

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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## 1. Identification

### Product identifier

**Product Name** Benzoin Essential Oil

### Other means of identification

**Product Code(s)** E245

**Synonyms** None

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use** Consumer use

**Restrictions on use** For external use only

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## 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Skin sensitization	Category 1
Aspiration hazard	Category 1
Flammable liquids	Category 3

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**  
Not applicable

### Label elements

**Danger**

### Hazard statements

Causes skin irritation  
May cause an allergic skin reaction

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways  
Flammable liquid and vapor



**Appearance** Liquid

**Physical state** Liquid

**Odor** Characteristic

#### Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace  
Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking  
Keep container tightly closed  
Ground/bond container and receiving equipment  
Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting/ equipment  
Use only non-sparking tools  
Take precautionary measures against static discharge  
Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection

#### Precautionary Statements - Response

Specific treatment (see ? on this label)  
If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention  
IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower  
Wash contaminated clothing before reuse  
IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor  
Do NOT induce vomiting  
In case of fire: Use CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, or foam to extinguish

#### Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store locked up  
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool

#### Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Other information

No information available.

### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### Substance

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%	Trade secret
Benzoin Essential Oil	84929-79-3	100	*

\*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

### 4. First-aid measures

#### Description of first aid measures

##### General advice

Immediate medical attention is required. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

<b>Inhalation</b>	Aspiration into lungs can produce severe lung damage. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately. Avoid direct contact with skin. Use barrier to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. If breathing is difficult, (trained personnel should) give oxygen. Get immediate medical advice/attention. Delayed pulmonary edema may occur. Remove to fresh air.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Do not rub affected area. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. May cause an allergic skin reaction. In the case of skin irritation or allergic reactions see a physician.
<b>Ingestion</b>	ASPIRATION HAZARD IF SWALLOWED - CAN ENTER LUNGS AND CAUSE DAMAGE. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep head below hips to prevent aspiration. Get immediate medical advice/attention. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce vomiting.
<b>Self-protection of the first aider</b>	Remove all sources of ignition. See section 8 for more information. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. Avoid direct contact with skin. Use barrier to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

#### **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

**Symptoms** Itching. Rashes. Hives. Difficulty in breathing. Coughing and/ or wheezing. Dizziness.

#### **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Note to physicians** May cause sensitization in susceptible persons. Treat symptomatically. Because of the danger of aspiration, emesis or gastric lavage should not be employed unless the risk is justified by the presence of additional toxic substances.

### **5. Fire-fighting measures**

<b>Suitable Extinguishing Media</b> <b>Large Fire</b>	Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ). Water spray. Alcohol resistant foam. CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.
<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>	Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.
<b>Specific hazards arising from the chemical</b>	Risk of ignition. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition. In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray. Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations. Product is or contains a sensitizer. May cause sensitization by skin contact.
<b>Explosion data</b> <b>Sensitivity to mechanical impact</b>	None.
<b>Sensitivity to static discharge</b>	Yes.
<b>Special protective equipment for fire-fighters</b>	Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

### **6. Accidental release measures**

#### **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

**Personal precautions** See section 8 for more information. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). Pay attention to flashback. Take precautionary

measures against static discharges. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required.

**Other information** Ventilate the area. Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

#### **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

**Methods for containment** Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. A vapor suppressing foam may be used to reduce vapors. Dike far ahead of spill to collect runoff water. Keep out of drains, sewers, ditches and waterways. Absorb with earth, sand or other non-combustible material and transfer to containers for later disposal.

**Methods for cleaning up** Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Dam up. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

### **7. Handling and storage**

#### **Precautions for safe handling**

**Advice on safe handling** Use personal protection equipment. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Use grounding and bonding connection when transferring this material to prevent static discharge, fire or explosion. Use with local exhaust ventilation. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Use according to package label instructions. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

#### **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Storage Conditions** Keep away from heat, sparks, flame and other sources of ignition (i.e., pilot lights, electric motors and static electricity). Keep in properly labeled containers. Do not store near combustible materials. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Store in accordance with the particular national regulations. Store in accordance with local regulations. Store locked up. Keep out of the reach of children. Store away from other materials. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

### **8. Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### **Control parameters**

**Exposure Limits** The following ingredients are the only ingredients of the product above the cut-off level (or level that contributes to the hazard classification of the mixture) which have an exposure limit applicable in the region for which this safety data sheet is intended or other recommended limit. At this time, the other relevant constituents have no known exposure limits from the sources listed here.

#### **Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering controls** Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

#### **Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

<b>Eye/face protection</b>	Tight sealing safety goggles.
<b>Hand protection</b>	Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.
<b>Skin and body protection</b>	Chemical resistant apron. Antistatic boots. Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing.
<b>Respiratory protection</b>	No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.
<b>General hygiene considerations</b>	Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

**Physical state:** Viscous liquid, pourable

**Color:** Red to brown, Amber

**Odor:** Sweet, warm, powdery, balsamic

**Miscibility in water:** Insoluble

**Miscibility in alcohol:** Soluble

**Miscibility in essential oil:** Not specified

**Lip solubility:** Insoluble

**pH:** Not specified

**Boiling point/boiling range:** Not specified

**Flash Point:** 20 °C

**Vapor pressure:** Not specified

**Evaporation rate:** Not specified

**Density:** Not specified

**Water solubility:** Insoluble

**Melting point/melting range:** Not specified

**Self-ignition temperature:** Not specified

**Decomposition point/decomposition range:** Not specified

**Refractive index @ 20°C:** 1.490 - 1.510

**Partition coefficient:** Not specified

**Specific gravity @ 20 °C:** 1.040 - 1.065

**Viscosity:** Not specified

## 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity** No information available.

<b>Chemical stability</b>	Stable under normal conditions.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	None under normal processing.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	Heat, flames and sparks.
<b>Incompatible materials</b>	Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizing agents.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	None known based on information supplied.

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### Product Information

<b>Inhalation</b>	Aspiration into lungs can produce severe lung damage. May cause pulmonary edema. Pulmonary edema can be fatal. Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Irritating to eyes. (based on components).
<b>Skin contact</b>	May cause sensitization by skin contact. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause allergic reactions with susceptible persons. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking. Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes skin irritation. (based on components).
<b>Ingestion</b>	Potential for aspiration if swallowed. May cause lung damage if swallowed. Aspiration may cause pulmonary edema and pneumonitis. May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways. Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

### Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

<b>Symptoms</b>	Itching. Rashes. Hives. Difficulty in breathing. Coughing and/ or wheezing. Dizziness. Redness. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes.
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### Acute toxicity

#### Numerical measures of toxicity

No information available

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Classification based on data available for ingredients. Irritating to skin.
<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	No information available.
<b>Respiratory or skin sensitization</b>	May cause sensitization by skin contact.
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	No information available.
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - single exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.
<b>Other adverse effects</b>	No information available.

**Interactive effects** No information available.

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

**Persistence and degradability** No information available.  
**Bioaccumulation** There is no data for this product.

**Other adverse effects** No information available.

## 13. Disposal considerations

### Waste treatment methods

**Waste from residues/unused products** Should not be released into the environment. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

**Contaminated packaging** Empty containers pose a potential fire and explosion hazard. Do not cut, puncture or weld containers.

## 14. Transport information

**14.1 UN Number**  
UN 1197

**14.2 UN Proper shipping name**  
Extracts, flavoring, liquid

**14.3 Transportation hazard classes**



Class 3

**14.4 Packing group, if applicable**  
II

**14.5 Environmental hazards**  
Substance not determined. Avoid exposure to waterways.

**14.6 Special precautions for user**  
Not specified

**14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78\* and IBC Code**  
Not applicable

**14.8 Additional transport information**  
Not specified

## 15. Regulatory information

### International Inventories

**TSCA** Complies

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

Country	Notification
Canada	Not regulated
EU	See EU Allergens in Section 3
Hong Kong	Not regulated
Singapore	Not regulated
USA	Not regulated by Federal or State Regulations <b>California Prop. 65 Components</b> This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

**16. Other information****Additional Information**

This essential oil is phototoxic and may cause skin irritation if skin is exposed to sun after application of the oil in pure or dilute forms. Patch test is recommended.

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