

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name **Benzoyl peroxide, wet with 25% water**

Stock number: L13174

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against.

Identified use: SU24 Scientific research and development

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer/Supplier:
Alfa Aesar GmbH & Co.KG
A Johnson Matthey Company
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www.alfa.com

Informing department: Product safety Tel + +049 (0) 7275 988687-0

1.4 Emergency telephone number:

Carechem 24: +44 (0) 1235 239 670 (Multi-language emergency number)
Poison Information Center Mainz
www.giftinfo.uni-mainz.de Telephone: +49(0)6131/19240

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

 GHS02 flame


Org. Perox. CD H242 Heating may cause a fire.

 GHS07

Eye Irrit. 2 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Skin Sens. 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC

 Xi; Irritant


R36: Irritating to eyes.

 Xi; Sensitising

R43: May cause sensitisation by skin contact.

 E; Explosive

R1: Explosive when dry.

 O; Oxidising

R7: May cause fire.

Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:

The product has to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.

Other hazards that do not result in classification No information known.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 The product is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.

Hazard pictograms

GHS02 GHS07

Signal word Danger

Hazard-determining components of labelling:

Benzoyl peroxide

Hazard statements

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Precautionary statements

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.

P220 Keep/Store away from clothing/combustible materials.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P410 Protect from sunlight.

P411+P235 Store at temperatures not exceeding 30°C. Keep cool.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

2.3 Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment








PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2 Mixtures

Dangerous components:

CAS: 94-36-0	Benzoyl peroxide	 Xi R36;  Xi R43;  E R3;  O R7	75,0%
EINECS: 202-327-6		 Org. Perox. B, H241;  Eye Irrit. 2, H319;  Skin Sens. 1, H317	
Index number: 617-008-00-0			

Additional information None known.

Non-Hazardous Ingredients

CAS: 7732-18-5	Water		25,0%
EINECS: 231-791-2			

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

After inhalation

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.
Seek immediate medical advice.

After skin contact

Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

Seek immediate medical advice.

After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult doctor.

After swallowing Seek medical treatment.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No further relevant information available.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents CO₂, extinguishing powder or water jet. Fight larger fires with water jet or alcohol-resistant foam.

For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents Halocarbon extinguisher

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

This substance is an oxidizer and its heat of reaction with reducing agents or combustibles may cause ignition.

If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Wear full protective suit.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

6.2 Environmental precautions: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Collect mechanically.

Prevention of secondary hazards:

Acts as an oxidizing agent on organic materials such as wood, paper and fats

Keep away from combustible material.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling

See section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for information on disposal.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Keep containers tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers.

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Information about protection against explosions and fires:

Substance/product can reduce the ignition temperature of flammable substances.

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7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage

Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers: No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Store away from flammable substances.

Store away from reducing agents.

Do not store with organic materials.

Store away from metal powders.

Further information about storage conditions:

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

7.3 Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Additional information about design of technical systems:

Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

8.1 Control parameters

Components with critical values that require monitoring at the workplace:

94-36-0 Benzoyl peroxide (75,0%)

AGW (Germany) Long-term value: 5 E mg/m³
1(l);DFG

PEL (USA) Long-term value: 5 mg/m³

REL (USA) Long-term value: 5 mg/m³

TLV (USA) Long-term value: 5 mg/m³

Additional information: No data

8.2 Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to in handling the chemicals.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and food.

Instantly remove any soiled and impregnated garments.

Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.

Avoid contact with the eyes.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.

Breathing equipment: Use breathing protection with high concentrations.

Recommended filter device for short term use:

Use a respirator with type N95 (USA) or PE (EN 143) cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. Risk assessment should be performed to determine if air-purifying respirators are appropriate. Only use equipment tested and approved under appropriate government standards.

Protection of hands:

Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

Material of gloves Nitrile rubber, NBR

Penetration time of glove material (in minutes) Not determined

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Eye protection:
Safety glasses
Face protection
Body protection: Protective work clothing.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance:

Form: Powder
Colour: White
Smell: Not determined
Odour threshold: Not determined.

pH-value: Not applicable.

Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range: Not determined
Boiling point/Boiling range: Not determined
Sublimation temperature / start: Not determined
Inflammability (solid, gaseous) May cause fire.
Contact with combustible material may cause fire.

Ignition temperature: Not determined
Decomposition temperature: Not determined
Self-inflammability: Product is not selfigniting.

Danger of explosion: Explosive when dry.

Critical values for explosion:

Lower: Not determined
Upper: Not determined

Steam pressure at 20 °C: 1 hPa

Density Not determined

Relative density Not determined.

Vapour density Not applicable.

Evaporation rate Not applicable.

Solubility in / Miscibility with

Water: Insoluble
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.

Viscosity:

dynamic: Not applicable.
kinematic: Not applicable.

Solvent content:

Organic solvents: 0,0 %

Solids content: 75,0 %

9.2 Other information No further relevant information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

Explosive when dry.

May cause fire.

May intensify fire: oxidiser.

10.2 Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts with reducing agents

Reacts with flammable substances

10.4 Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.

10.5 Incompatible materials:

Flammable substances

Reducing agents

Organic materials

Metal powders

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains acute toxicity data for components in this product.

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data

Skin irritation or corrosion: May cause irritation

Eye irritation or corrosion: Causes serious eye irritation.

Sensitization: May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Germ cell mutagenicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains mutation data for components in this product.

Carcinogenicity:

IARC-3: Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

ACGIH A4: Not classifiable as a human carcinogen: Inadequate data on which to classify the agent in terms of its carcinogenicity in humans and/or animals.

The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains tumorigenic and/or carcinogenic and/or neoplastic data for components in this product.

Reproductive toxicity: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: No effects known.

Aspiration hazard: No effects known.

Subacute to chronic toxicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains multiple dose toxicity data for this substance.

Additional toxicological information:

To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

The product shows the following dangers according to the calculation method of the General EC Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version:

Irritant

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

12.2 Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.

12.4 Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.

Additional ecological information:

General notes:

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

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Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
Avoid transfer into the environment.
12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
PBT: Not applicable.
vPvB: Not applicable.
12.6 Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods
Recommendation
Hand over to disposers of hazardous waste.
Must be specially treated under adherence to official regulations.
Consult state, local or national regulations for proper disposal.
Uncleaned packagings:
Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

UN-Number ADR, IMDG, IATA	UN3104
14.2 UN proper shipping name ADR IMDG, IATA	3104 ORGANIC PEROXIDE TYPE C, SOLID ORGANIC PEROXIDE TYPE C, SOLID
14.3 Transport hazard class(es) ADR	
	
Class Label IMDG, IATA	5.2 (P1) Organic peroxides. 5.2
	
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Packing group ADR, IMDG, IATA	Not applicable
14.5 Environmental hazards: Marine pollutant:	No
14.6 Special precautions for user Kemler Number: EMS Number:	Warning: Organic peroxides. - F-J,S-R
14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
Transport/Additional information:	
ADR Excepted quantities (EQ): Limited quantities (LQ) Transport category Tunnel restriction code	E0 100 g 1 D
UN "Model Regulation":	UN3104, ORGANIC PEROXIDE TYPE C, SOLID, 5.2

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

All ingredients are listed.

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

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S2, S4, S5

National regulations

Information about limitation of use:

Employment restrictions concerning young persons must be observed.
For use only by technically qualified individuals.

Classification according to VbF: Not applicable

Water hazard class: Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations

ELINCS (European List of Notified Chemical Substances)

None of the ingredients is listed.

Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006.

None of the ingredients are listed.

The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the market and use must be observed.

None of the ingredients is listed.

Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use)

None of the ingredients is listed.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.

Relevant phrases

H241 Heating may cause a fire or explosion.
H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

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H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

R3 Extreme risk of explosion by shock, friction, fire or other sources of ignition.

R36 Irritating to eyes.

R43 May cause sensitisation by skin contact.

R7 May cause fire.

Department issuing SDS: Global Marketing Department

Abbreviations and acronyms:

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

VbF: Verordnung über brennbare Flüssigkeiten, Österreich (Ordinance on the storage of combustible liquids, Austria)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (USA)

NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA)

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

EPA: Environmental Protection Agency (USA)

Org. Perox. B: Organic Peroxides, Type B

Org. Perox. CD: Organic Peroxides, Types C, D

Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 2

Skin Sens. 1: Sensitisation - Skin, Hazard Category 1