

Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Barium Chloride Solution Less than 1 M

Signal Word
WARNING

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Chemtrec Emergency Phone Number: (800) 424-9456

Pictograms

SECTION 2 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard class: Acute toxicity, oral and inhalation (Category 5). May be harmful if swallowed or inhaled (H303+H333).



SECTION 3 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component Name	CAS Number	Formula	Formula Weight	Concentration
Barium chloride	10326-27-9	BaCl ₂ •2H ₂ O	244.28	2.5-24.0%
Water	7732-18-5	H ₂ O	18.00	76-97.5%

SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES

Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell (P312).

If inhaled: Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell (P304+P312).

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing.

If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.

If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell.

SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Nonflammable, noncombustible solution.

NFPA Code

In case of fire: Use a tri-class dry chemical fire extinguisher.

None established

SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Ventilate area. Contain the spill with sand or absorbent material and deposit in a sealed bag or container. See Sections 8

and 13 for further information.

SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Inorganic #2. Store with acetates, halides, sulfates, sulfites, thiosulfates and phosphates. Store in a cool, dry place.

SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Exposure guidelines: (as barium) PEL/TLV 0.5 mg/m³ (OSHA/ACGIH)

SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Clear, colorless liquid. Odorless. pH: ~5

SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Avoid contact with strong oxidizers.

Shelf life: Indefinite, if stored properly.

SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute effects: Highly toxic, irritant, stomach pains, vomiting, and diarrhea. ORL-RAT LD₅₀: 118 mg/kg as barium chloride
IHL-RAT LC₅₀: N.A.

Chronic effects: N.A. SKN-RBT LD₅₀: N.A.

Target organs: heart, nerves, kidneys, GI system, bone marrow, spleen, and liver.

SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Data not yet available.

SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply before proceeding.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #27h is one option.

SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Shipping name: Barium compounds, N.O.S. Hazard class: 6.1, Keep away from food. UN number: UN1564.

SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA-listed, EINECS-listed (233-788-1), RCRA D005.

SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION

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N/A = Not applicable

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