

Section 1. Product and Company Identification

Product Name	Sodium Butyrate
CAS Number	156-54-7

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Section 2. Hazards Identification

Classification of the substance or mixture GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Skin irritation (Category 2): H315 Eye irritation (Category 2A): H319 Germ cell mutagenicity (Category 2): H341 Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system: H335

GHS Label Elements Pictograms:



Signal word: WARNING

Hazard and precautionary statements Hazard statements

- H315: Causes skin irritation.
- H319: Causes serious eye irritation.
- H335: May cause respiratory irritation.
- H341: Suspected of causing genetic defects.

Precautionary statements

- P201: Obtain special instructions before use.
- P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
- P261: Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray.
- P264: Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
- P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.



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P302 + P352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

P304 + P340 + P312: IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell.

P305 + P351 + P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P308 + P313: IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

P332 + P313: If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.

P337 + P313: If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.

P362: Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

P403 + P233: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

P405: Store locked up.

P501: Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS: None

Section 3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Common Name	Sodium Butyrate	
Synonym(s)	Butyric acid, sodium salt	
Formula	$C_4H_7NaO_2$	
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COMPONENT	CAS NUMBER	CONCENTRATION
Sodium Butyrate	156-54-7	≤ 100%

Section 4. First Aid Measures

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.

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

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

Eye contact: Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. **Ingestion:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling and/or in section 11.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: No data available



Section 5. Firefighting Measures

Suitable extinguishing media: Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical, or carbon dioxide.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture: Carbon oxides, Sodium oxides **Advice for firefighters:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

Further information: No data available

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment, and emergency procedures:

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist, or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust. For personal protection see section 8.

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

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.

Reference to other sections: For disposal see section 13

Section 7. Handling and Storage

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.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities: Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep in a dry place. Strongly hygroscopic. Keep in a dry place. **Storage class (TRGS 510):** Non Combustible Solids

Section 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters: Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

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: Impervious clothing. 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

Information on basic physical and chemical properties Appearance: White powder Odor: Unpleasant Odor Threshold: No data available **pH:** No data available Melting point/freezing point: 250 - 253°C (482 - 487°F) - lit. Initial boiling point and boiling range: No data available Flash point: No data available **Evaporation rate:** No data available Flammability (solid, gas): No data available Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits: No data available Vapor pressure: No data available Vapor density: No data available Relative density: No data available Water solubility: No data available Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): No data available Auto-ignition temperature: No data available Decomposition temperature: No data available Viscosity: No data available **Explosive properties:** No data available Oxidizing properties: No data available



Other safety information: No data available

Section 10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity: No data available

Chemical stability: Stable under recommended storage conditions. Possibility of hazardous reactions: No data available Conditions to avoid: Exposure to moisture may affect product quality. Incompatible materials: Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products Other decomposition products: No data available In the event of fire: see section 5

Section 11. Toxicological Information

Information on toxicological effects Acute toxicity: No data available Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation: No data available Serious eye damage/eye irritation: No data available Respiratory or skin sensitization: No data available Germ cell mutagenicity: In vitro tests showed mutagenic effects

Carcinogenicity

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

ACGIH: No components of this product, present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1%, is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH

NTP: No components 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 components of this product, present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1%, is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA

Reproductive toxicity: No data available

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure: Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation.

Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure: No data available Aspiration hazard: No data available



Additional Information RTECS: ET6400000

Burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea, Vomiting, spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Liver - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

Section 12. Ecological Information

Toxicity Toxicity to fish LC50: Lepomis macrochirus - 5,000 mg/l - 24 h

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

EC50: Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 1,950 mg/l - 24 h

Persistence and degradability: No data available Bioaccumulative potential: No data available Mobility in soil: No data available Results of PBT and vPvB assessment: PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

Other adverse effects: No data available

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

Waste Treatment Methods: Dispose of product and contaminated packaging in accordance with all local, state, and federal environmental control regulations.

Section 14. Transport Information

DOT (US): Not dangerous goods IMDG: Not dangerous goods IATA: Not dangerous goods

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: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.



Massachusetts Right To Know Components: No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act. Pennsylvania Right To Know Components: Sodium butyrate, CAS-No. 156-54-7

New Jersey Right To Know Components: Sodium butyrate, CAS-No. 156-54-7 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

HMIS Rating Health: 2* Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0

NFPA Rating Health: 2 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0

Section 16. Other Information

Disclaimer: 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 appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product.

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