# Material Safety Data Sheet Barium Chloride Dihydrate MSDS

### **Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification**

Product Name: Barium Chloride Dihydrate

CAS#: 10326-27-9

RTECS: CQ8751000

Synonym: Barium Chloride DihydrateChemical Name: Barium Chloride Dihydrate

Chemical Formula: BaCl2.2H2O

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# Section 2: Composition and Information on Ingredients

#### Composition:

Name	CAS #	% by Weight
Barium chloride dihydrate	10326-27-9	100

Toxicological Data on Ingredients: Barium chloride dihydrate LD50: Not available. LC50: Not available.

# Section 3: Hazards Identification

#### **Potential Acute Health Effects:**

Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant, permeator), of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation. Severe overexposure can result in death.

#### **Potential Chronic Health Effects:**

CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Not available. The substance is toxic to kidneys, the nervous system, peripheral nervous system, cardiovascular system, upper respiratory tract, central nervous system (CNS). The substance may be toxic to liver. Repeated or prolonged exposure to the substance can produce target organs damage. Repeated exposure to a highly toxic material may produce general deterioration of health by an accumulation in one or many human organs.

### Section 4: First Aid Measures

Eye Contact:

Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Cold water may be used. Get medical attention.

### Skin Contact:

In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Cold water may be used. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. Get medical attention.

### Serious Skin Contact:

Wash with a disinfectant soap and cover the contaminated skin with an anti-bacterial cream. Seek immediate medical attention.

#### Inhalation:

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

#### Serious Inhalation:

Evacuate the victim to a safe area as soon as possible. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. WARNING: It may be hazardous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation when the inhaled material is toxic, infectious or corrosive. Seek medical attention.

#### Ingestion:

If swallowed, do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. Get medical attention immediately.

Serious Ingestion: Not available.

# Section 5: Fire and Explosion Data

Flammability of the Product: Non-flammable.

Auto-Ignition Temperature: Not applicable.

Flash Points: Not applicable.

Flammable Limits: Not applicable.

Products of Combustion: Not available.

Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances: Not applicable.

#### Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:

Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: Not available. Risks of explosion of the product in presence of static discharge: Not available.

Fire Fighting Media and Instructions: Not applicable.

Special Remarks on Fire Hazards: Not available.

Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards: Not available.

# **Section 6: Accidental Release Measures**

Small Spill: Use appropriate tools to put the spilled solid in a convenient waste disposal container.

# Large Spill:

Poisonous solid. Stop leak if without risk. Do not get water inside container. Do not touch spilled material. Use water spray to reduce vapors. Prevent entry into sewers, basements or confined areas; dike if needed. Call for assistance on disposal. Be careful that the product is not present at a concentration level above TLV. Check TLV on the MSDS and with local authorities.

# Section 7: Handling and Storage

### Precautions:

Keep locked up.. Do not ingest. Do not breathe dust. Wear suitable protective clothing. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. If ingested, seek medical advice immediately and show the container or the label. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Keep away from incompatibles such as oxidizing agents, acids.

Storage: Keep container tightly closed. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area.

### Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

#### **Engineering Controls:**

Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

#### **Personal Protection:**

Splash goggles. Lab coat. Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Gloves.

#### Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill:

Splash goggles. Full suit. Dust respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.

#### **Exposure Limits:**

TWA: 0.5 (mg (Ba)/m) from ACGIH (TLV) [United States] Consult local authorities for acceptable exposure limits.

# **Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

#### Physical state and appearance: Solid.

Odor: Odorless.

Taste: Bitter. Saline.

Molecular Weight: 244.26 g/mole

Color: White.

pH (1% soln/water): Not available.

Boiling Point: Not available.

Melting Point: 963°C (1765.4°F)

Critical Temperature: Not available.

Specific Gravity: Density: 3.86 (Water = 1)

Vapor Pressure: Not applicable.

Vapor Density: Not available.

Volatility: Not available.

Odor Threshold: Not available.

Water/Oil Dist. Coeff.: Not available.

lonicity (in Water): Not available.

Dispersion Properties: See solubility in water, methanol.

#### Solubility:

Easily soluble in cold water. Soluble in methanol. Insoluble in acetone. Practically insoluble in ethanol, ethyl acetate.

# Section 10: Stability and Reactivity Data

Stability: The product is stable.

Instability Temperature: Not available.

Conditions of Instability: Incompatible materials

Incompatibility with various substances: Reactive with oxidizing agents, acids.

Corrosivity: Non-corrosive in presence of glass.

#### **Special Remarks on Reactivity:**

It is rapidly attacked by bromine trifluoride. Incompatible with 2-furan percarboxylic acid. Barium Chloride dihydrate loses water at 100 to 113 deg. C.

Special Remarks on Corrosivity: Not available.

Polymerization: Will not occur.

# Section 11: Toxicological Information

Routes of Entry: Inhalation. Ingestion.

#### **Toxicity to Animals:**

LD50: Not available. LC50: Not available.

#### **Chronic Effects on Humans:**

Causes damage to the following organs: kidneys, the nervous system, peripheral nervous system, cardiovascular system, upper respiratory tract, central nervous system (CNS). May cause damage to the following organs: liver.

Other Toxic Effects on Humans: Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant, permeator), of ingestion, of inhalation.

Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals: Not available.

**Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans:** May cause adverse reproductive effects. May affect genetic material (mutagenic)

#### Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans:

Potential Health Effects: Skin: Causes skin irritation. Eyes: Causes eye irritation with redness and pain. May cause blurred vision. Inhalation: respiratory tract and mucous membrane irritation. Ingestion: Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal tract irritation with nausea, vomiting, colicky diarrhea, increased salivation, and severe abdominal pain. It may also cause mydriasis, renal failure, hepatocellular damage, dyspnea, tachypnea, shallow breathing, respiratory failure, tinnitus, chest pain, cardiac arrhythmias/disarrythmias, hypertension, bradycardia, hypokalemia, hypophosphatemia, vertigo, faintness, progressive muscular paralysis, muscle weakness, dizziness, tremors, convulsions, and seizures. It may also affec the blood (changes in leukocyte count, changes in serum composition).

# Section 12: Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: Not available.

BOD5 and COD: Not available.

#### Products of Biodegradation:

Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.

Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation: The products of degradation are less toxic than the product itself.

Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation: Not available.

# Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local environmental control regulations.

### Section 14: Transport Information

**DOT Classification:** CLASS 6.1: Poisonous material.

Identification: : Barium Compound, n.o.s. (Barium Chloride) UNNA: 1564 PG: III

Special Provisions for Transport: Marine Pollutant

### **Section 15: Other Regulatory Information**

Federal and State Regulations: No products were found.

Other Regulations: OSHA: Hazardous by definition of Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

Other Classifications:

WHMIS (Canada): CLASS D-1B: Material causing immediate and serious toxic effects (TOXIC).

#### DSCL (EEC):

R20- Harmful by inhalation. R25- Toxic if swallowed. S28- After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water. S36/37/39- Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection. S45- In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible). S46- If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

HMIS (U.S.A.):

Health Hazard: 2

Fire Hazard: 0

Reactivity: 0

Personal Protection: E

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.):

Health: 2

Flammability: 0

Reactivity: 0

Specific hazard:

#### **Protective Equipment:**

Gloves. Lab coat. Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Splash goggles.

### Section 16: Other Information

References: Not available.

Other Special Considerations: Not available.

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