

Safety data sheet

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

- **1.1 Product identifier** Benzoyl peroxide, damped with 25% water
- **Trade name: Benzoyl peroxide, damped with 25% water**
- **Article number:** AGR1058
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the preparation:**
Catalyst used in making resins for use in microscopy.
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Supplier.**
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- **Further information obtainable from:** Technical Support
- **1.4 Emergency telephone number:** 24 hours: +44 (0)1856 407333

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**



exploding bomb

Unst. Expl. H200 Unstable explosives.



health hazard

Carc. 1A H350 May cause cancer.



environment

Aquatic Chronic 2 H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.



Acute Tox. 4	H302 Harmful if swallowed.
Acute Tox. 4	H312 Harmful in contact with skin.
Acute Tox. 4	H332 Harmful if inhaled.
Skin Irrit. 2	H315 Causes skin irritation.
Eye Irrit. 2	H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
Skin Sens. 1	H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

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

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· Hazard pictograms


GHS01 GHS07 GHS08 GHS09

· Signal word Danger

· Hazard-determining components of labelling:

dibenzoyl peroxide

· Hazard statements

H200 Unstable explosives.
 H302+H312+H332 Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.
 H315 Causes skin irritation.
 H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
 H350 May cause cancer.
 H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

· Precautionary statements

P101 If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.
 P102 Keep out of reach of children.
 P103 Read carefully and follow all instructions.
 P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
 P373 DO NOT fight fire when fire reaches explosives.
 P380 Evacuate area.
 P401 Store in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
 P405 Store locked up.
 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 Chemical characterisation: Mixtures
· Description: Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

· Dangerous components:

CAS: 94-36-0	dibenzoyl peroxide	75.0%
EINECS: 202-327-6	Org. Perox. B, H241; Acute Tox. 4, H302; Eye Irrit. 2, H319; Skin Sens. 1, H317	

· Additional information: For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures
· 4.1 Description of first aid measures
· General information:

 Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
 Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

· After inhalation:

 Supply fresh air.
 No adverse effects are anticipated from inhalation.

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- **After skin contact:** Wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:** Call for a doctor immediately.
- **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:** Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
No further relevant information available.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Remove persons from danger area.
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:**
Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.
Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **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 disposal information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Open and handle receptacle with care.
Prevent formation of aerosols.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:**
The dried resin is combustible, similar to wood. Burning dry resin emits dense, black smoke. As latex, material is not combustible.
Prevent impact and friction.
Extinguishing media: Water fog - dried resin only.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
Keep container tightly sealed.
Protect from heat and direct sunlight.
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

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SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**
The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.
- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.
- **8.2 Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Store protective clothing separately.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
- **Respiratory protection:**
In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.
- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

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. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.
- **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:**



Tightly sealed goggles

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

- **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**
- **General Information**
- **Appearance:**
 - **Form:** Fluid
 - **Colour:** According to product specification
- **Odour:** Characteristic
- **Odour threshold:** Not determined.

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· pH-value:	Not determined.
· Change in condition	
Melting point/freezing point:	Undetermined.
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	Undetermined.
· Flash point:	Not applicable.
· Flammability (solid, gas):	Not applicable.
· Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
· Auto-ignition temperature:	Product is not selfigniting.
· Explosive properties:	Extreme risk of explosion by shock, friction, fire or other sources of ignition.
· Explosion limits:	
Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
· Vapour pressure at 20 °C:	23 hPa
· Density:	Not determined.
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not determined.
· Evaporation rate	Not determined.
· Solubility in / Miscibility with water:	Not miscible or difficult to mix.
· Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	Not determined.
· Viscosity:	
Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.
· Solvent content:	
Water:	25.0 %
VOC (EC)	0.00 %
Solids content:	0.0 %
· 9.2 Other information	No further relevant information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**
No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity**
Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.

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

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Oral	LD50	2,000 mg/kg (mouse)
Inhalative	LC50/4 h	24.3 mg/l (rat)

· **Specific symptoms in biological assay:**

· **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Causes skin irritation.

· **Serious eye damage/irritation**

Causes serious eye irritation.

· **Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

· **Additional toxicological information:**

· **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**

· **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **Carcinogenicity**

May cause cancer.

· **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

· **12.1 Toxicity**

· **Aquatic toxicity:**

94-36-0 dibenzoyl peroxide

EC50	2.91 mg/kg (Daphnia magna) ((48h))
ERC50	0.0711 mg/l (green algae)
LC50	0.06 mg/l (Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout))

· **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.

· **Ecotoxicological effects:**

· **Remark:** Toxic for fish

· **Additional ecological information:**

· **General notes:**

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

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies.

Toxic for aquatic organisms

· **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**

Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

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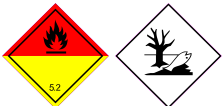

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 · **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

· 14.1 UN-Number	
· ADR, IMDG, IATA	3104
· 14.2 UN proper shipping name	Benzoyl Peroxide
· 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	
· ADR	
	
· Class	5.2 Organic peroxides.
· Label	5.2
· IMDG, IATA	
	
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· Label	5.2
· 14.4 Packing group	
· ADR, IMDG, IATA	II
· 14.5 Environmental hazards:	
· Marine pollutant:	No
· Special marking (ADR):	Symbol (fish and tree)
· 14.6 Special precautions for user	Warning: Organic peroxides.
· 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
· UN "Model Regulation":	Void

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
- Directive 2012/18/EU
- Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I None of the ingredients is listed.
- Seveso category
P1a EXPLOSIVES
E2 Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment
- Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of lower-tier requirements 10 t
- Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of upper-tier requirements 50 t

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- **National regulations:**
- **Information about limitation of use:**
Workers are not allowed to be exposed to the hazardous carcinogenic materials contained in this preparation. Exceptions can be made by the authorities in certain cases.
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge and should assist the user with the safe handling of this material when properly applied. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- **Relevant phrases**

H241 Heating may cause a fire or explosion.
H302 Harmful if swallowed.
H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

- **Department issuing SDS:** Sales department

- **Contact:**

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- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord relatif au transport international 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 Harmonised 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)
VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
Unst. Expl.: Explosives – Unstable explosive
Org. Perox. B: Organic peroxides – Type B
Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4
Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2
Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2
Skin Sens. 1: Skin sensitisation – Category 1
Carc. 1A: Carcinogenicity – Category 1A
Aquatic Chronic 2: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - long-term aquatic hazard – Category 2

- * **Data compared to the previous version altered.**