

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

This safety data sheet was created pursuant to the requirements of: US OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)



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## 1. Identification

### Product identifier

**Product Name** SODIUM BENZOATE, POWDER, FCC

### Other means of identification

**Product Code(s)** S1146

**Synonyms** None

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

**Recommended use** No information available

**Restrictions on use** No information available

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### **Supplier Address**

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

### Emergency telephone number

**Emergency Telephone** Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

This chemical is not considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable.

### Label elements

### Hazard statements

This chemical is not considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

**Other information**

May be harmful if swallowed.

**3. Composition/information on ingredients****Substance**

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Sodium Benzoate	532-32-1	100

**4. First-aid measures****Description of first aid measures**

Inhalation	Remove to fresh air.
Eye contact	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a physician.
Skin contact	Wash skin with soap and water.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth.

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

Symptoms	No information available.
Effects of Exposure	No information available.

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

Note to physicians	Treat symptomatically.
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**5. Fire-fighting measures**

Suitable Extinguishing Media	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	No information available.
Hazardous combustion products	Carbon Monoxide, Carbon Dioxide. Sodium oxides.
Explosion data	
Sensitivity to mechanical impact	None.
Sensitivity to static discharge	None.

<b>Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters</b>	Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.
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## 6. Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

<b>Personal precautions</b>	Ensure adequate ventilation.
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### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

<b>Methods for containment</b>	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
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<b>Methods for cleaning up</b>	Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.
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<b>Prevention of secondary hazards</b>	Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.
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## 7. Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

<b>Technical Measures/Precautions:</b>	Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms Avoid dust formation All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded Keep away from incompatible materials
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<b>Advice on safe handling</b>	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.
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<b>General hygiene considerations</b>	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.
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### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

<b>Storage Conditions</b>	Hygroscopic. Keep container tightly closed.
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<b>Incompatible Materials:</b>	Strong oxidizing agents Strong acids
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## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Control parameters

<b>Exposure Limits</b>	This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.
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### Appropriate engineering controls

<b>Engineering controls</b>	Showers Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.
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### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

<b>Eye/face protection</b>	Appropriate eye/face protection should be selected and used according to the chemical nature, hazards and use of this product and safety requirements of the local jurisdiction.
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<b>Hand protection</b>	Appropriate hand protection should be selected and used according to the chemical nature,
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hazards and use of this product and safety requirements of the local jurisdiction.

**Skin and body protection**

Appropriate skin and body protection should be selected and used according to the chemical nature, hazards and use of this product and safety requirements of the local jurisdiction.

**Respiratory protection**

Appropriate respiratory protection should be selected and used according to the chemical nature, hazards and use of this product and safety requirements of the local jurisdiction. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Solid
Appearance	Crystalline powder
Color	White
Odor	No information available
Odor threshold	No information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	Slightly alkaline	None known
pH (as aqueous solution)		None known
Melting point / freezing point	> 400 °C / 752.0 °F	None known
Initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available	None known
Flash point	No data available	None known
Evaporation rate	no data available	None known
Flammability	no data available	None known
Flammability Limit in Air		None known
Upper flammability or explosive limits	No data available	
Lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available	
Vapor pressure	No data available	None known
Relative vapor density	No data available	None known
Relative density	1.5	None known
Water solubility	Soluble in water	None known
Solubility(ies)	Soluble in Ethanol	None known
Partition coefficient	No data available	None known
Autoignition temperature	No data available	None known
Decomposition temperature	> 450 °C / 842.0 °F	None known
Kinematic viscosity	no data available	None known
Dynamic viscosity	No data available	None known

### Other information

Explosive properties	No information available
Oxidizing properties	No information available
Softening point	No information available
Molecular weight	144.11
VOC content	No information available
Liquid Density	No information available
Bulk density	No information available

## 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity**

No information available.

**Chemical stability**

Stable under normal conditions.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions** None under normal processing.

**Conditions to avoid** None known based on information supplied.

**Incompatible materials** None known based on information supplied.

**Hazardous decomposition products** Spontaneous polymerisation.

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on likely routes of exposure

**Inhalation** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

**Eye contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

**Skin contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

**Ingestion** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

### Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

**Symptoms** No information available.

**Acute toxicity** No information available.

### **Numerical measures of toxicity**

#### **Component Information**

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Sodium Benzoate 532-32-1	= 4070 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-

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

**Skin corrosion/irritation** No information available.

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation** No information available.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization** No information available.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** No information available.

**Carcinogenicity** No information available.

**Reproductive toxicity** No information available.

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

<b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	No information available.
<b>Other adverse effects</b>	No information available.
<b>Interactive effects</b>	No information available.

## 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Sodium Benzoate 532-32-1	-	LC50: 420 - 558mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas) LC50: >100mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas)	-	EC50: <650mg/L (48h, Daphnia magna)

<b>Persistence and degradability</b>	No information available.
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### Bioaccumulation

#### Component Information

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
Sodium Benzoate 532-32-1	-2.13

<b>Other adverse effects</b>	No information available.
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## 13. Disposal considerations

### Disposal methods

<b>Waste from residues/unused products</b>	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.
<b>Contaminated packaging</b>	Do not reuse empty containers.

## 14. Transport information

<b>DOT</b>	Not regulated
<b>TDG</b>	Not regulated
<b>MEX</b>	Not regulated
<b>ICAO (air)</b>	Not regulated
<b>IATA</b>	Not regulated

<b>IMDG</b>	Not regulated
<b>ADR</b>	Not regulated
<b>RID</b>	Not regulated

## 15. Regulatory information

### International Inventories

<b>TSCA</b>	Complies
<b>DSL/NDSL</b>	Complies
<b>EINECS/ELINCS</b>	Complies
<b>ENCS</b>	This product complies with ENCS:
<b>IECSC</b>	This product complies with China:
<b>KECL</b>	Complies
<b>PICCS</b>	Complies
<b>AIIC</b>	All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS).
<b>NZIoC</b>	Does not comply
<b>TCSI</b>	Does not comply

#### **Legend:**

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**TCSI** - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory

### US Federal Regulations

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

#### **SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

#### **CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

#### **CAA (Clean Air Act)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to Clean Air Act (CAA).

#### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive

Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

### US State Regulations

#### California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

#### U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

This product does not contain any substances regulated under applicable state right-to-know regulations

### U.S. EPA Label Information

**EPA Pesticide Registration Number** Not applicable

### International Inventories

Chemical name	CAS No.	U.S. TSCA	KOREA KECL	Philippines (PICCS)	Japan ENCS	IECSC	AIIC	EINECS-No.
	532-32-1	Present(ACTIVE)	Present KE-02711	Present	Present (3)-1293,(3)-1272,(3)-1076	X	X	Present 208-534-8

### U.S. Regulations

Chemical name	Louisiana Reportable Quantity List for Pollutants:	California Directors List of Hazardous Substances:	FDA - Food Additives Generally Recognized as Safe (GRAS):	FDA - Direct Food Additives	FDA - 21 CFR - Total Food Additives - List Sourced from EAFUS
Sodium Benzoate			21 CFR 184.1733		166.110, 181.23, 184.1733

#### **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)

Chemical name	CAS No.	Carcinogen	Developmental Toxicity	Male Reproductive Toxicity	Female Reproductive Toxicity:
	532-32-1	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

#### **CERCLA/SARA**

CERCLA

TSCA

Chemical name	CAS No.	Hazardous Substances RQs	TPQ	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and RQs	Section 313 - Chemical Category
	532-32-1			None	None

#### **U.S. TSCA**

Chemical name	CAS No.	TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting



	532-32-1	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
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**Canada****WHMIS 2015 - GHS Classifications**

WHMIS 2015 Hazard Classification  
Information:

Component  
Sodium Benzoate  
532-32-1 ( 100 )

WHMIS 2015 Hazard Classification  
Combustible Dust - Category 1: May form combustible dust concentrations in air (factors such as combustibility and explosiveness of dusts including composition and shape and size of particles could cause substance to belong to 'Combustible dust' hazard class)

**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

Chemical name	CAS No.	Canada (DSL)	Canada (NDSL)
	532-32-1	Present	Not Listed

Chemical name	CAS No.	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances
	532-32-1	Not listed
Chemical name	CAS No.	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject to Mandatory Reporting
	532-32-1	Not listed

Chemical name	CAS No.	EU GHS - SV - CLP (1272/2008)
	532-32-1	

**S -phrase(s)**

none

Chemical name	CAS No.	Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
Sodium Benzoate	532-32-1		No information	

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

**Indication of danger:**

Not dangerous

**16. Other information**

<b>NFPA</b>	Health hazards 0	Flammability 0	Instability 0	Special hazards -
<b>HMIS</b>	Health hazards 0	Flammability 0	Physical hazards 0	Personal protection X

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

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern for Authorization:  
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative, and Toxic (PBT) Substances  
vPvB: Very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative (vPvB) Substances  
STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity  
ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate  
LC50: 50% Lethal Concentration  
LD50: 50% Lethal Dose

**Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Maximum limit value	Sk*	Skin designation
+	Sensitizers		

**Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS**

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database  
European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)  
Environmental Protection Agency  
Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGl(s))  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals  
Food Research Journal  
Hazardous Substance Database  
International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)  
National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)  
Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)  
NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)  
National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)  
National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)  
U.S. National Toxicology Program (NTP)  
New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)  
Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications  
Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program  
Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set  
World Health Organization

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