SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. Identification

Product Name Benzoic acid

Cat No. : A63-500; A65-500; A68-30

Synonyms Benzenecarboxylic acid; Benzenemethanoic acid; Phenylcarboxylic acid; Phenylformic acid; Benzenefumaric acid; Carboxybenzene

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against No Information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Fisher Scientific
One Reagent Lane
Fair Lawn, NJ 07410
Tel: (201) 796-7100

Emergency Telephone Number
CHEMTREC®, Inside the USA: 800-424-9300
CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA: 001-703-527-3887

2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification
This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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<tr>
<th>Skin Corrosion/irritation</th>
<th>Category 2</th>
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<tr>
<td>Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation</td>
<td>Category 1</td>
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<td>Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure)</td>
<td>Category 1</td>
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<td>Target Organs - Lungs.</td>
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Label Elements

Signal Word Danger

Hazard Statements
Causes skin irritation
Causes serious eye damage
Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure
Precautionary Statements
Prevention
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
Response
Get medical attention/advice if you feel unwell
Skin
IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention
Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse
Eyes
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
Disposal
Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant
Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)
May form combustible dust concentrations in air

3. Composition / information on ingredients

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<tr>
<th>Component</th>
<th>CAS-No</th>
<th>Weight %</th>
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<td>Benzoic acid</td>
<td>65-85-0</td>
<td>&gt;95</td>
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4. First-aid measures

Eye Contact       Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.
                  Immediate medical attention is required.
Skin Contact      Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.
Inhalation        Remove from exposure, lie down. Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Obtain medical attention.
Ingestion         Do not induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention.
Most important symptoms/effects Causes eye burns. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause allergic reactions with susceptible persons.
Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO₂). Dry chemical. chemical foam.
Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available
Flash Point Method -
Flash Point 121 °C / 249.8 °F
No information available
Autoignition Temperature Not applicable 570 °C / 1058 °F
Explosion Limits
Upper No data available
Lower No data available
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available
Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available
Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical
Dust can form an explosive mixture in air.

Hazardous Combustion Products
Carbon monoxide (CO) Carbon dioxide (CO₂)

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

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<th>NFPA</th>
<th>Health</th>
<th>Flammability</th>
<th>Instability</th>
<th>Physical hazards</th>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>3</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions
Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Environmental Precautions
See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

Methods for Containment and Clean Up
Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

7. Handling and storage

Handling
Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Do not breathe dust.

Storage
Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines
This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Engineering Measures
Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye/face Protection
Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

Skin and body protection
Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Respiratory Protection
Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

Hygiene Measures
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. Physical and chemical properties

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<tr>
<th>Property</th>
<th>Value</th>
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<tr>
<td>Physical State</td>
<td>Solid</td>
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<tr>
<td>Appearance</td>
<td>Off-white</td>
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<tr>
<td>Odor</td>
<td>aromatic</td>
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<td>Odor Threshold</td>
<td>No information available</td>
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<td>pH</td>
<td>2.5-3.5 / 2.9 g/l water</td>
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<tr>
<td>Melting Point/Range</td>
<td>121 - 123 °C / 249.8 - 253.4 °F</td>
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<td>Boiling Point/Range</td>
<td>249 °C / 480.2 °F @ 760 mmHg</td>
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<td>Flash Point</td>
<td>121 °C / 249.8 °F</td>
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10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard
None known, based on information available

Stability
Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid
Incompatible products. Avoid dust formation.

Incompatible Materials
Strong acids, Strong bases, Strong oxidizing agents, Strong reducing agents, Metals

Hazardous Decomposition Products
Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂)

Hazardous Polymerization
Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Hazardous Reactions
Aqueous solution, May react with metals and lead to the formation of flammable hydrogen gas.

11. Toxicological information

Acute Toxicity

Product Information

Component Information

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<th>Component</th>
<th>LD50 Oral</th>
<th>LD50 Dermal</th>
<th>LC50 Inhalation</th>
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<tr>
<td>Benzoic acid</td>
<td>1700 mg/kg ( Rat )</td>
<td>Not listed</td>
<td>26 mg/m³ ( Rat ) 1 h</td>
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<td>2565 mg/kg ( Rat )</td>
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Toxicologically Synergistic Products
No information available

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Irritation
Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

Sensitization
No information available

Carcinogenicity
The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

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<th>Component</th>
<th>CAS-No</th>
<th>IARC</th>
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Mutagenic Effects
Not mutagenic in AMES Test

Reproductive Effects
No information available.

Developmental Effects
No information available.

Teratogenicity
No information available.
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STOT - single exposure  None known
STOT - repeated exposure  Lungs

Aspiration hazard  No information available

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed  No information available

Endocrine Disruptor Information  No information available

Other Adverse Effects  The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated. See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

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<tr>
<th>Component</th>
<th>Freshwater Algae</th>
<th>Freshwater Fish</th>
<th>Microtox</th>
<th>Water Flea</th>
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<td>Benzoic acid</td>
<td>5 mg/L EC50 = 3 h</td>
<td>180 mg/L LC50 96 h</td>
<td>EC50 = 16.85 mg/L 30 min</td>
<td>300 mg/L EC50 = 24 h 860 mg/L EC50 = 48 h</td>
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Persistence and Degradability  Soluble in water. Persistence is unlikely based on information available.

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation  No information available.

Mobility  Is not likely mobile in the environment due to its low water solubility. Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

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13. Disposal considerations

Waste Disposal Methods  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 to ensure complete and accurate classification.

14. Transport information

DOT  Not regulated
TDG  Not regulated
IATA  Not regulated
IMDG/IMO  Not regulated

15. Regulatory information

International Inventories

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<tr>
<th>Component</th>
<th>TSCA</th>
<th>DSL</th>
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Legend:
X - Listed
E - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
F - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
N - Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
P - Indicates a commenced PMN substance
R - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.
S - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
T - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
XU - Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B)).
Y1 - Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
Y2 - Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.
U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable
SARA 313 Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization
- Acute Health Hazard: Yes
- Chronic Health Hazard: Yes
- Fire Hazard: No
- Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard: No
- Reactive Hazard: No

Clean Water Act

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<th>CWA - Hazardous Substances</th>
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Clean Air Act Not applicable

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration Not applicable

CERCLA This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

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California Proposition 65 This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

State Right-to-Know

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<th>Component</th>
<th>Massachusetts</th>
<th>New Jersey</th>
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U.S. Department of Transportation

- Reportable Quantity (RQ): N
- DOT Marine Pollutant: N
- DOT Severe Marine Pollutant: N

U.S. Department of Homeland Security
This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade No information available

Canada This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR

WHMIS Hazard Class
- E Corrosive material
- D2A Very toxic materials
16. Other information

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