

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Luperox® A98, Benzoyl peroxide

Product Number : 179981

Brand : Sigma-Aldrich Index-No. : 617-008-00-0 CAS-No. : 94-36-0

# 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 Inc.

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UNITED STATES

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# 1.4 Emergency telephone number

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### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

### GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Organic peroxides (Type B), H241 Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319 Skin sensitisation (Category 1), H317

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 Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H241 Heating may cause a fire or explosion. H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

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H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
Precautionary statement(s)	
P210	Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No
	smoking.
P220	Keep/Store away from clothing/ combustible materials.
P234	Keep only in original container.
P261	Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.
P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P272	Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P302 + P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.
	Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P321	Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label).
P333 + P313	If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.
P337 + P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P410	Protect from sunlight.
P411 + P235	Store at temperatures not exceeding 30°C/ 86 °F. Keep cool.
P420	Store away from other materials.
P501	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal
	and the second s

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

plant.

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

# 3.1 Substances

Synonyms : Dibenzoyl peroxide Benzoyl peroxide

Component	Classification	Concentration
Benzoyl peroxide		
	Org. Perox. B; Eye Irrit.	<= 100 %
	2A; Skin Sens. 1; Aquatic	
	Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic	
	1; H241, H319, H317,	
	H400, H410	
	M-Factor - Aquatic Acute:	
	10 - Aquatic Chronic: 10	

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### **SECTION 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

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

### 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

# **SECTION 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

Carbon oxides

### **5.3** Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

# 5.4 Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

### **SECTION 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. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

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### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel. Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Contain spillage, pick up with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and transfer to a container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

# 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. 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): 4.1A: Other explosive hazardous materials

# 7.3 Specific end use(s)

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

### **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

### 8.1 Control parameters

**Components with workplace control parameters** 

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis	
Benzoyl peroxide	94-36-0	TWA	5.000000 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)	
	Remarks	Upper Respiratory Tract irritation Skin irritation Not classifiable as a human carcinogen			
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TWA	5.000000 mg/m3	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
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PEL	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

Face shield and safety glasses 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**

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

### **Control of environmental exposure**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

# **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: solid

b) Odourc) Odour Thresholddata availableNo data available

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d) pH No data available

e) Melting Melting point/range: 105 °C (221 °F) - lit.

point/freezing point

No data available Initial boiling point f) and boiling range

g) Flash point No data available

h) Evaporation rate No data available i)

Flammability (solid, gas)

No data available

j) Upper/lower No data available flammability or explosive limits

No data available k) Vapour pressure No data available I) Vapour density No data available m) Relative density

0.35 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 105 n) Water solubility o) Partition coefficient: log Pow: 3.4 at 25 °C (77 °F) - Bioaccumulation is not n-octanol/water expected., (Lit.)

p) Auto-ignition temperature

No data available

q) Decomposition temperature

No data available

No data available Viscosity r) s) Explosive properties No data available t) Oxidizing properties No data available

#### 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

# **SECTION 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

Heat, flames and sparks.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Alcohols, MetalsStrong oxidizing agents

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides Other decomposition products - No data available

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# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rat - 7,710 mg/kg

Remarks: (HSDB)

LD50 Inhalation - Rat - male - 4 h - 24.3 mg/l

(OECD Test Guideline 403) Dermal: No data available

No data available

### Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available

### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: slight irritation (OECD Test Guideline 405)

### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse

Result: positive

May cause allergic skin reaction. (OECD Test Guideline 429)

# Germ cell mutagenicity

Mouse - male and female

Result: negative

# 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

## Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Acute oral toxicity - Irritations of mucous membranes in the mouth, pharynx, oesophagus and gastrointestinal tract.

## Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

### **Additional Information**

RTECS: Not available



Depending on the intensity and duration of exposure, effects may vary from mild irritation to severe destruction of tissue., To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

# 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish semi-static test LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) -

0.0602 mg/l - 96 h

(OECD Test Guideline 203)

Toxicity to daphnia

Immobilization EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 0.11 mg/l - 48

and other aquatic

(OECD Test Codeline 202)

invertebrates (OECD Test Guideline 202)

Toxicity to bacteria Respiration inhibition EC50 - activated sludge - 35 mg/l - 30 h

(OECD Test Guideline 209)

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability aerobic - Exposure time 28 d

Result: 56 % - Not readily biodegradable.

(OECD Test Guideline 301D)

### 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

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

### **Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

### **Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

DOT (US)

UN number: 3102 Class: 5.2 (1)

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Proper shipping name: Organic peroxide type B, solid (Dibenzoyl peroxide, >51-100%)

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG** 

UN number: 3102 Class: 5.2 (1) EMS-No: F-J, S-R Proper shipping name: ORGANIC PEROXIDE TYPE B, SOLID (DIBENZOYL PEROXIDE)

**IATA** 

# **SECTION 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:

Benzoyl peroxide CAS-No. Revision Date 94-36-0 2007-07-01

# SARA 311/312 Hazards

Reactivity Hazard, Acute Health Hazard

### **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

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

**Pennsylvania Right To Know Components** 

Benzoyl peroxide	CAS-No. 94-36-0	Revision Date 2007-07-01
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New Jersey Right To Know Components Benzoyl peroxide	CAS-No. 94-36-0	Revision Date 2007-07-01

### 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.

### SECTION 16: Other information

### **Further information**

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The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to

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