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**1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION****1.1 Product identifiers**

Product name : Barium 2-ethylhexanoate

Product Number : 361704

Brand : Aldrich

Index-No. : 056-002-00-7

CAS-No. : 2457-01-4

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Company : Sigma-Aldrich  
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USA

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**1.4 Emergency telephone number**

Emergency Phone # : +1-703-527-3887 (CHEMTREC)

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**2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION****2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)**

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4), H332

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

**2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements**

Pictogram



Signal word

Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H302 + H332

Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled.

Precautionary statement(s)

P261

Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.

P264

Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P270

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P271

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P301 + P312 + P330

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.  
Rinse mouth.

P304 + P340 + P312

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

P501

Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

## 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

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### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.1 Substances

Formula :  $C_{16}H_{30}BaO_4$   
Molecular weight : 423.73 g/mol  
CAS-No. : 2457-01-4  
EC-No. : 219-535-8  
Index-No. : 056-002-00-7

#### Hazardous components

| Component               | Classification            | Concentration |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|
| Barium 2-ethylhexanoate | Acute Tox. 4; H302 + H332 | 90 - 100 %    |

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

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### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

##### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

##### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

##### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

##### In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

##### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

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### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

##### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No data available

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

#### 5.4 Further information

No data available

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### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust.

For personal protection see section 8.

## 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

## 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

## 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.  
Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.  
For precautions see section 2.2.

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

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.  
Storage class (TRGS 510): 13: Non Combustible Solids

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

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## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Components with workplace control parameters

| Component               | CAS-No.   | Value                                                                                                                              | Control parameters | Basis                                                                                   |
|-------------------------|-----------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Barium 2-ethylhexanoate | 2457-01-4 | TWA                                                                                                                                | 0.5 mg/m3          | USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants        |
|                         |           | TWA                                                                                                                                | 0.5 mg/m3          | USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)                                                 |
|                         | Remarks   | Eye irritation<br>Muscular stimulation<br>Skin irritation<br>Gastrointestinal irritation<br>Not classifiable as a human carcinogen |                    |                                                                                         |
|                         |           | TWA                                                                                                                                | 0.5 mg/m3          | USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits                                                  |
|                         |           | PEL                                                                                                                                | 0.5 mg/m3          | California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107) |

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

#### Personal protective equipment

##### Eye/face protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

##### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

##### Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

**Respiratory protection**

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

**Control of environmental exposure**

Do not let product enter drains.

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**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES****9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

|                                                 |                                    |
|-------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| a) Appearance                                   | Form: crystalline<br>Colour: white |
| b) Odour                                        | No data available                  |
| c) Odour Threshold                              | No data available                  |
| d) pH                                           | No data available                  |
| e) Melting point/freezing point                 | No data available                  |
| f) Initial boiling point and boiling range      | No data available                  |
| g) Flash point                                  | No data available                  |
| h) Evaporation rate                             | No data available                  |
| i) Flammability (solid, gas)                    | No data available                  |
| j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available                  |
| k) Vapour pressure                              | No data available                  |
| l) Vapour density                               | No data available                  |
| m) Relative density                             | No data available                  |
| n) Water solubility                             | No data available                  |
| o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water       | No data available                  |
| p) Auto-ignition temperature                    | No data available                  |
| q) Decomposition temperature                    | No data available                  |
| r) Viscosity                                    | No data available                  |
| s) Explosive properties                         | No data available                  |
| t) Oxidizing properties                         | No data available                  |

**9.2 Other safety information**

No data available

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**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY****10.1 Reactivity**

No data available

**10.2 Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**

No data available

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available

#### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Barium oxide

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

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### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

##### Acute toxicity

No data available

Dermal: No data available

No data available

##### Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available

##### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

##### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

##### Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

##### Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

##### Reproductive toxicity

No data available

No data available

##### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

##### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

##### Aspiration hazard

No data available

##### Additional Information

RTECS: Not available

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

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### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### 12.1 Toxicity

No data available

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

## 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

## 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

## 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

## 12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available

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## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

#### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

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## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

### IMDG

Not dangerous goods

### IATA

Not dangerous goods

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## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### SARA 302 Components

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

### SARA 313 Components

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

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|-------------------------|-----------|---------------|
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### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

### Massachusetts Right To Know Components

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

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### Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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|-------------------------|-----------|---------------|
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#### New Jersey Right To Know Components

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#### California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

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## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

|             |                                     |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|
| Acute Tox.  | Acute toxicity                      |
| H302        | Harmful if swallowed.               |
| H302 + H332 | Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled. |
| H332        | Harmful if inhaled.                 |

### HMIS Rating

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Health hazard:         | 2 |
| Chronic Health Hazard: | * |
| Flammability:          | 0 |
| Physical Hazard        | 0 |

### NFPA Rating

|                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| Health hazard:     | 2 |
| Fire Hazard:       | 0 |
| Reactivity Hazard: | 0 |

### Further information

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