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Benzoyl Peroxide

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the supplier

Product name: Benzoyl Peroxide

Manufacturer/Supplier Trade name:

Manufacturer/Supplier Article number: S25672

Recommended uses of the product and restrictions on use:

Manufacturer Details:

AquaPhoenix Scientific, Inc
9 Barnhart Drive, Hanover, PA 17331
(717) 632-1291

Supplier Details:

Fisher Science Education
6771 Silver Crest Road, Nazareth, PA 18064
(724)517-1954

Emergency telephone number:

Fisher Science Education
Emergency Telephone No.: 800-535-5053

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

Classification of the substance or mixture:



Explosive

Organic peroxides, type B



Flammable

Organic peroxides, type B



Irritant

Eye irritation, category 2A
Skin sensitization, category 1

Organic peroxides Type B.

Eye Irrit. 2A.

Skin Sens. 1.

Signal word: Danger

Hazard statements:

Heating may cause a fire or explosion.

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements:

If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

Read label before use.

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.

Keep/Store away from clothing/combustible materials.

Keep only in original container.

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

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Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with soap and water.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing.

Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label).

If skin irritation or a rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

If eye irritation persists get medical advice/attention.

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

In case of fire: Use agents recommended in section 5 for extinction.

Protect from sunlight.

Store away from other materials.

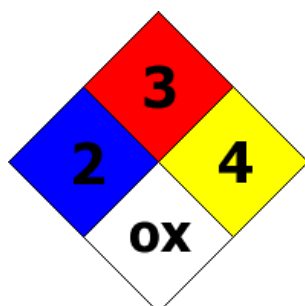
Dispose of contents and container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Other Non-GHS Classification:

WHMIS



NFPA/HMIS



NFPA SCALE (0-4)

Health	2
Flammability	3
Physical Hazard	4
Personal Protection	X

HMIS RATINGS (0-4)

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Ingredients:

CAS 94-36-0

Benzoyl Peroxide

100 %

Percentages are by weight

SECTION 4: First aid measures

Description of first aid measures

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After inhalation:

Move exposed to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if necessary. If breathing is difficult give oxygen. Loosen clothing and place exposed in a comfortable position. Seek medical assistance if cough or other symptoms appear.

After skin contact:

Wash hands and exposed skin with soap and plenty of water. Seek medical attention if irritation persists or if concerned.

After eye contact:

Protect unexposed eye. Flush exposed eye gently using water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses while rinsing. Seek medical attention if irritation persists or concerned.

After swallowing:

Rinse mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Seek medical attention if irritation, discomfort, or vomiting persists.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

Irritation. Shortness of breath. Headache. Nausea. Dizziness.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:

If seeking medical attention provide SDS document to physician. Physician should treat symptomatically. Move out of dangerous area.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents:

Use water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or chemical foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing agents:

Do NOT use halogenated agents or foam.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Oxidizer. Contact with combustible materials may cause a fire. Dry residue is explosive. Will burn if involved in a fire. This material poses an explosion hazard when exposed to heat, friction or when agitated. Explosion hazard if exposed to mechanical shock.

Advice for firefighters:

Protective equipment:

Wear protective eyewear, gloves, and clothing. Refer to Section 8.

Additional information (precautions):

Avoid inhaling gases, fumes, dust, mist, vapor, and aerosols. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Explosion hazard if exposed to mechanical shock.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:

Ensure adequate ventilation. Ensure that air-handling systems are operational. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Environmental precautions:

Should not be released into environment. Prevent from reaching drains, sewer, or waterway.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

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Wear protective eyewear, gloves, and clothing. Refer to Section 8. Avoid dust generation. Remove all sources of ignition. Always obey local regulations. If necessary use trained response staff or contractor. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Containerize for disposal. Refer to Section 13. Keep in suitable closed containers for disposal. Keep combustibles away from spill area. Sweep up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment.

Reference to other sections: None

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling:

Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Follow good hygiene procedures when handling chemical materials. Refer to Section 8. Follow proper disposal methods. Refer to Section 13. Do not eat, drink, smoke, or use personal products when handling chemical substances. Use under a chemical fume hood.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:

Store in a cool location. Keep away from food and beverages. Protect from freezing and physical damage. Provide ventilation for containers. Keep container tightly sealed. Store away from incompatible materials. Keep in temperatures below 40C. Store away from combustibles. Material can explode if dry.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection



Control Parameters:

94-36-0, Benzoyl Peroxide, ACGIH TLV TWA 5 mg/m³.
94-36-0, Benzoyl Peroxide, OSHA PEL TWA 5 mg/m³.

Appropriate Engineering controls:

Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of use or handling. Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapor and mists below the applicable workplace exposure limits (Occupational Exposure Limits-OELs) indicated above.

Respiratory protection:

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. When necessary use NIOSH approved breathing equipment. Use under a chemical fume hood.

Protection of skin:

Select glove material impermeable and resistant to the substance. Select glove material based on rates of diffusion and degradation. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Use proper glove removal technique without touching outer surface. Avoid skin contact with used gloves. Wear protective clothing.

Eye protection:

Wear equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Safety glasses or goggles are appropriate eye protection.

General hygienic measures:

Perform routine housekeeping. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Before reworking wash contaminated clothing.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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Appearance (physical state, color):	White powder	Explosion limit lower:	Not Determined
		Explosion limit upper:	Not Determined
Odor:	Weak odor	Vapor pressure at 20°C:	Not Determined
Odor threshold:	Not Determined	Vapor density:	Not Determined
pH-value:	Not Determined	Relative density:	Not Determined
Melting/Freezing point:	104-106C	Solubilities:	Slightly in water.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Not Determined	Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not Determined
Flash point (closed cup):	Not Determined	Auto/Self-ignition temperature:	Not Determined
Evaporation rate:	Not Determined	Decomposition temperature:	Not Determined
Flammability (solid, gaseous):	Not Determined	Viscosity:	a. Kinematic: Not Determined b. Dynamic: Not Determined
Density at 20°C:	Not Determined		

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity:

Nonreactive under normal conditions.

Chemical stability:

Organic peroxides may undergo hazardous decomposition.

Possible hazardous reactions:

None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid:

Incompatible materials. Mechanical shock, ignition sources, excess heat, combustible materials, organic matter, excess temperatures.

Incompatible materials:

Strong oxidizing agents. Alcohols. metals.

Hazardous decomposition products:

Carbon oxides.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Acute Toxicity:

Oral:

LD50 Rat: 7,710 mg/kg

Chronic Toxicity: No additional information.

Corrosion Irritation:

Ocular:

Rabbit: Mild Eye Irritation - 24 - h

Sensitization: No additional information.

Numerical Measures: No additional information.

Carcinogenicity: No additional information.

Mutagenicity:

Not mutagenic in AMES Test.

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Reproductive Toxicity: No additional information.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

Ecotoxicity: No additional information.

Persistence and degradability:

Expected to be biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential:

Not Determined.

Mobility in soil:

Not Determined.

Other adverse effects:

None identified.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

Waste disposal recommendations:

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dispose of empty containers as unused product. Product or containers must not be disposed together with household garbage. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to properly characterize all waste materials according to applicable regulatory entities (US 40CFR262.11). Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations. Ensure complete and accurate classification.

SECTION 14: Transport information

US DOT

UN Number:

ADR, ADN, DOT, IMDG, IATA

3104

Limited Quantity Exception:

None

Bulk:

RQ (if applicable): None

Proper shipping Name: Organic peroxide type B, solid (Benzoyl peroxide).

Hazard Class: 5

Packing Group: II.

Marine Pollutant (if applicable): No additional information.

Comments: None

Non Bulk:

RQ (if applicable): None

Proper shipping Name: Organic peroxide type B, solid (Benzoyl peroxide).

Hazard Class: 5

Packing Group: II.

Marine Pollutant (if applicable): No additional information.

Comments: None



SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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United States (USA)

SARA Section 311/312 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

Reactive, Acute

SARA Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

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RCRA (hazardous waste code):

None of the ingredients are listed.

TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):

All ingredients are listed.

CERCLA (Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act):

None of the ingredients are listed.

Proposition 65 (California):

Chemicals known to cause cancer:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Canada

Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL):

All ingredients are listed.

Canadian NPRI Ingredient Disclosure list (limit 0.1%):

None of the ingredients are listed.

Canadian NPRI Ingredient Disclosure list (limit 1%):

94-36-0 Benzoyl peroxide.

SECTION 16: Other information

This product has been classified in accordance with hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations. Note. The responsibility to provide a safe workplace remains with the user. The user should consider the health hazards and safety information contained herein as a guide and should take those precautions required in an individual operation to instruct employees and develop work practice procedures for a safe work environment. The information contained herein is, to the best of our knowledge and belief, accurate. However, since the conditions of handling and use are beyond our control, we make no guarantee of results, and assume no liability for damages incurred by the use of this material. It is the responsibility of the user to comply with all applicable laws and regulations applicable to this material.

GHS Full Text Phrases: None

Abbreviations and Acronyms: None

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