

# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Sodium Benzoate, Laboratory Grade Powder
- **Article number:** S2492
- **CAS Number:**  
532-32-1
- **EC number:**  
208-534-8
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
Aqua Solutions, Inc.  
6913 Highway 225  
DEER PARK, TX 77536  
USA  
800-256-2586
- **Information department:**  
Product safety department  
Technical Coordinator  
Sherman Nelson sherman@aquasolutions.org
- **Emergency telephone number:**  
Chemtrec: 800-424-9300  
Canutec: 613-996-6666



## 2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**  
*The substance is not classified according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).*
- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** Not Applicable
- **Hazard pictograms** Not Applicable
- **Signal word** Not Applicable
- **Hazard statements** Not Applicable
- **Precautionary statements**  
*If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.*  
*If swallowed: Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.*  
*If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.*  
*Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.*
- **Classification system:**
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**  

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  - Health = 2
  - Fire = 1
  - Reactivity = 0
- **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**  

HEALTH	1	Health = 1
FIRE	1	Fire = 1
REACTIVITY	0	Reactivity = 0
- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.

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· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

### 3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Substances**
- **CAS No. Description**  
532-32-1 Sodium Benzoate
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- **EC number:** 208-534-8

### 4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:** No special measures required.
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**  
No further relevant information available.

### 5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**  
CO<sub>2</sub>, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

### 6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Not required.
- **Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Dispose of the collected material according to regulations.
- **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 disposal information.

### 7 Handling and storage

- **Precautions for safe handling** No special measures required.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.

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- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** None.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

### 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:** Not required.
- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**  
The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:**  
The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.  
Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.  
Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation
- **Material of gloves**  
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.
- **Penetration time of glove material**  
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye protection:** Not required.

### 9 Physical and chemical properties

- **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**
- **General Information**
- **Appearance:**

<b>Form:</b>	Powder
<b>Color:</b>	White
- **Odor:** Odorless
- **Odour threshold:** Not determined.
- **pH-value:** Not determined.
- **Change in condition**

<b>Melting point/Melting range:</b>	Undetermined.
<b>Boiling point/Boiling range:</b>	Undetermined.
- **Flash point:** Not applicable.
- **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Not applicable.
- **Ignition temperature:**

<b>Decomposition temperature:</b>	Not determined.
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- **Auto igniting:** Not determined.

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· **Danger of explosion:** *Product does not present an explosion hazard.*

· **Explosion limits:**

**Lower:** *Not determined.*

**Upper:** *Not determined.*

· **Vapor pressure:** *Not determined.*

· **Density at 20 °C (68 °F):** *0.48 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (4.006 lbs/gal)*

· **Relative density** *Not determined.*

· **Vapour density** *Not determined.*

· **Evaporation rate** *Not applicable.*

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

**Water:** *Not determined.*

· **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** *Not determined.*

· **Viscosity:**

**Dynamic:** *Not determined.*

**Kinematic:** *Not determined.*

· **Other information** *No further relevant information available.*

## 10 Stability and reactivity

· **Reactivity**

· **Chemical stability**

· **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** *No decomposition if used according to specifications.*

· **Possibility of hazardous reactions** *No dangerous reactions known.*

· **Conditions to avoid** *No further relevant information available.*

· **Incompatible materials:** *No further relevant information available.*

· **Hazardous decomposition products:** *No dangerous decomposition products known.*

## 11 Toxicological information

· **Information on toxicological effects**

· **Acute toxicity:**

· **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

Oral	LD50	4070 mg/kg (rat)
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· **Primary irritant effect:**

· **on the skin:** *No irritant effect.*

· **on the eye:** *No irritating effect.*

· **Sensitization:** *No sensitizing effects known.*

· **Additional toxicological information:**

*When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects according to our experience and the information provided to us.*

*The substance is not subject to classification.*

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)** *Substance is not listed.*

· **NTP (National Toxicology Program)** *Substance is not listed.*

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· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)** Substance is not listed.

## 12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**  
*Water hazard class 1 (Assessment by list): slightly hazardous for water*  
*Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.*
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

## 13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:** Smaller quantities can be disposed of with household waste.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

## 14 Transport information

· <b>UN-Number</b>	
· <b>DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA</b>	Not regulated
· <b>UN proper shipping name</b>	
· <b>DOT, ADN, IATA</b>	Not regulated
· <b>IMDG</b>	Not Regulated
· <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
· <b>DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA</b>	
· <b>Class</b>	Not regulated
· <b>Packing group</b>	
· <b>DOT, IMDG, IATA</b>	Not regulated
· <b>Environmental hazards:</b>	
· <b>Marine pollutant:</b>	No
· <b>Special precautions for user</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>UN "Model Regulation":</b>	Not regulated

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### 15 Regulatory information

- **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Sara**
- **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):** Substance is not listed.
- **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):** Substance is not listed.
- **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):** Substance is listed.
- **Proposition 65**
- **Chemicals known to cause cancer:** Substance is not listed.
- **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:** Substance is not listed.
- **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:** Substance is not listed.
- **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:** Substance is not listed.
- **Carcinogenic categories**
- **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)** Substance is not listed.
- **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)** Substance is not listed.
- **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)** Substance is not listed.
- **GHS label elements** Not Applicable
- **Hazard pictograms** Not Applicable
- **Signal word** Not Applicable
- **Hazard statements** Not Applicable
- **Precautionary statements**
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- *Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.*
- **Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

### 16 Other information

*This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.*

- **Department issuing SDS:** Environment protection department.
- **Contact:** Mr. Nelson
- **Date of preparation / last revision**
- *Revision 0.0, 06-08-2015: creation date for SDS. STN*

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- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

*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*

*DOT: US Department of Transportation*

*IATA: International Air Transport Association*

*ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists*

*EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances*

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

*NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)*

*HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)*

*LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent*

*LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent*