1. Identification of the substance / mixture and of the company / undertaking

1.1 Product identifier
Product name: Barium carbonate
CAS-No.: 513-77-9
EC-No.: 208-167-3

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture
Identified use: Laboratory chemical

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet
Company: NETZSCH-Gerätebau GmbH
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95100 Selb / Germany
Customer service Phone: +49 9287 881-555
Emergency Phone: +49 9287 881-174 (during office hours)
Fax: +49 9287 881-505
E-mail Address: service@ngb.netzsch.com

2. Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture
Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.

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

Hazard pictograms:

Signalword: Warning

Hazard statements: H302 Harmful if swallowed.
Precautionary statements: P262 Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
P301+P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
Additional information: -
2.3 Other hazards

All chemicals are potentially dangerous. They are therefore only be handled by specially trained personnel with the necessary care.

Results of PBT- und vPvB assessment
PBT: Not applicable.
vPvB: Not applicable.

3. Composition / information on ingredients

3.1 Chemical characterization:
Substances
CAS-No. Description: 513-77-9 barium carbonate
Identification number(s):
EC number: 208-167-3
Formula: BaCO$_3$
Molar mass [g/mol]: 197.34

4. First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures
General information: In case of complaints consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Remove any clothing soiled by the product.
After inhalation: Move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.
After skin contact: Wash off with soap and plenty of water. If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.
After eye contact: To be sure rinse opened eye under running water. If there is any trouble seek medical help.
After swallowing: Rinse out mouth and then drink water. Consult a physician. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed
Breathing difficulty
Coughing
CNS disorders
Irritations
diarrhoea

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed
No relevant information available.
5. Fire-Fighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing agents
Suitable extinguishing agents: Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.

\[ \text{CO}_2, \] powder or water spray.

Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

Product non-combustible.

For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents: For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
In the event of fire development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible.

In case of fire, the following can be released:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide.

5.3 Advice for firefighters
Protective equipment: Wear self-contained respirator protective device.

Wear fully protective suit.

Additional information: -

6. Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
Do not breathe dust.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Avoid formation of dust.

6.2 Environmental precautions
Do not allow to enter sewers / ground water or penetrate the soil.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up
Pick up mechanically.

Dispose of the material collected according to regulations.

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

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.

7. Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling
Keep containers, equipment and working place clean.

Handling corresponding to laboratory safety guidelines.

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Information about fire and explosion protection:

No special measures required.
7.2  Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Requirements to be safe storage, including any incompatibilities: No special requirements.
Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from foodstuffs.
Further information about storage conditions: Keep container tightly sealed.
Recommended storage temperature: 15-25°C

7.3  Specific end use(s)
No further relevant information available.

8.  Exposure controls / personal protection

Additional information about design of technical facilities: No further data; see item 7.

8.1  Control parameters
Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: 513-77-9 barium carbonate

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8.2  Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment:
General protective and hygienic measures: Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work. Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
Individual protection measures: Protective clothing needs to be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentrations and quantities of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be enquired at the respective supplier.
Respiratory protection: Required when dusts are generated: filter P2.
Protection of hands: Protective gloves:
The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation. Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.
Material: Nitrile
Eye protection: Tightly sealed goggles
Body protection: Protective work clothing
9. Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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9.2 Other information

No further relevant information available.
10. Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity
See section 10.3

10.2 Chemical stability
Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:
No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions
With strong acids.

10.4 Conditions to avoid
No information available.

10.5 Incompatible materials
No information available.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products
In case of fire: see item 5.

11. Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects
Acute toxicity
LD / LC50 values relevant for classification: Oral | LD50 | 418 mg/kg (rat) (RTECS)

Potential health effects
Skin: May cause skin irritation.
Eyes: May cause eye irritation.
Inhalation: May cause irritation of the respiratory tract.
Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed.
Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.

CMR effects
Germ cell mutagenicity: No information available.
Carcinogenicity: No information available.
Reproductive toxicity: No information available.

Aspiration hazard:
No aspiration toxicity classification.

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure:
The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.

Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure:
The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, repeated exposure.
Additional toxicological information:
After swallowing:
Spasms
Diarrhoea
cardiovascular failure
CNS-disorders

Further information:
The product should be handled with the usual care as necessary for chemicals.

12. Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity
Aquatic toxicity

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12.2 Persistence and degradability
Persistence: No data available.
Degradability: Biologic degradation: Methods for the determination of biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential
No further relevant information available.

12.4 Mobility in soil
No further relevant information available.

Ecotoxic effects
Remark: Do not allow to enter waters, waste water, or soil!

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
PBT: Not applicable.
vPvB: Not applicable.

12.6 Other adverse effects
No further relevant information available.

13. Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods
Recommendation: Dispose of residual amounts and non-reusable solutions in accordance with local legal regulations. Waste code must be classified as hazardous.

Uncleaned packaging
Recommendation: Dispose of as unused product
14. Transport information

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14.6 Special precautions for user
Warning: Toxic substances.

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code
The cargo is not intended to be carried in bulk.

15. Regulatory information

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

National regulations:
Information about limitation of use: Employment restrictions concerning pregnant and lactating women must be observed. Employment restrictions concerning juveniles must be observed.

Waterhazard class: Generally not hazardous for water (German regulation).

15.2 Chemical safety assessment
A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16. Other Information

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