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#### SAFETY DATA SHEET

### **SECTION 01 - PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

Product Identifier			Product Use		
BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE			Laboratory use		
Chemical formula				Product code	Molar weight
C6H5CH2N(CH3)2RCI (	R=C8H17 to C18	H37)		BP-0827	
Chemical name / Commercial name / Synonymous ALKYLDIMETHYLBENZYLAMMONIUM CHLORIDE, ALKYBENZYLDIMETHYLAMMONI			IMETHYLAMMONIU	JM CHLORIDE, BENZALKONIUM CHLC	DRIDE
Supplier's name			Address-Street		
Laboratoire MAT			610, Adanac Street		
City			Province		
Québec			Québec		
Postal code	Postal code Internet		Phone number		
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## **SECTION 02 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Classification WHIMS / GHS		
	Skin corrosion/irritat	ion - Skin corrosion category 1B
	Serious eye damage	/eye irritation - Serious eye damage category 1
	Acute toxicity - Oral	category 3
	Acute toxicity - Derm	nal category 4
Signal Word	DANGER	
Hazards statements (H)	H301 Toxic if swallo	wed.
	H312 Harmful in con	tact with skin.
	H314 Causes severe	skin burns and eye damage.
	H318 Causes serious	s eye damage.
Precautionary statements (P)	P260	Do not breathe dust / fume / gas / mist / vapours / spray.
	P264	Wash the areas of the body that have been in contact with the product after handling.
	P270	Do no eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
	P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
	P301 + P310	IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
	P301 + P330 + P33	31 IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
	P302 + P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
	P303 + P361 + P35	3 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
	P304 + P340	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
	P305 + P351 + P33	88 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
	P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
	P312	Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
	P321	Specific treatment (see section 4 of the SDS and on this label).
	P330	Rinse mouth.
	P362 + P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
	P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
	P405	Store locked up.
	P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local / regional / national / international regulations or contact a specialist waste disposal company.
PICTOGRAMS		
Other dangers	NFP	A (Risk: 0=No risk; 1=Slight; 2=Moderate; 3=Signifiant; 4=Extreme)
	Health 3	
	Fire 0	
	Reactivity 0	
	Special danger	
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# SECTION 03 - COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingrédients (Dénomination chimique / synonymes)	Numéro CAS et tout identificateur unique	Concentration (%)
Chlorure de benzalkomium	63449-41-2	<=100

### **SECTION 04 - FIRST AID MEASURES**

Eye contact	Wash eyes with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes while holding eyelids apart to rinse eyes. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.
Skin contact	Wash skin with plenty of water for at least 1.5 minutes. Remove soiled clothing. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.
Inhalation	Move the unwell person to the fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Consult a physician.
Ingestion	Do NOT induce vomiting. If the person is conscious, rinse the mouth with water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Consult a physician.
Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)	Ref. section 11.
Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary	In case of medical consultation, keep this sheet available.
General advice	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### **SECTION 05 - FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Flammability	No
Ignition conditions	Not flammable or combustible.
Suitable extinguishing media	Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not use a concentrated stream of water that could spread fire.
Hazardous combustion / decomposition products	Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Hydrogen chloride gas.
Special fire and explosion hazards	May react violently with incompatible products (Ref Section 10). The product causes burns to the eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Discard incompatible substances if this can be done without risk. Firefighters should be equipped with standard protective equipment, fireproof clothing, face mask, gloves, protective boots and, where appropriate, self-contained breathing apparatus.

### SECTION 06 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Methods and materials for	Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Pick
containment and cleaning up /	up with a shovel or broom, taking care not to scatter dust. Dispose of residues in a container provided for
Personnal precautions, protective	the disposal of hazardous materials. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must
equipment	be avoided.

## SECTION 07 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store in cool place. Hygroscopic. Store under inert gas. Do not store with oxidation agents
Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Use a hood preferably.

## SECTION 08 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Workplace control parameters

Components	CAS- No.	Control	Value	Basis
BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE		TLV, TWA, STEL	No data available	Canada. Alberta, Occupational Health and Safety Code (table 2: OEL)
		TLV, TWA, STEL	No data available	Canada. British Columbia OEL
		TLV, TWA, STEL	No data available	Québec. Regulation respecting occupational health and safety, Schedule 1, Part 1: Permissible exposure values for airborne contaminants

Ventilation	Use fan.
Respiratory	If the permissible levels are exceeded, use a mechanical filter / cartridge against NIOSH vapors or a respirator with air supply.
Gloves	Handle with gloves.
Eyes	Safety goggles with safety shutters.
Shoes	Safety shoes.
Clothing	Labcoat. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.
Engineering control	Have safety showers and eyewash stations in the workplace in case of an emergency and a ventilation system to maintain the level of concentrations in the air below the exposure limit values.

### **SECTION 09 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Physical state	Solid.
Appearance	Fusion semi-liquide jaune clair.
Odour	inodore.
Odour threshold	Data not available
рН	Données non disponibles.
Melting point / Freezing point	Data not available
Initial boiling point	Data not available
Boiling range	Data not available
Flash point	Data not available
Evaporation rate	Data not available
Flammability	No
Lower flammable / Explosive limit	Data not available
Upper flammable / Explosive limit	Data not available
Vapour pressure	Data not available
Vapour density	Data not available
Relative density	Data not available
Solubility	Soluble dans l'eau.
Partition coefficient water/n-octanol	Data not available
Auto-ignition temperature	Data not available
Decomposition temperature	Data not available
Viscosity	Data not available

### SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	Non-reactive under normal conditions.
Chemical stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Stable under normal conditions.
Conditions of instability (Including sensitivity to shock / static discharge / vibration)	Avoid moisture. Incompatible products.
Incompatible material	Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products	Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Hydrogen chloride gas.

#### SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE

Routes of exposure	Ingestion, inhalation, skin and eyes.
Acute exposition effects / symptoms:	By exposure route below.
- Eyes	May cause eye irritation. Can cause corneal damage.
- Skin	May cause skin irritation.
- Inhalation	May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.
Acute toxicity (Ingestion)	Toxic if swallowed. The product is a corrosive material. Born not perform gastric lavage, do not induce vomiting. Check for lack of perforation Stomach or oesophageal: Ingestion causes severe swelling, serious injury to delicate fabrics and a danger of perforation.
Chronic exposure effects / symptoms	Cough, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea, Vomiting.
DL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LD50 Oral - Rat - 240 mg/kg. LD50 Dermal - Rat - 1420 mg/kg.
CL50 (specify species and route of entry)	LC50 - Inhalation - Data not available.

#### **SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Ecotoxicity	LC50 - Lepomis macrochirus - 0.31 mg/L - 96 h.
Persistence and degradability	Persistence is unlikely based on information available.
Bioaccumulative potential	Data not available.
Mobility in soil	Probable mobility in the environment due to its solubility in water.
	An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal. Very toxic to aquatic life.

#### **SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

	Dispose of contents / container in accordance with local / regional / national / international regulations / or contact a specialist waste disposal company.
Contaminated Packaging	Dispose of as unused product.

## **SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

UN Number	3261
UN Proper shipping name	SOLIDE ORGANIQUE CORROSIF, ACIDE, N.S.A. (CHLORURE DE BENZALKONIUM)
Transport hazard class(es)	8 Corrosive substances
Packing group	II
Limited quantity index	lkg
ERAP Index	-
Special precautions	16

#### **SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Skin corrosion/irritation - Skin corrosion category 1B Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Serious eye damage category 1 Acute toxicity - Oral category 3
Acute toxicity - Dermal category 4

#### **SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION**

#### **Further information**

The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Laboratoire MAT Inc. shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.

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