC - (Volatile Organic Compound)

Key literature references and sources for data

<https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals>

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

Training Advice

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

Fire prevention and fighting, identifying hazards and risks, static electricity, explosive atmospheres posed by vapours.

Chemical incident response training.

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SDS sections updated.

This safety data sheet complies with Regulation UK SI 2019/758 and UK SI 2023/1234 amended.

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