

**n-Amyl Alcohol**  
**CAS No 71-41-0**

**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**  
**SDS/MSDS**

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

**1.1 Product identifiers**

Product name : **n-Amyl Alcohol**

CAS-No. : 71-41-0

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Industrial & for professional use only.

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Company : **Pioneers for Chemicals**  
**(PIOCHEM)**  
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**1.4 Emergency telephone number**

Emergency Phone # : +20 1225728304 (9:00am - 6:00 pm) [Office hours]

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

**2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**

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

Flammable liquids (Category 3), H226

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332

Skin irritation (Category 2), H315

Eye irritation (Category 2), H319

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system, H335

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

**2.2 Label elements**

**Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Pictogram



Signal word

Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H226

H315

Flammable liquid and vapour.

Causes skin irritation.

H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H332	Harmful if inhaled.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
Precautionary statement(s)	
P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P261	Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.
P280	Wear eye protection/ face protection.
P304 + P340 + P312	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.
P337 + P313	
P403 + P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
Supplemental Hazard Statements	none

### 2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.  
Lachrymator.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms : n-Amyl alcohol  
Pentyl alcohol

Formula : C<sub>5</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O  
Molecular weight : 88.15 g/mol  
CAS-No. : 71-41-0  
EC-No. : 200-752-1  
Index-No. : 603-200-00-1

#### Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Component		Classification	Concentration
<b>Pentan-1-ol</b>			
CAS-No.	71-41-0	Flam. Liq. 3; Acute Tox. 4;	<= 100 %
EC-No.	200-752-1	Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2; STOT	
Index-No.	603-200-00-1	SE 3; H226, H332, H315, H319, H335	

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

#### If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

#### **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

#### **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No data available

### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### **5.1 Extinguishing media**

##### **Suitable extinguishing media**

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

#### **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Carbon oxides

#### **5.3 Advice for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

#### **5.4 Further information**

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

#### **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas. For personal protection see section 8.

#### **6.2 Environmental precautions**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

#### **6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

#### **6.4 Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

### **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

#### **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge. For precautions see section 2.2.

#### **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Storage class (TRGS 510): Flammable liquids

#### **7.3 Specific end use(s)**

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

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

#### **8.1 Control parameters**

#### **8.2 Exposure controls**

##### **Appropriate engineering controls**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

## Personal protective equipment

### Eye/face protection

Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

### Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

### Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to enginee protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

### Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance	Form: liquid Colour: colourless
b) Odour	characteristic
c) Odour Threshold	No data available
d) pH	7
e) Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: -78 °C - lit.
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	136 - 138 °C - lit.
g) Flash point	49 °C - closed cup
h) Evaporation rate	No data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Upper explosion limit: 10 %(V) Lower explosion limit: 1.2 %(V)
k) Vapour pressure	1.5 mmHg at 20 °C
l) Vapour density	3.04 - (Air = 1.0)
m) Relative density	0.814 – 0.815 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 25 °C
n) Water solubility	No data available
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: 1.51
p) Auto-ignition temperature	300 °C
q) Decomposition temperature	No data available
r) Viscosity	No data available

s) Explosive properties      No data available

t) Oxidizing properties      No data available

## **9.2 Other safety information**

Relative vapour density      3.04 - (Air = 1.0)

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### **10.1 Reactivity**

No data available

### **10.2 Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**

No data available

### **10.4 Conditions to avoid**

Heat, flames and sparks.

### **10.5 Incompatible materials**

Strong oxidizing agents, Alkali metals, Strong acids, Halides, Aldehydes

### **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**

#### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - 3,645 mg/kg(Pentan-1-ol)  
(OECD Test Guideline 401)

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - male - 2,292 mg/kg(Pentan-1-ol)  
(OECD Test Guideline 402)

#### **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Skin - Rabbit(Pentan-1-ol)

Result: Skin irritation - 24 h

#### **Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Eyes - In vitro study(Pentan-1-ol)

Result: Irritating to eyes.

#### **Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

Did not cause sensitisation on laboratory animals.(Pentan-1-ol)

#### **Germ cell mutagenicity**

Ames test(Pentan-1-ol)

Salmonella typhimurium

Result: negative

#### **Carcinogenicity**

IARC:      No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

#### **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available(Pentan-1-ol)

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available(Pentan-1-ol)

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

**Aspiration hazard**

No data available(Pentan-1-ol)

**Additional Information**

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Oral - No observed adverse effect level - 1,000 mg/kg(Pentan-1-ol)  
RTECS: SB9800000

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.(Pentan-1-ol)

Liver - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence(Pentan-1-ol)

**SECTION 12: Ecological information****12.1 Toxicity**

Toxicity to fish                      static test LC50 - Danio rerio (zebra fish) - 530 mg/l - 96 h(Pentan-1-ol)

Toxicity to daphnia and       static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 341.21 mg/l - 48 h(Pentan-1-  
other aquatic                      ol)  
invertebrates

**12.2 Persistence and degradability**

Biodegradability                      aerobic - Exposure time 28 d(Pentan-1-ol)  
Result: 80 - 90 % - Readily biodegradable

**12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

**12.4 Mobility in soil**

No data available(Pentan-1-ol)

**12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

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**12.6 Other adverse effects**

No data available

**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations****13.1 Waste treatment methods****Product**

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber b highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: 1105

IMDG: 1105

IATA: 1105

### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: PENTANOLS

IMDG: PENTANOLS

IATA: Pentanols

### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: 3

IMDG: 3

IATA: 3

### 14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: III

IMDG: III

IATA: III

### 14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: no

IMDG Marine pollutant: no

IATA: no

### 14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

## SECTION 16: Other information

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

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### Further information

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. See [www.piochem.com](http://www.piochem.com) for additional terms and conditions of sale.