



SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to the (US) Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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Version 2.1

SECTION 1. Identification

Product identifier

Product number	843983
Product name	Benzethonium chloride for synthesis
CAS-No.	121-54-0

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

Identified uses	Chemical for synthesis
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Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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SECTION 2. Hazards identification

GHS Classification

Acute toxicity, Category 3, Oral, H301
Skin corrosion, Category 1B, H314
Serious eye damage, Category 1, H318

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

GHS-Labeling

Hazard pictograms



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard Statements

H301 Toxic if swallowed.
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Precautionary Statements

P260 Do not breathe dust or mist.

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

P301 + P310 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/ Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.

P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

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

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

P321 Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label).

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Other hazards

None known.

SECTION 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Formula

$C_{27}H_{42}ClNO_2$ (Hill)

Molar mass

448.08 g/mol

Hazardous ingredients

Chemical Name (Concentration)

CAS-No.

benzethonium chloride (>= 90 % - <= 100 %)

121-54-0

Exact percentages are being withheld as a trade secret.

SECTION 4. First aid measures

Description of first-aid measures

General advice

First aider needs to protect himself.

Inhalation

After inhalation: fresh air. Call in physician.

Skin contact

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. Call a physician immediately.

Eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Immediately call in ophthalmologist.

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Ingestion

If swallowed: give water to drink (two glasses at most). Seek medical advice immediately. In exceptional cases only, if medical care is not available within one hour, induce vomiting (only in persons who are wide awake and fully conscious), administer activated charcoal (20 - 40 g in a 10% slurry) and consult a doctor as quickly as possible. Do not attempt to neutralize.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Irritation and corrosion, Cough, Shortness of breath, Cyanosis, Convulsions, Coma
Risk of blindness!

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No information available.

SECTION 5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Water, Foam, Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Dry powder

Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Combustible.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapors possible in the event of fire.

Fire may cause evolution of:

Hydrogen chloride gas, nitrogen oxides

Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

Further information

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapors/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

SECTION 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

Advice for emergency responders:

Protective equipment see section 8.

Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

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Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up carefully. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

SECTION 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Observe label precautions.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Tightly closed. Dry. Keep in a well-ventilated place. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorized persons.

Store at +15°C to +25°C (+59°F to +77°F).

SECTION 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Exposure limit(s)

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Engineering measures

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment.

Individual protection measures

Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be inquired at the respective supplier.

Hygiene measures

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply skin- protective barrier cream. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

Eye/face protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles

Hand protection

Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.

Other protective equipment:

protective clothing

Respiratory protection

required when dusts are generated.

Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.

SECTION 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state

solid

Color

white

Odor

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Odor Threshold	Not applicable
pH	5 - 6.5 at 10 g/l
Melting point	160 - 166 °C
Boiling point	No information available.
Flash point	No information available.
Evaporation rate	No information available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available.
Lower explosion limit	No information available.
Upper explosion limit	No information available.
Vapor pressure	< 0.001 hPa at 77 °F (25 °C) Method: OECD Test Guideline 104
Relative vapor density	No information available.
Density	No information available.
Relative density	No information available.
Water solubility	at 68 °F (20 °C) soluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: 1.08 (20 °C) OECD Test Guideline 107 (External MSDS)
	Bioaccumulation is not expected.
Autoignition temperature	No information available.
Decomposition temperature	324 - 327 °F (162 - 164 °C)
Viscosity, dynamic	No information available.
Explosive properties	Not classified as explosive.
Oxidizing properties	none
Ignition temperature	ca. 716 °F (380 °C)

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Bulk density

ca.440 kg/m³

SECTION 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

The following applies in general to flammable organic substances and mixtures: in correspondingly fine distribution, when whirled up a dust explosion potential may generally be assumed.

Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reactions possible with:

Strong oxidizing agents

Conditions to avoid

Strong heating (decomposition).

Incompatible materials

no information available

Hazardous decomposition products

in the event of fire: See section 5.

SECTION 11. Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Likely route of exposure

Eye contact, Skin contact, Ingestion

Acute oral toxicity

LD50 Rat: 295 mg/kg

OECD Test Guideline 401

absorption

Symptoms: If ingested, severe burns of the mouth and throat, as well as a danger of perforation of the esophagus and the stomach.

Acute inhalation toxicity

Symptoms: mucosal irritations, Cough, Shortness of breath, Possible damages:., damage of respiratory tract

Corrosive to respiratory system.

Skin irritation

Rabbit

Result: Causes burns.

(External MSDS)

Causes burns.

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Eye irritation

Risk of blindness!
Causes serious eye damage.

Sensitization

Sensitization test (Magnusson and Kligman):
Result: negative
Method: OECD Test Guideline 406

Genotoxicity in vitro

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test):
Result: negative
Method: OECD Test Guideline 476

Ames test

Result: negative
Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): chromosome aberration.

Result: negative
Method: OECD Test Guideline 473

Specific target organ systemic toxicity - single exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.

Specific target organ systemic toxicity - repeated exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard

Regarding the available data the classification criteria are not fulfilled.

Carcinogenicity

IARC	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
OSHA	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.
NTP	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
ACGIH	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

Further information

After absorption:
Systemic effects:
Cyanosis, Convulsions, Coma
Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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SECTION 12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

Toxicity to fish

LC50 Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout): 1.15 mg/l; 96 h

OECD Test Guideline 203

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

EC50 Daphnia magna (Water flea): 0.22 mg/l; 48 h

OECD Test Guideline 202

Toxicity to algae

IC50 Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae): 0.12 mg/l; 72 h

OECD Test Guideline 201

Toxicity to bacteria

EC50 activated sludge: 35.7 mg/l; 3 h

OECD Test Guideline 209

Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability

0 %; 28 d

OECD Test Guideline 301B

Not biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

log Pow: 1.08 (20 °C)

OECD Test Guideline 107

(External MSDS)

Bioaccumulation is not expected.

Mobility in soil

No information available.

Additional ecological information

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

SECTION 13. Disposal considerations

The information presented only applies to the material as supplied. The identification based on characteristic(s) or listing may not apply if the material has been used or otherwise contaminated. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste identification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations. Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

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SECTION 14. Transport information

Land transport (DOT)

UN number UN 2923
Proper shipping name CORROSIVE SOLID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (BENZETHONIUM CHLORIDE)
Class 8 (6.1)
Packing group III
Environmentally hazardous --

Air transport (IATA)

UN number UN 2923
Proper shipping name CORROSIVE SOLID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (BENZETHONIUM CHLORIDE)
Class 8 (6.1)
Packing group III
Environmentally hazardous --
Special precautions for user no

Sea transport (IMDG)

UN number UN 2923
Proper shipping name CORROSIVE SOLID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (BENZETHONIUM CHLORIDE)
Class 8 (6.1)
Packing group III
Environmentally hazardous --
Special precautions for user yes
EmS F-A S-B

SECTION 15. Regulatory information

United States of America

SARA 313

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.

SARA 302

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

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Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any Hazardous Substances listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 116.4A.

This product does not contain any Hazardous Chemicals listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 117.3.

DEA List I

Not listed

DEA List II

Not listed

US State Regulations

Massachusetts Right To Know

Remarks

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

California Prop 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

Notification status

TSCA: All components of the product are listed in the TSCA-inventory.

DSL: All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL.

SECTION 16. Other information

Training advice

Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

Labeling

Hazard pictograms



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard Statements

H301 Toxic if swallowed.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements

Prevention

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P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

Response

P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

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

P308 + P310 IF exposed or concerned: immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

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

H301

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H314

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H318

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Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Used abbreviations and acronyms can be looked up at www.wikipedia.org.

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