



SAFETY DATA SHEET

(according to (EC) 1907/2006)

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

1.1. Product identifier Benzyl Benzoate

Synonyms: BzBz

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

Miticide

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Vertellus Performance Materials Inc.

2110 High Point Road

Greensboro, NC 27403 USA

1-336-292-1781

e-mail Address: msds@vertellus.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Vertellus: 1-336-292-1781

CHEMTREC (USA): 1-800-424-9300 (collect calls accepted); (Int'l): 1-703-527-3887 (collect calls accepted; 011 prefix not needed)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

HMIS Rating

HEALTH 1

FLAMMABILITY 1

REACTIVITY 0

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

(According to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008)

Environmental Chronic Category 2

Acute Toxicity Oral Category 4

(According to Directive 67/548/EEC)

Symbol: Xn, N

Risk Phrases: R53: May cause long term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

R51: Toxic to aquatic organisms.

R22: Harmful if swallowed.

Safety Phrases: S2: Keep out of reach of children.

S25: Avoid contact with the eyes.

S29: Do not empty into drains.

S46: If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

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S51: Use only in well ventilated areas.
S61: Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/safety data sheet.

2.2. Label elements

Hazard Symbols (Pictogram):



Signal Word:
Warning

Hazard Precautions:

H302 - Harmful if swallowed.
H411 - Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Prevention Precautionary Statements:

P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P273 - Avoid release to the environment.

First Aid Precautionary Statements:

P301+P312 - IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
P330 - Rinse mouth.
P391 - Collect spillage.

Storage Precautionary Statements:

Not required.

Disposal Precautionary Statements:

P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulation for hazardous wastes.

2.3. Other hazards

Signs and Symptoms of Potential Overexposure: Contact with eyes may cause slight irritation. Contact with skin may cause slight irritation. May be harmful if ingested in sufficient quantities. High gas, vapor, or mist concentrations may be harmful if inhaled.

Primary Route(s) of Exposure: Skin contact and absorption, eye contact, ingestion, inhalation.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: No data found

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances or 3.2. Mixtures



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Ingredient	CAS Number	Concentration (%)	EINECS / ELINCS	CLP Inventory/ Annex VI	EU DSD Classification (67/548/EEC)	EU CLP Classification (1272/2008)
Benzyl Benzoate	120-51-4	~ 100	204-402-9	607-085-00-9	N, Xn R53- R51- R22	Aquatic Chronic 2; H411 Acute Tox. 4; H302

NOTE: See Section 8 of this MSDS for exposure limit data for these ingredients.
See Section 15 of this MSDS for trade secret information (where applicable).
See Section 16 of this MSDS for the full text of the R-phrases above.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

- Skin Contact:** Wash thoroughly after skin contact.
- Eye Contact:** Immediately flush the eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician.
- Inhalation:** Remove from exposure. If not breathing, give artificial respiration and call a physician.
- Ingestion:** If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Get prompt medical attention.

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

- Acute:** Contact with eyes may cause slight irritation. Contact with skin may cause slight irritation. May be harmful if ingested in sufficient quantities. High gas, vapor, or mist concentrations may be harmful if inhaled.
- Delayed Effects:** None known.

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

- Thermal Exposure:** Not applicable.
- Note to Physician:** No additional first aid information available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Appropriate Extinguishing Media: Foam Dry chemical Carbon dioxide Water spray

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

- Hazardous Products of Combustion:** As with other organic materials, combustion will produce carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.
- Potential for Dust Explosion:** not available
- Special Flammability Hazards:** Not applicable.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

- Basic Fire Fighting Guidance:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing. Normal firefighting procedures may be used.
- Flammability Classification (OSHA):** Combustible Liquid - Class III B

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NFPA Rating



SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Evacuation Procedures:	Isolate the hazard area and deny entry to unnecessary and unprotected personnel.
Special Instructions:	Remove all contaminated clothing to prevent further absorption. Decontaminate affected personnel using the first aid procedures in Section 4. Leather shoes that have been saturated must be discarded.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent releases to soils, drains, sewers, and waterways.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Containment Techniques and Clean-up Procedures:	Isolate hazard area. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Remove all ignition sources. Ventilate the area of spill or leak. Wear protective equipment during clean-up. For small spills, use suitable absorbent material and collect for later disposal. For large spills, the area may require diking to contain the spill. Material can then be collected (eg., suction) for later disposal. After collection of material, flush area with water. Dispose of the material in accordance with standard practice for disposal of potentially hazardous materials as required by applicable federal, state or local laws.
Special Reporting Requirements:	Not applicable.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to section 8 for information on selecting personal protective equipment. Refer to section 13 for information on spilled product, absorbent and clean up material disposal instructions.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for Unique Hazards:	Not applicable.
Practices to Minimize Risk:	Wear appropriate protective equipment when performing maintenance on contaminated equipment. Wash hands thoroughly before eating or smoking after handling this material.
Special Handling Equipment:	Not applicable.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Precautions & Recommendations:	This product should be stored at ambient temperature in a dry, well-ventilated location. Keep container closed when not in use.
Dangerous Incompatibility Reactions:	Incompatible with oxidizing materials.
Incompatibilities with Materials of	none known



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Construction:

7.3. Specific end use(s)

If a chemical safety assessment has been completed an exposure scenario is attached as an annex to this Safety Data Sheet. Refer to this annex for the specific exposure scenario control parameters for uses identified in subsection 1.2.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Exposure Limits (United States): OSHA PEL: Not established ACGIH TLV: Not established

8.2. Exposure controls

Also see the annex to this SDS (if applicable) for specific exposure scenario controls.

Personal Protective Equipment: Impervious gloves, boots, and clothing, chemical goggles or face shield where necessary, and a NIOSH approved chemical cartridge respirator or supplied air breathing apparatus.

Respirator Caution: Observe OSHA regulations for respirator use (29 CFR 1910.134). Air-purifying respirators must not be used in oxygen-deficient atmospheres.

Ventilation: All operations should be conducted in well-ventilated conditions. Local exhaust ventilation should be provided.

Other Engineering Controls: All appropriate engineering controls should be used to minimize exposure potential. Use exhaust ventilation to keep airborne concentrations below exposure limits.

Thermal Hazards: Not applicable.

Additive or Synergistic Effects: None known.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance, State & Odor (ambient temperature):	Clear, oily liquid		
Molecular Formula:	C ₁₄ H ₁₂ O ₂	Molecular Weight:	212.30
Vapor Pressure:	< 1.00 mm Hg @ 25°C	Evaporation Rate:	< 1 (Butyl Acetate = 1)
Specific Gravity or Density:	1.12	Vapor Density (air = 1):	7.3
Boiling Point:	324 °C 615 °F	Freezing / Melting Point:	20 °C 68 °F
Solubility in Water:	insoluble	Octanol / Water Coefficient:	Not available.
pH:	Not available	Odor Threshold:	Not available.
Viscosity:	Not available.	Autoignition Temperature:	480°C
Flash Point and Method:	295°F (146°C) COC	Flammable Limits:	Not available (LEL) – Not available (UEL)

9.2. Other information

Not applicable.

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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

<u>10.1. Reactivity</u>	Not classified as dangerously reactive.
<u>10.2. Chemical stability</u>	Stable
<u>10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions</u>	Will not occur.
<u>10.4. Conditions to avoid</u>	No data.
<u>10.5. Incompatible materials</u>	Incompatible with oxidizing materials.
<u>10.6. Hazardous decomposition products</u>	As with other organic materials, combustion will produce carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute Oral LD ₅₀ :	Oral LD ₅₀ (rat) = 1900 mg/kg Oral LD ₅₀ (mouse) = 1565 mg/kg Oral LD ₅₀ (dog) > 22440 mg/kg Oral LD ₅₀ (cat) = 2240 mg/kg Oral LD ₅₀ (rabbit) = 1680 mg/kg Oral LD ₅₀ (guinea pig) = 1118 mg/kg	Benzyl Benzoate
Acute Dermal LD ₅₀ :	Dermal LD ₅₀ (rat) = 4472 mg/kg Dermal LD ₅₀ (rabbit) = 4000 mg/kg	Benzyl Benzoate
Acute Inhalation LC ₅₀ :	Not available.	
Other Toxicity Data:	Intraperitoneal LD ₅₀ (mouse) > 500 mg/kg	
Skin Irritation:	May cause slight irritation.	
Skin Sensitization:	No data available.	
Eye Irritation:	May cause slight irritation.	
Target Organs:	TDLo (dermal, rabbit) = 202 mg/kg/13W-I	
Carcinogenicity:	This material is not listed by IARC, NTP or OSHA as a carcinogen. No test data is available that indicates this material is a carcinogen.	
Teratogenicity:	No data available.	
Reproduction:	In a 21-day feed study in Wistar rats, no developmental effects were reported in rats fed up to 1% benzyl benzoate in the diet during gestation days 0 to 21. A study of the safety of benzyl benzoate lotion in pregnancy in humans showed no evidence of adverse effects on pregnancy outcome due to topical 25% benzyl benzoate lotion.	
Neurotoxicity:	No data available.	
Mutagenicity:	This product was found to be non-mutagenic in various Ames assays, both with and without metabolic activation.	

SECTION 12: Ecological information



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<u>12.1. Toxicity</u>	Not available.
<u>12.2. Persistence and degradability</u>	Readily biodegradable in aerobic screening assays using activated sludge inoculum (OECD 301C). Not expected to bioaccumulate.
<u>12.3. Bioaccumulative potential</u>	No data
<u>12.4. Mobility in soil</u>	No data
<u>12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment</u>	Not available.
<u>12.6. Other adverse effects</u>	LC100 (Brachydanio rerio) = 2.84 mg/L/96 hr EC50 (activated sludge) > 10,000 mg/L/3 hr
German Water Hazard Classification:	ID Number 5203, hazard class 2 - hazard to waters
	Component Name: Benzylbenzoat

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

US EPA Waste Number:	Not applicable
Waste Disposal:	Dispose of this material in accordance with standard practice for disposal of potentially hazardous materials as required by applicable international, national, regional, state or local laws. Do NOT dump into any sewers, on the ground, or into any body of water. For disposal within the EC, the appropriate code according to the European Waste Catalogue (EWC) should be used. Note that disposal regulations may also apply to empty containers and equipment rinsates.

SECTION 14: Transport information

<u>14.1. UN number</u>	Not applicable
<u>14.2. UN proper shipping name</u>	Chemicals n.o.s. (Benzyl Benzoate)
<u>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</u>	Not applicable
<u>14.4. Packing group</u>	Not applicable
<u>14.5. Environmental hazards</u>	Not applicable
<u>14.6. Special precautions for user</u>	For transport OUTSIDE the United States the proper shipping name is: UN3082, Environmentally Hazardous substance, liquid, n.o.s., (Benzyl Benzoate), 9, PG III (Marine Pollutant). IMDG EMS: Not applicable
NA Emergency Guidebook Numbers:	Not applicable
<u>14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code</u>	Not applicable.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information



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15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

OSHA Hazards: Health: Irritant. Physical: Not applicable.

WHMIS Classification: Not Controlled

Chemical Inventory Lists:	Status
TSCA:	Present
EINECS:	204-402-9
Canada(DSL/NDL):	DSL
Japan:	(3)-1389
Korea:	KE-02782
Australia:	Present
New Zealand:	Present
China:	Present
Philippines:	Present
Switzerland:	G-1231

New Zealand GHS Classification: Acute toxicity - Oral - Category 4: H302 Harmful if swallowed. (Approval: HSR003504); Acute toxicity - Dermal - Category 5: H313 May be harmful in contact with skin. (Approval: HSR003504); Hazardous to aquatic environment - acute hazard - Category 2: H401 Toxic to aquatic life. (Approval: HSR003504); Terrestrial Vertebrate Ecotoxicity - Category 3: H433 Harmful to terrestrial vertebrates. (Approval: HSR003504)

Japan GHS Classification: Acute toxicity - Oral - Category 4: H302 Harmful if swallowed.; Hazardous to aquatic environment - acute hazard - Category 2: H401 Toxic to aquatic life.

Korea (MOL) GHS Classification: Not classified by this country.

Australia GHS Classification: Not classified by this country.

Taiwan GHS Classification: Acute toxicity - Oral - Category 4: H302 Harmful if swallowed.; Acute toxicity - Dermal - Category 5: H313 May be harmful in contact with skin.

Indonesia GHS Classification: Not classified by this country.

SARA 313: Not listed.

Component Name:
Not listed.

Reportable Quantities: Not applicable

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Not applicable.



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SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of R phrases in Section 3: R53: May cause long term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.
R51: Toxic to aquatic organisms.
R22: Harmful if swallowed.

Legend of abbreviations: ACGIH = American Conference on Governmental Industrial Hygienists.
CAS = Chemical Abstracts Service.
CERCLA = Comprehensive Environmental, Response, Compensation and Liability Act (1990).
CFR = Code of Federal Regulations.
DSL/NDL = Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List.
EC = European Community.
EEC = European Economic Community.
EINECS = European Inventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances.
ELINCS = European List of Notified Chemical Substances.
EU = European Union.
GHS = Globally Harmonized System.
LC = Lethal concentration.
LD = Lethal dose.
MOL = Ministry of Labor.
NEMA = National Emergency Management Agency.
NFPA = National Fire Protection Association.
NIOSH = National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health.
NTP = National Toxicological Program.
OSHA = Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PEL = Permissible exposure limit.
RQ = Reportable quantity.
SARA = Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986.
TLV = Threshold limit value.
WHMIS = Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System.

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