

FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC.

Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)

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SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Amyl Acetate

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SECTION 2 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Amyl acetate

Synonyms: pentyl acetate, banana oil

CAS#: 628-63-7

SECTION 3 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Clear, colorless liquid. Banana-like odor.

Irritant; harmful if inhaled. Avoid skin or eye contact.

Flammable liquid. Dangerous fire risk.

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Health-0

Flammability-3

Reactivity-1

Exposure-1

Storage-3

0 is low hazard, 3 is high hazard

SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES

Call a physician and seek medical attention for further treatment, observation, and support after first aid.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air at once. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration immediately.

Eye or External: Immediately flush with fresh water for at least 15 minutes.

Internal: Induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control at once.

SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Class 1C flammable liquid.

Flash point: 25 °C Flammable limits: Lower: 1.1% Upper: 7.5% Autoignition Temperature: 360 °C

Fire Fighting Instructions: Use a triclass, dry chemical fire extinguisher. Firefighters should wear PPE and SCBA with full facepiece operated in positive pressure mode.

NFPA CODE

H-1

F-3

R-0

SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Restrict unprotected personnel from the area. Remove all ignition sources and ventilate area. Absorb with sand or vermiculite and place in a sealed and suitable container. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Organic #4. Store with ethers, ketones, halogenated hydrocarbons, and ethylene oxide.

Store in a dedicated flammables cabinet. If a flammables cabinet is not available, store in Flinn Saf-Stor can.

Store in a cool, dry place. Use and dispense in a hood.

SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wear chemical splash goggles, chemical-resistant gloves, and chemical-resistant apron. Use ventilation to keep airborne concentrations below exposure limits. Always wear a NIOSH-approved respirator with proper cartridges or a positive-pressure, air-supplied respirator when handling this material in emergency situations (spill or fire).

Exposure guidelines: PEL 100 ppm (OSHA)

SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Clear, colorless liquid with a banana-like odor.

Solubility: Water soluble (1.6%).

Formula: $\text{CH}_3\text{CO}_2(\text{CH}_2)_4\text{CH}_3$

Formula weight: 130.21

Boiling point: 148 °C

Specific gravity: 0.88

Vapor density: 4.5

Vapor pressure: 4 mm

SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Avoid contact with strong oxidizers and bases.

Shelf life: Good, if stored properly.

SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute effects: Irritant.

Chronic effects: N.A.

Target organs: Central nervous system.

ORL-RAT LD_{50} : 6500 mg/kg

IHL-RAT LC_{50} : N.A.

SKN-RBT LD_{50} : N.A.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Data not yet available.

SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply, before proceeding.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #18b is one option.

SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Shipping name: Amyl acetates

Hazard class: 3, Flammable Liquid

UN number: UN1104

N/A = Not applicable

SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA-listed, EINECS-listed (211-047-3), RCRA code D001.

SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION

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