

SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1 - COMPANY AND PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT

Product Name: SODIUM BENZOATE
Control Number: 00331
Product Description: Benzoic Acid Salt

COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Supplier: Chemical Distribution Solutions
1125 Oak St. Ste. 3030
Conway, AR 72032

24 Hour Emergency Telephone: (800) 424-9300 CHEMTREC
General Information: (501) 978-1111

SECTION 2- HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS Classification:

[Health]

[Environmental]

[Physical]

Eye irritation Category 2A

GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictograms



Signal Word: Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statement(s)

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.

SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CHEMICAL NAME	CAS Number	%WT
Sodium Benzoate	532-32-1	100

SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

FIRST AID PROCEDURES:

Eyes: Flush with large amounts of cool running water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention.

Skin: Flush affected area water. Wash skin with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Inhalation: For excessive inhalation remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Seek medical attention.

Ingestion: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Seek medical attention.

SECTION 5 · FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing media: Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Hazardous combustion products: Oxides of carbon and various hydrocarbons

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

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Material a crystalline powder and is not considered a fire or explosion hazard.

SECTION 6 · ACCIDENTAL RELEASE and DISPOSAL MEASURES

Spills: Evacuate all non-essential personnel from the spill area. Suitable protective clothing should be worn. Avoid breathing dust. Sweep or shovel up material and collect into suitable container.

Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

SECTION 7 · STORAGE AND HANDLING

Handling: Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. Do not breathe dust. Keep container closed and tightly sealed when not in use. Use good hygiene practices.

Storage: Store in a cool, dry, ventilated area, away from incompatible substances. Store only in approved properly labeled containers.

SECTION 8 · EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Controls: Provide explosion-proof ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapor or mists below the applicable workplace exposure limits indicated below.

Exposure Limits: Sodium Benzoate Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

Eyes: Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133.

Skin: If prolonged or repeated skin contact is likely, wear appropriate protective gloves.

Clothing: Selection of protective clothing depends on work conditions, potential exposure conditions and may include gloves, boots, suits and other protective items.

Respirators: Where adequate ventilation is not available an approved respirator must be worn. Respirator selection, use and maintenance should be in accordance with the requirements of OSHA Respiratory Protection Standard, 29 CFR 1920.134. In confined areas, use a self-contained breathing apparatus.

Other Equipment: Eye wash station and shower in close proximity to use are advised.

SECTION 9 · PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Flash Point: No available data

Autoignition Temperature: > 212 °F

Boiling Point: No available data

Melting Point/Freezing Point: 527 °F

Vapor Pressure: No available data

Vapor Density (Air-1): No available data

Odor/Appearance: White powder with no appreciable odor.

Flammability Limits: No available data

Relative Density: No available data

Volatile %: No available data

Evaporation Rate (Water=1): No available data

pH: ~ 8

Solubility in Water: No available data

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SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal use and temperature conditions.

Conditions to Avoid: Keep away from incompatibles and moisture.

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

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Signs and Symptoms of Overexposure:

Skin: May irritate the skin. Prolonged or repeated contact may cause dermatitis.

Eyes: Causes moderate eye irritation. Symptoms of redness and/or pain.

Inhalation: Dust may be irritating to the respiratory tract. May cause coughing and sneezing.

Ingestion: Causes irritation of the mouth and throat. Presumed to be only slightly toxic based on animal studies

Acute oral toxicity:

Sodium Benzoate: LD50 rat: > 2,100 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity:

Sodium Benzoate: LD50 rat: No available data

Acute dermal toxicity:

Sodium Benzoate: LD50 rabbit: No available data

SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Aquatic Toxicity: Toxicity to fish LC50 - No available data

Bio-accumulative potential: No available data

Mobility: No evidence of product mobility.

SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. US EPA guidelines for the classification determination are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261.3. Additionally, waste generators must consult state and local hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

SECTION 14 - TRANSPORTATION

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (Road or Rail):

Proper Shipping Name: Not a DOT Regulated Material

Hazard Class:

UN Number:

Packaging Group:

SECTION 15 · REGULATORY INFORMATION

US FEDERAL REGULATIONS

Comprehensive Environmental Response and Liability Act (CERCLA)

This material is not subject to any special reporting under the requirements of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA).

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302. The reportable quantity (RQ) for this material has not been established.

Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA): All components of this product are listed on the TSCA inventory list.

SARA Section 311/312 (40 CFR 370) Hazard Categories:

Acute Health Hazard

SARA Section 313 (40 CFR 372) Hazard Categories: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

Clean Water Act: None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Hazardous Substances under the CWA.

Clean Air Act: None of the chemicals in this product are listed as Hazardous Substances under the CAA.

California Prop 65: This product contains no chemicals known by the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

SECTION 16 · OTHER INFORMATION

SDS Revision Date: September 2015

National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Ratings: This information is intended solely for the use of individuals trained in the NFPA system.

Health: 2

Flammability: 1

Reactivity: 0

The data in this Safety Data Sheet relates to the specific material designated and does not relate to its use in combination with any other material or process. The data contained is believed to be correct. However, since conditions of use are outside our control it should not be taken as warranty or representation for which Chemical Distribution Solutions assumes legal responsibility. This information is provided solely for your consideration, investigation, and verification.