

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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### 1. IDENTIFICATION

#### Product identifier

**Product code:** B1278  
**Product Name:** BARIUM ACETATE, TECHNICAL

#### Other means of identification

**Synonyms:** Barium diacetate  
**CAS #:** 543-80-6  
**RTECS #** AF4550000  
**CI#:** Not available

#### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use:** No information available.  
**Uses advised against** No information available

**Supplier:** Spectrum Chemical Mfg. Corp  
 14422 South San Pedro St.  
 Gardena, CA 90248  
 (310) 516-8000.

**Order Online At:** <https://www.spectrumchemical.com>

**Emergency telephone number** Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

**Contact Person:** Martin LaBenz (West Coast)

**Contact Person:** Ibad Tirmiz (East Coast)

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### Classification

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

Considered a dangerous substance or mixture according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Gases)	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4

#### Label elements

##### **Warning**

**Hazard statements**  
 Harmful if swallowed  
 Harmful if inhaled



**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

Not Applicable

**Other hazards**

Not available

**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell  
Rinse mouth

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Components	CAS-No.	Weight %
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	100

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

**First aid measures**

**General Advice:** National Capital Poison Center in the United States can provide assistance if you have a poison emergency and need to talk to a poison specialist. Call 1-800-222-1222.

**Skin Contact:** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention if irritation develops. Consult a physician if necessary.

**Eye Contact:** Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation occurs. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Inhalation:** Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

**Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Obtain medical attention.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

**Symptoms** Causes digestive (gastrointestinal) tract irritation. May cause abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea. Dyspnea (Shortness of breath and difficulty breathing). Central nervous system effects. Twitching. Tremors. Convulsions. May affect the cardiovascular system. Bradycardia. Cardiac arrhythmias. Hypokalemia. It may affect the kidneys. May cause baritosis (a benign pneumoconiosis).

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Notes to Physician:** Treat symptomatically.

**Protection of first-aiders**

First-Aid Providers: Avoid exposure to blood or body fluids. Wear gloves and other necessary protective clothing. Dispose of contaminated clothing and equipment as bio-hazardous waste.

**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

**Extinguishing Media**

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Water spray mist or foam.

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:** No information available.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** Carbon Monoxide, Carbon Dioxide. Barium oxides.

**Specific hazards:** May be combustible at high temperatures.

**Special Protective Actions for Firefighters**

**Specific Methods:** No information available.

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

**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

**Personal Precautions:** Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Remove all sources of ignition.

**Environmental precautions** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

**Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

**Methods for containment** Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. dry sand or earth), then place in a chemical waste container.

**Methods for cleaning up** Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**Precautions for safe handling**

**Technical Measures/Precautions:**

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Avoid dust formation. Keep away from incompatible materials.

**Safe Handling Advice**

Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Do not ingest. Do not breathe dust. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Technical Measures/Storage Conditions:**

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature in the original container. Store away from incompatible materials.

**Incompatible Materials:**

Oxidizing agents  
Acids

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**Control parameters**

**National occupational exposure limits**

**United States**

Components	CAS-No.	OSHA	NIOSH	ACGIH	AIHA WEEL
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (as Ba)	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (as Ba)	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (as Ba)	None

**Canada**

Components	CAS-No.	Canada - Alberta	Canada - British Columbia	Canada - Ontario	Canada - Quebec
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (as Ba)	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (as Ba)	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (as Ba)	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWAEV (as Ba)

**Australia and Mexico**

Components	CAS-No.	Australia	Mexico
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (as Ba)	0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA (as Ba)

**Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering measures to reduce exposure:**

Ensure adequate ventilation. 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.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

**Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye protection:** Safety glasses with side-shields or Goggles

**Skin and body protection:** Chemical resistant apron  
Gloves  
Long sleeved clothing

**Respiratory protection:** Effective dust mask. Use a dust respirator under conditions where exposure to

the substance is apparent (e.g. generation of high concentration of dust (dust clouds) , inadequate ventilation, development of respiratory tract irritation), and engineering controls are not feasible. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent.

**Hygiene measures:**

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

<b>Physical state:</b> Solid	<b>Appearance:</b> Crystalline. Crystals. Granular.	<b>Color:</b> White.
<b>Odor:</b> Odorless.	<b>Taste</b> No information available.	<b>Formula:</b> Ba(CH <sub>3</sub> COO) <sub>2</sub>
<b>Molecular/Formula weight:</b> 255.42	<b>Flammability:</b> No information available	<b>Flashpoint (°C/°F):</b> No information available.
<b>Flash Point Tested according to:</b> Not available	<b>Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F):</b> No information available	<b>Lower Explosion Limit (%):</b> No information available
<b>Upper Explosion Limit (%):</b> No information available	<b>Melting point/range(°C/°F):</b> No information available	<b>Decomposition temperature(°C/°F):</b> No information available
<b>Boiling point/range(°C/°F):</b> No information available	<b>Bulk density:</b> No information available	<b>Density (g/cm<sup>3</sup>):</b> No information available
<b>Specific gravity:</b> 2.47	<b>pH:</b> No information available	<b>Vapor pressure @ 20°C (kPa):</b> No information available
<b>Evaporation rate:</b> No information available	<b>Vapor density:</b> No information available	<b>VOC content (g/L):</b> No information available
<b>Odor threshold (ppm):</b> No information available	<b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b> No information available	<b>Viscosity:</b> No information available
<b>Miscibility:</b> No information available	<b>Solubility:</b> Soluble in Water	

**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**Reactivity**  
No information available

**Chemical stability**

**Stability:** Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:** Hazardous polymerization does not occur

**Conditions to avoid:** Heat. Incompatible materials. Avoid dust formation.

**Incompatible Materials:** Oxidizing agents  
Acids

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Carbon oxides. Barium oxides.

**Other Information**

**Corrosivity:** No information available

**Special Remarks on Corrosivity:** No information available

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Information on likely routes of exposure**

**Principal Routes of Exposure:**

Ingestion. Inhalation.

**Acute Toxicity**

**Component Information**

Barium Acetate	
CAS-No.	543-80-6

- LD50/oral/rat = 921 mg/kg Oral LD50 Rat
- LD50/oral/mouse = No information available
- LD50/dermal/rabbit = No information available
- LD50/dermal/rat = No information available
- LC50/inhalation/rat = No information available
- LC50/inhalation/mouse = No information available
- Other LD50 or LC50 information = No information available

**Product Information**

LD50/oral/rat =  
VALUE- Acute Tox Oral = 921 mg/kg

LD50/oral/mouse =  
Value - Acute Tox Oral = No information available

LD50/dermal/rabbit  
VALUE-Acute Tox Dermal = No information available

LD50/dermal/rat  
VALUE -Acute Tox Dermal = No information available

LC50/inhalation/rat  
VALUE-Vapor = No information available  
VALUE-Gas = No information available  
VALUE-Dust/Mist = No information available

LC50/Inhalation/mouse  
VALUE-Vapor = No information available  
VALUE - Gas = No information available  
VALUE - Dust/Mist = No information available

**Symptoms**

**Skin Contact:** May cause skin irritation.

**Eye Contact:** May cause eye irritation.

**Inhalation** May cause benign pneumoconiosis (baritosis). This is not incapacitating and is usually reversible with cessation of exposure.

**Ingestion** Harmful if swallowed. Causes digestive (gastrointestinal) tract irritation. May cause abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea. May affect respiration (shortness of breath). May affect urinary system (kidneys). May affect behavior/central nervous system (tremor, convulsions). May affect the cardiovascular system (slow heart rate (bradycardia)). May affect the cardiovascular system (cardiac arrhythmias). May cause hypokalemia. May cause weakness.

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

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

**Chronic Toxicity** No information available.

**Sensitization:** No information available.

**Mutagenic Effects:** No information available

**Carcinogenic effects:** Not considered carcinogenic.

Components	CAS-No.	IARC	ACGIH - Carcinogens	NTP	OSHA HCS - Carcinogens	Australia - Notifiable Carcinogenic Substances	Australia - Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	Not listed	A4 - Not Classifiable as a Human Carcinogen (barium soluble compounds)	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

*ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)*

*IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)*

*NTP (National Toxicology Program)*

*OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)*

**Reproductive toxicity** No data is available

**Reproductive Effects:** No information available

**Developmental Effects:** No information available

**Teratogenic Effects:** No information available

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity**

**STOT - single exposure** No information available.

**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available.

**Target Organs:** No information available.

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity**

**Persistence and degradability:** No information available

**Bioaccumulative potential:** No information available.

**Mobility:** No information available.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### Disposal Methods

**Waste from residues / unused products:**

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulation.

**Contaminated packaging:**

Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal

Components	CAS-No.	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	None	None	None	None

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### DOT

**UN-No:** Not Regulated  
**Proper Shipping Name:** No information available  
**Hazard Class:** No information available  
**Subsidiary Class:** No information available  
**Packing group:** No information available  
**Emergency Response Guide Number:** No information available  
**Marine Pollutant:** No data available  
**DOT RQ (lbs):** No information available  
**Special Provisions:** No Information available  
**Symbol(s):** No information available  
**Description:** No information available

#### TDG (Canada)

**UN-No:** Not Regulated  
**Proper Shipping Name:** No information available  
**Hazard Class:** No information available  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** No information available  
**Marine Pollutant:** No Information available  
**Description:** No information available

#### ADR

**UN-No:** Not Regulated  
**Proper Shipping Name:** No information available  
**Hazard Class:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** No information available  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available

#### IMO / IMDG

**UN-No:** Not Regulated  
**Proper Shipping Name:** No information available  
**Hazard Class:** No information available  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** No information available  
**Marine Pollutant:** No information available

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**RID**

**UN-No:** Not Regulated  
**Proper Shipping Name:** No information available  
**Hazard Class:** No information available  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** No information available

**ICAO**

**UN-No:** Not Regulated  
**Proper Shipping Name:** No information available  
**Hazard Class:** No information available  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** No information available

**IATA**

**UN-No:** Not Regulated  
**Proper Shipping Name:** No information available  
**Hazard Class:** No information available  
**Subsidiary Risk:** No information available  
**Packing Group:** No information available  
**ERG Code:** No information available  
**Special Provisions** No information available

<b>15. REGULATORY INFORMATION</b>
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**International Inventories**

Components	CAS-No.	U.S. TSCA	KOREA KECL	Philippines (PICCS)	Japan ENCS	CHINA	Australia (AICS)	EINECS-No.
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	Present	Present 99-3-1331	Present	Present (2)-693	Present	Present	Present 208-849-0

**U.S. Regulations***Barium Acetate*

**New Jersey RTK Hazardous Substance List:** sn 2146 (barium compounds)  
**New Jersey (EHS) List:** SN 2146 500 lb TPQ (barium compounds)  
**New Jersey - Discharge Prevention - List of Hazardous Substances:** Present (barium compounds)  
**Pennsylvania RTK:** Environmental Hazard (barium compounds)  
**Pennsylvania RTK - Environmental Hazard List** Present (barium compounds)  
**California Directors List of Hazardous Substances:** Present (barium water-soluble salts)

**California Prop. 65: Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986.****Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Cancer:**

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

**Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Reproductive Toxicity:**

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

Components	CAS-No.	Carcinogen	Developmental Toxicity	Male Reproductive Toxicity	Female Reproductive Toxicity:
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

**CERCLA/SARA**

Components	CAS-No.	CERCLA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and	Section 313 - Chemical Category	Section 313 - Reporting de minimis

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		Quantities	and TPQs	RQs		
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	None	None	None	Barium compounds	1%

## U.S. TSCA

Components	CAS-No.	TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

## Canada

### WHMIS 2015 - GHS Classifications

WHMIS 2015 Hazard Classification Information:

Component  
Barium Acetate  
543-80-6 ( 100 )

WHMIS 2015 Hazard Classification  
Acute toxicity - Oral - Category 4: H302 Harmful if swallowed.

**Canada Hazardous Products Regulation** This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the HPR (Hazardous Products Regulation) and the SDS contains all of the information required by the HPR

### WHMIS 1988 Hazard Class

Non-controlled

**Components**  
Barium Acetate

WHMIS 1988  
Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria

### Canada Controlled Products Regulation:

This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the CPR (Controlled Products Regulation) and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

Components	WHMIS Ingredient Disclosure List -
Barium Acetate	1 %

## Inventory

Components	CAS-No.	Canada (DSL)	Canada (NDSL)
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	Present	Not Listed

Components	CAS-No.	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	Not listed
Components	CAS-No.	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject to Mandatory Reporting
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	Not listed

## EU Classification

### EU GHS - SV - CLP 1272/2008

Components	CAS-No.	EU GHS - SV - CLP (1272/2008)
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	Acute toxicity - Oral - Acute Tox. 4: H302 Harmful if swallowed. (Minimum classification, except Barium sulphate, salts of 1-Azo-2-hydroxynaphthalenyl aryl sulphonic acid, and salts specified elsewhere in this Annex); Acute toxicity - Inhalation - Acute Tox. 4: H332 Harmful if inhaled. (Minimum classification, except Barium sulphate,

		salts of 1-Azo-2-hydroxynaphthalenyl aryl sulphonic acid, and salts specified elsewhere in this Annex)056-002-00-7 (barium salts)
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EU - CLP (1272/2008)

**R-phrase(s)**

R20/22 - Harmful by inhalation and if swallowed.

**S -phrase(s)**

S 2 - Keep out of the reach of children.

S28 - After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water

Components	CAS-No.	Classification	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
Barium Acetate	543-80-6	Xn; R20/22	1%≤C Xn; R20/22	S: (2)-28

The product is classified in accordance with Annex VI to Directive 67/548/EEC

**Indication of danger:**

Xn - Harmful.

Xn



**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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**Disclaimer:**

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