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

1.1 Product identifiers
Product name: Sodium Benzoate
CAS-No.: 532-32-1

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against
Identified uses: Laboratory chemicals, Industrial & for professional use only.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet
Company: Central Drug House (P) Ltd
7/28 Vardaan House
New Delhi-10002
INDIA
Telephone: +91 11 49404040
Email: care@cdhfinechemical.com

1.4 Emergency telephone number
Emergency Phone #: +91 11 49404040 (9:00am - 6:00 pm) [Office hours]

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture
Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
Eye irritation (Category 2), H319
For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC
Xi Irritant R36
For the full text of the R-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

2.2 Label elements
Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
Pictogram

Signal word: Warning
Hazard statement(s): Causes serious eye irritation.
Precautionary statement(s): IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
Supplemental Hazard
Statements

2.3 **Other hazards** - none

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 **Substances**

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**Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

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For the full text of the H-Statements and R-Phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

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.

**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, Sodium oxides

5.3 Advice for firefighters
Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

5.4 Further information
No data available

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. Avoid breathing dust.
For personal protection see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions
Do not let product enter drains.

6.3 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.

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. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.
For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.
Hygroscopic.

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

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
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**
For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

**Control of environmental exposure**
Do not let product enter drains.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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<td>Colour: white</td>
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<td>b) Odour</td>
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<td>c) Odour Threshold</td>
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<td>d) pH</td>
<td>7,0 - 8,5 at 144,1 g/l at 25 °C</td>
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<td>e) Melting point/freezing point</td>
<td>Melting point/range: &gt; 300 °C - lit.</td>
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<td>f) Initial boiling point and boiling range</td>
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<td>g) Flash point</td>
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<td>h) Evaporation rate</td>
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<td>k) Vapour pressure</td>
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<td>m) Relative density</td>
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<td>n) Water solubility</td>
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<td>o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water</td>
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#### 9.2 Other safety information

- Dust explosion class: St1

### 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
   Avoid moisture.

10.5 Incompatible materials
   Strong oxidizing agents

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

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

   Acute toxicity
   LD50 Oral - Rat - 2.100 mg/kg

   Skin corrosion/irritation
   Skin - Rabbit
   Result: No skin irritation
   (OECD Test Guideline 404)

   Serious eye damage/eye irritation
   Eyes - Rabbit
   Result: Eye irritation

   Respiratory or skin sensitisation
   No data available

   Germ cell mutagenicity
   No data available

   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.

   Reproductive toxicity
   Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure
   No data available

   Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
   No data available

   Aspiration hazard
   No data available

Additional Information
RTECS: DH6650000
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 LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 484 mg/l - 96 h

12.2 Persistence and degradability
   Biodegradability Result: 90% - Readily biodegradable.
   (OECD Test Guideline 301)

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. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

Contaminated packaging
Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1 UN number
ADR/RID: - IMDG: - IATA: -

14.2 UN proper shipping name
ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods
IMDG: Not dangerous goods
IATA: Not dangerous goods

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)
ADR/RID: - IMDG: - IATA: -

14.4 Packaging group
ADR/RID: - IMDG: - IATA: -

14.5 Environmental hazards
ADR/RID: no IMDG Marine pollutant: no IATA: no

14.6 Special precautions for user
No data available

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
No data available

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment
For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.
Eye Irrit. Eye irritation
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3
Xi Irritant
R36 Irritating to eyes.

Further information
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. Central Drug House (P) Ltd and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See www.cdhfinechemical.com for additional terms and conditions of sale.