

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Identifier:** (4N) 99.99% Barium Hydroxide

**Product Code:** BA-OH-04

**CAS Number:** 17194-00-2

**Relevant identified uses of the substance:** Scientific research and development

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## SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

OSHA Hazards

Target Organ Effect, Toxic by ingestion, Corrosive

Target Organs

Heart, Nerves., Kidney, Gastrointestinal tract, Bone marrow, Spleen., Liver

GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements



Pictogram

Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H302 + H332 Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statement(s)

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

P305 + P351 + IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if

P338 present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

#### HMIS Classification

Health hazard: 3

Chronic Health Hazard: \*

Flammability: 0

Physical hazards: 0

NFPA Rating

Health hazard: 3

Fire: 0

Reactivity Hazard: 0

Potential Health Effects

Inhalation May be harmful if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

Skin May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.

Eyes Causes eye burns.

Ingestion Toxic if swallowed. Causes burns.

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### SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Formula :  $\text{H}_2\text{BaO}_2$

Molecular Weight : 171.34 g/mol

CAS-No. EC-No. Index-No. Concentration

Barium hydroxide

17194-00-2 241-234-5 --

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### SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

If inhaled

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

In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

Consult a

physician.

In case of eye contact

Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital. Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes

and consult a physician.

If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water.

Consult a physician.

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### SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

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## **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

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## **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Air sensitive. Keep in a dry place.

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## **SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

Components with workplace control parameters

Personal protective equipment

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).

Hand protection

Handle with gloves.

Eye protection

Face shield and safety glasses

Skin and body protection

Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

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## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form powder  
pH 12.5 at 50 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F)  
Melting point > 300 °C (> 572 °F) – lit.  
Boiling point no data available  
Flash point not applicable  
Ignition temperature no data available  
Lower explosion limit no data available  
Upper explosion limit no data available  
Density 2.2 g/mL at 25 °C (77 °F)  
Water solubility no data available

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## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability  
Stable under recommended storage conditions.  
Conditions to avoid  
no data available  
Materials to avoid  
acids, Strong oxidizing agents  
Hazardous decomposition products  
Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. – Barium oxide

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## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity  
LD50 Oral – rat – 308 mg/kg  
Skin corrosion/irritation  
Serious eye damage/eye irritation  
no data available  
Respiratory or skin sensitization  
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.  
ACGIH: No component 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 component 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 component 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 (Globally Harmonized System)  
no data available  
Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System)  
no data available

Aspiration hazard

no data available

Potential health effects

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and upper respiratory tract.

Ingestion Toxic if swallowed. Causes burns.

Skin May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.

Eyes Causes eye burns.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and

skin., Cough, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea

Additional Information

RTECS: CQ9200000

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## SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity Persistence and degradability Bioaccumulative potential

no data available no data available no data available

Mobility in soil PBT and vPvB assessment Other adverse effects

no data available no data available no data available

May be harmful to aquatic organisms due to the shift of the pH.

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## SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product

Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal

service to dispose of this material. 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.

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## SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

UN-Number: 3262 Class: 8 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Corrosive solid, basic, inorganic, n.o.s. (Barium hydroxide)

Marine pollutant: No

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

IMDG

UN-Number: 3262 Class: 8 Packing group: II EMS-No: F-A, S-B

Proper shipping name: CORROSIVE SOLID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Barium hydroxide)

Marine pollutant: No

IATA

UN-Number: 3262 Class: 8 Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Corrosive solid, basic, inorganic, n.o.s. (Barium hydroxide)

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## SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

OSHA Hazards

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DSL Status

All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL list.

SARA 302 Components

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 Components

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SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

Massachusetts Right To Know Components

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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New Jersey Right To Know Components

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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.

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## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Safety Data Sheet according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH). 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. American Elements shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale. COPYRIGHT 1997-2022 AMERICAN ELEMENTS. LICENSED GRANTED TO MAKE UNLIMITED PAPER COPIES FOR INTERNAL USE ONLY.