

DIBENZOYL PEROXIDE

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CAUTIONARY RESPONSE INFORMATION

Common Synonyms	Solid powder or granules	White	Odorless
Benzoyl peroxide Benzoyl superoxide BP BPO Lucidol Oxylite			
	Sinks in water.		
Keep people away. Evacuate area in case of large discharge. Avoid inhalation. Wear goggles and self-contained breathing apparatus. Stay upwind and use water spray to "knock down" dust. Shut off ignition sources and call fire department. Avoid contact with solid and dust. Notify local health and pollution control agencies. Protect water intakes.			
Fire	FLAMMABLE. MAY EXPLODE IF SUBJECT TO HEAT, SHOCK OR FRICTION. May cause fire and explode on contact with combustibles. Evacuate surrounding area. Wear goggles and self-contained breathing apparatus. Combat fires from safe distance. Cool exposed containers with water.		
Exposure	CALL FOR MEDICAL AID. SOLID Irritating to skin and eyes. Harmful if swallowed. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Flush affected areas with plenty of water. IF IN EYES, hold eyelids open and flush with plenty of water. IF SWALLOWED and victim is CONSCIOUS, have victim drink water or milk and have victim induce vomiting. IF SWALLOWED and victim is UNCONSCIOUS OR HAVING CONVULSIONS, do nothing except keep victim warm.		
Water Pollution	Effect of low concentrations on aquatic life is unknown. May be dangerous if it enters water intakes. Notify local health and pollution control officials. Notify operators of nearby water intakes.		

1. CORRECTIVE RESPONSE ACTIONS Stop discharge Collection Systems: Dredge Keep organic materials away	2. CHEMICAL DESIGNATIONS 2.1 CG Compatibility Group: Not listed. 2.2 Formula: C ₁₀ H ₁₆ CO ₃ O ₂ CO ₂ H ₂ 2.3 IMO/UN Designation: 3.2/1521 2.4 DOT ID No.: 2085 2.5 CAS Registry No.: 94-36-0 2.6 NAERG Guide No.: 146 2.7 Standard Industrial Trade Classification: 51629
3. HEALTH HAZARDS	
3.1 Personal Protective Equipment: Safety goggles, face shield, rubber gloves. 3.2 Symptoms Following Exposure: CONTACT WITH EYES OR SKIN: irritates eyes. Prolonged contact may irritate skin. 3.3 Treatment of Exposure: INGESTION: administer an emetic to induce vomiting and call a physician. CONTACT WITH EYES OR SKIN: do not use oils or ointments; flush eyes with plenty of water and get medical attention; wash skin with plenty of soap and water. 3.4 TLV-TWA: 5 mg/m ³ 3.5 TLV-STEL: Not listed. 3.6 TLV-Ceiling: Not listed. 3.7 Toxicity by Ingestion: Grade 2; LD ₅₀ = 0.5 to 5 g/kg 3.8 Toxicity by Inhalation: Currently not available. 3.9 Chronic Toxicity: Currently not available 3.10 Vapor (Gas) Irritant Characteristics: Not pertinent 3.11 Liquid or Solid Characteristics: Minimum hazard. If spilled on clothing and allowed to remain, may cause smarting and reddening of the skin. 3.12 Odor Threshold: Odorless 3.13 IDLH Value: 1,500 mg/m ³ 3.14 OSHA PEL-TWA: 5 mg/m ³ 3.15 OSHA PEL-STEL: Not listed. 3.16 OSHA PEL-Ceiling: Not listed. 3.17 EPA A EGL: Not listed	

4. FIRE HAZARDS	7. SHIPPING INFORMATION
4.1 Flash Point: Highly flammable solid; explosion-sensitive to shock, heat, and friction	7.1 Grades of Purity: 98% (dry); 70-78% (wet); various pastes of dibenzoyl peroxide and liquid plasticizers such as tricresyl phosphate, silicone oil.
4.2 Flammable Limits in Air: Not pertinent	7.2 Storage Temperature: 65-85°F
4.3 Fire Extinguishing Agents: Difficult to extinguish once ignited. Use water spray to cool surrounding area.	7.3 Inert Atmosphere: Currently not available
4.4 Fire Extinguishing Agents Not to Be Used: Do not use hand extinguishers	7.4 Venting: Currently not available
4.5 Special Hazards of Combustion Products: Suffocating smoke evolved	7.5 IMO Pollution Category: C
4.6 Behavior in Fire: May explode	7.6 Ship Type: 3
4.7 Auto Ignition Temperature: Currently not available	7.7 Barge Hull Type: Currently not available
4.8 Electrical Hazards: Not pertinent	
4.9 Burning Rate: Not pertinent	
4.10 Adiabatic Flame Temperature: Currently not available	
4.11 Stoichiometric Air to Fuel Ratio: 69.0 (calc.)	
4.12 Flame Temperature: Currently not available	
4.13 Combustion Molar Ratio (Reactant to Product): 19.0 (calc.)	
4.14 Minimum Oxygen Concentration for Combustion (MOCC): Not listed	
5. CHEMICAL REACTIVITY	8. HAZARD CLASSIFICATIONS
5.1 Reactivity with Water: No reaction	8.1 49 CFR Category: Organic Peroxide
5.2 Reactivity with Common Materials: Special care must be taken to avoid contamination with combustible materials (wood, paper, etc.), various inorganic and organic acids, alkalies, alcohols, amines, easily oxidizable materials such as ethers, or materials used as accelerators in polymerization reactions.	8.2 49 CFR Class: 5
5.3 Stability During Transport: Extremely explosion-sensitive to shock (impact, blows), heat, and friction. Has been reported to explode for apparently no specific reason. Self- reactive.	8.3 49 CFR Package Group: Not listed.
5.4 Neutralizing Agents for Acids and Caustics: Not pertinent	8.4 Marine Pollutant: No
5.5 Polymerization: Not pertinent	8.5 NFPA Hazard Classification:
5.6 Inhibitor of Polymerization: Not pertinent	Category Classification Health Hazard (Blue)..... 1 Flammability (Red)..... 4 Instability (Yellow)..... 4
6. WATER POLLUTION	8.6 EPA Reportable Quantity: Not listed.
6.1 Aquatic Toxicity: Currently not available	8.7 EPA Pollution Category: Not listed.
6.2 Waterfowl Toxicity: Currently not available	8.8 RCRA Waste Number: Not listed
6.3 Biological Oxygen Demand (BOD): Currently not available	8.9 EPA FWPCA List: Not listed
6.4 Food Chain Concentration Potential: None	
6.5 GESAMP Hazard Profile: Not listed	

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9.20 SATURATED LIQUID DENSITY		9.21 LIQUID HEAT CAPACITY		9.22 LIQUID THERMAL CONDUCTIVITY		9.23 LIQUID VISCOSITY	
Temperature (degrees F)	Pounds per cubic foot	Temperature (degrees F)	British thermal unit per pound-F	Temperature (degrees F)	British thermal unit inch per hour-square foot-F	Temperature (degrees F)	Centipoise
	NOT PERTINENT		NOT PERTINENT		NOT PERTINENT		NOT PERTINENT

9.24 SOLUBILITY IN WATER		9.25 SATURATED VAPOR PRESSURE		9.26 SATURATED VAPOR DENSITY		9.27 IDEAL GAS HEAT CAPACITY	
Temperature (degrees F)	Pounds per 100 pounds of water	Temperature (degrees F)	Pounds per square inch	Temperature (degrees F)	Pounds per cubic foot	Temperature (degrees F)	British thermal unit per pound-F
77	19.000		NOT PERTINENT		NOT PERTINENT		NOT PERTINENT