

Safety Data Sheet

Barium Hydroxide, 8-Hydrate

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Barium Hydroxide, 8-Hydrate

Synonyms/Generic Names: Not Available

SDS Number: 83.00

Product Use: For Educational Use Only

Manufacturer: Columbus Chemical Industries, Inc.

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

OSHA Hazards: Target organ effect, Harmful by ingestion, Corrosive

Target Organs: Heart, Nerves, Kidney, Gastrointestinal tract, Bone marrow, Spleen, Liver

Signal Words: Danger

Pictograms:





GHS Classification:

Acute toxicity, Oral	Category 4
Skin corrosion	Category 1

GHS Label Elements, including precautionary statements:

Hazard Statements:

H302+H332	Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled.	
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.	

Precautionary Statements:

P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.		
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove		
	contact lenses, if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing.		
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.		

Potential Health Effects

Eyes	Causes eye burns.
Inhalation	May be harmful if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.
Skin	May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed. Causes burns.

NFPA Ratings

Health	3
Flammability	0
Reactivity	1
Specific hazard	Not Available

HMIS Ratings

Health	3
Fire	0
Reactivity	1
Personal	Е

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	Weight %	CAS#	EINECS# / ELINCS#	Formula	Molecular Weight
Barium Hydroxide	>95	12230-71-6	241-234-5	H ₂ BaO ₂ +8H ₂ O	315.46 g/mol

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Eyes	In case of eye contact, rinse with plenty of water and seek medical attention immediately.
Inhalation	Move casualty to fresh air and keep at rest. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not
	breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately.
Skin	Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated
	clothing and wash using soap. Get medical attention immediately.
Ingestion	Do Not Induce Vomiting! Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If
	conscious, wash out mouth with water. Get medical attention immediately.

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable (and unsuitable)	Product is not flammable. Use appropriate media for adjacent fire. Use		
extinguishing media	flooding quantities of water to cool containers.		
Special protective equipment	Wear self-contained, approved breathing apparatus and full protective		
and precautions for firefighters	clothing including eye protection and boots.		
Specific hazards arising from	Emits toxic fumes (barium oxide) under fire conditions.		
the chemical	(See also Stability and Reactivity section).		

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist, or gas.
Environmental precautions	Prevent spillage from entering drains. Any release to the environment may be subject to a federal/national or local reporting requirements.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	Sweep up and place in suitable container for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Clean surfaces thoroughly with water to remove residual contamination. Dispose of all waste or cleanup materials in accordance with regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

See section 8 for recommendations on the use of personal protective equipment. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Wash thoroughly after using. Keep container closed when not in use.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in cool, dry well ventilated area. Keep away from incompatible materials (see section 10 for incompatibilities).

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational exposure controls:

Component	Exposure Limits	Basis	Entity
Barium Hydroxide	0.5 mg/m ³	PEL	OSHA
	0.5 mg/m ³	TLV	ACGIH
	0.5 mg/m ³	REL	NIOSH

TWA: Time Weighted Average over 8 hours of work. TLV: Threshold Limit Value over 8 hours of work.

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit during x minutes. IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health WEEL: Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels

Personal Protection

Eyes	Wear chemical safety glasses.	
Inhalation	Provide local exhaust, preferably mechanical. If exposure levels are excessive, use an	
	approved respirator.	
Skin	Wear neoprene or nitrile gloves, full body (synthetic) protective clothing appropriate to	
	the risk of exposure.	
Other	Not Available	

Other Recommendations

Provide eyewash stations, quick-drench showers and washing facilities accessible to areas of use and handling. Have supplies and equipment for neutralization and running water available.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance (physical state, color, etc.)	White powder
Odor	No Odor
Odor threshold	Not Applicable
pH	12.5 ay 50 g/l at 20°C (68°F)
Melting point/freezing point	78°C (172°F) - lit.
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not Available
Flash point	Not Flammable
Evaporation rate	Not Available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not Flammable
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limit	Not Explosive

Vapor pressure	Not Available	
Vapor density	Not Available	
Relative density	Not Available	
Solubility (ies)	Completely soluble in water.	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not Available	
Auto-ignition temperature	Not Available	
Decomposition temperature	Not Available	•

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability	Stable
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions	Will not occur.
Conditions to Avoid	Not Available
Incompatible Materials	Strong acids
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Carbon oxides, barium oxides.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity

Skin	Not Available
Eyes	Not Available
Respiratory	Not Available
Ingestion	LD50 Oral – rat – 550 mg/kg

Carcinogenicity

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IARC	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
ACGIH	A4: Not classifiable as a human carcinogen.
NTP	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
OSHA	No components of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Signs & Symptoms of Exposure

Eyes	May cause eye irritation, burns, pain, watering eyes.
Inhalation	Delayed pulmonary edema, burning, choking, coughing, wheezing, laryngitis, shortness of breath, headache or nausea. May cause spasm inflammation and edema.
Skin	Burns
Ingestion	Burns, salivation, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain and labored breathing.

Chronic Toxicity	Not Available
Teratogenicity	Not Available
Mutagenicity	Not Available
Embryotoxicity	Not Available
Specific Target Organ Toxicity	Not Available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Aquatic Vertebrate	Not Available
Aquatic Invertebrate	Not Available
Terrestrial	Not Available

Persistence and Degradability	Not Available
Bioaccumulative Potential	Not Available
Mobility in Soil	Not Available
PBT and vPvB Assessment	Not Available
Other Adverse Effects	Not Available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Residues	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary before disposing of waste products or residues.
Product Containers	Users should review their operations in terms of the applicable federal/national or local regulations and consult with appropriate regulatory agencies if necessary before disposing of waste product container.

The information offered in section 13 is for the product as shipped. Use and/or alterations to the product may significantly change the characteristics of the material and alter the waste classification and proper disposal methods.

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

US DOT	UN1564, Barium compounds, n.o.s.,(Barium hydroxide), 6.1, pg III
TDG	UN1564, BARIUM COMPOUNDS, N.O.S., (BARIUM HYDROXIDE), 6.1, pg
IDMG	UN1564, BARIUM COMPOUNDS, N.O.S., (BARIUM HYDROXIDE), 6.1, pg
Marine Pollutant	No
IATA/ICAO	UN1564, Barium compounds, n.o.s., (Barium hydroxide), 6.1, pg III

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA Inventory Status	All ingredients are listed on the TSCA inventory.
DSCL (EEC)	All ingredients are listed on the DSCL inventory.
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
SARA 302	Not Listed
SARA 304	Not Listed
SARA 311	Barium Hydroxide
SARA 312	Barium Hydroxide
SARA 313	Listed: Barium Hydroxide
WHMIS Canada	Class D-2B: Material causing other toxic effects (TOXIC).

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Revision	Date
Revision 1	01/04/2014

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