

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Section 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name	?-BHC Standard
Product Code	025-05731

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Recommended uses	For research use only Reference material (as defined in Japanese Industrial Standards (JIS) Q0030)
Restrictions on use	Seek expert judgment when using for purposes other than those recommended.

Section 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS classification

Classification of the substance or mixture

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 3
Acute toxicity - Dermal	Category 3
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2B
Carcinogenicity	Category 1A
Reproductive Toxicity	Category 1B
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 1
Category 1 nervous system	
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	Category 1
Category 1 nervous system, blood system	
Acute aquatic toxicity	Category 1
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Category 1

Pictograms



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statements

- H320 - Causes eye irritation
- H301 - Toxic if swallowed
- H311 - Toxic in contact with skin
- H332 - Harmful if inhaled
- H350 - May cause cancer
- H360 - May damage fertility or the unborn child
- H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
- H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life
- H370 - Causes damage to the following organs: nervous system
- H372 - Causes damage to the following organs through prolonged or repeated exposure: nervous system, blood system

Precautionary statements-(Prevention)

- Obtain special instructions before use
- Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
- Use personal protective equipment as required
- Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
- Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
- Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
- Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
- Avoid release to the environment

Precautionary statements-(Response)

- IF exposed: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
- IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
- If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention
- IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
- Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell
- Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing
- Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
- IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
- Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell
- IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
- Rinse mouth
- Collect spillage

Precautionary statements-(Storage)

- Store locked up

Precautionary statements-(Disposal)

- Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Others

Other hazards Not available

Section 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Single Substance or Mixture Substance

Formula C₆H₆Cl₆

Chemical Name	Weight-%	Molecular weight	ENCS	ISHL No.	CAS RN
γ-BHC	99.0	290.83	(3)-2250,(9)-1652	9-508	58-89-9

Note on ISHL No.: * in the table means announced chemical substances.

Section 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Skin contact

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Eye contact

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediate medical attention is required.

Ingestion

Rinse mouth. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.

Protection of first-aiders

Use personal protective equipment as required.

Section 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media

Water spray (fog), Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Foam, Extinguishing powder, Sand

Unsuitable extinguishing media

No information available

Specific hazards arising from the chemical product

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors.

Special extinguishing method

No information available

Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Use personal protective equipment as required. Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear.

Section 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For indoor, provide adequate ventilation process until the end of working. Deny unnecessary entry other than the people involved by, for example, using a rope. While working, wear appropriate protective equipments to avoid adhering it on skin, or inhaling the gas. Work from windward, and retract the people downwind.

Environmental precautions

To be careful not discharged to the environment without being properly handled waste water contaminated.

Methods and materials for contaminant and methods and materials for cleaning up

Sweep up and gather scattered particles, and collect it in an empty airtight container.

Recovery, neutralization

No information available

Secondary disaster prevention measures

Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling

Technical measures

Avoid contact with strong oxidizing agents. Use with local exhaust ventilation.

Precautions

Do not rough handling containers, such as upsetting, falling, giving a shock, and dragging. Prevent leakage, overflow, and scattering. Not to generate steam and dust in vain. Seal the container after use. After handling, wash hands and face, and then gargle. In places other than those specified, should not be smoking or eating and drinking. Should not be brought contaminated protective equipment and gloves to rest stops. Deny unnecessary entry of non-emergency personnel to the handling area.

Safety handling precautions

Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required.

Storage

Safe storage conditions

Storage conditions

Store away from sunlight in a cool (2-10 °C) well-ventilated dry place. Store locked up.

Safe packaging material

Glass

Incompatible substances

Strong oxidizing agents

Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering controls

In case of indoor workplace, seal the source or use a local exhaust system. Provide the safety shower facility, and hand- and eye-wash facility. And display their position clearly.

Exposure limits

Chemical Name	JSOH (Japan)	ISHL (Japan)	ACGIH
γ -BHC 58-89-9	N/A	N/A	TWA: 0.5 mg/m ³ Skin

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection	Dust mask (JIS T 8151)
Hand protection	chemical protective gloves (JIS T 8116)
Eye protection	protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles (JIS T 8147)
Skin and body protection	Long-sleeved work clothes

General hygiene considerations

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

If this product is classified as "Chemical Substances Hazardous to Skin, etc.", use appropriate protective equipment to them.

Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form**Color**

white

Appearance

crystals - powder

Odor

characteristic odor

Melting point/freezing point

112 - 115 °C

Boiling point, initial boiling point and boiling range

no data available

Flammability

no data available

Evaporation rate:

no data available

Flammability (solid, gas):

no data available

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits**Upper:**

no data available

Lower:

no data available

Flash point

no data available

Auto-ignition temperature:

no data available

Decomposition temperature:

no data available

pH

no data available

Viscosity (coefficient of viscosity)

no data available

Dynamic viscosity

no data available

Solubilities

acetone : soluble . Ethanol : slightly soluble . water : practically insoluble, or insoluble .

n-Octanol/water partition coefficient:(log Pow)

no data available

Vapour pressure

no data available

Specific Gravity / Relative density

no data available

Vapour density

no data available

Particle characteristics

no data available

Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability**Reactivity**

no data available

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Hazardous reactions

None under normal processing

Conditions to avoid

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight

Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition productsCarbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Halides

Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
γ-BHC	140 mg/kg (Rat)	1,000 mg/kg (Rat)	1,560 mg/m ³ (Rat)(mist)

Chemical Name	Acute toxicity -oral- source information	Acute toxicity -dermal- source information	Acute toxicity -inhalation gas- source information
γ-BHC	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

Chemical Name	Acute toxicity -inhalation vapor- source information	Acute toxicity -inhalation dust- source information	Acute toxicity -inhalation mist- source information
γ-BHC	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

Skin irritation/corrosion

Chemical Name	Skin corrosion/irritation source information
γ-BHC	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

Serious eye damage/ irritation

Chemical Name	Serious eye damage/irritation source information
γ-BHC	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Chemical Name	Respiratory or Skin sensitization source information
γ-BHC	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

Reproductive cell mutagenicity

Chemical Name	germ cell mutagenicity source information
γ-BHC	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

Carcinogenicity

Chemical Name	Carcinogenicity source information
γ-BHC	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

Chemical Name	NTP	IARC	ACGIH	JSOH (Japan)
γ-BHC 58-89-9	Reasonably Anticipated	Group 1 Group 2A	A3	

Reproductive toxicity

Chemical Name	Reproductive toxicity source information
γ-BHC	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

STOT-single exposure

Chemical Name	STOT -single exposure- source information
γ-BHC	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

STOT-repeated exposure

Chemical Name	STOT -repeated exposure- source information
γ-BHC	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

Aspiration hazard

Chemical Name	Aspiration Hazard source information
γ-BHC	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Ecotoxicity**

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
γ-BHC	N/A	LC50: <i>Lebistes reticulata</i> 0.13 - 48 mg/L 96 h LC50: <i>Pimephales promelas</i> 104 - 117 µg/L 96 h LC50: <i>Pimephales promelas</i> 118 - 143 µg/L 96 h	LC50 : <i>Pandalus borealis</i> 0.00017 mg/L 96 h EC50 : <i>Gammaridea</i> 0.0008 mg/L 28 d

		<i>LC50:Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> 16 - 19 µg/L 96 h <i>LC50:Lepomis macrochirus</i> 23 - 28 µg/L 96 h <i>LC50:Poecilia reticulata</i> 280 - 450 µg/L 96 h <i>LC50:Cyprinus carpio</i> 75 - 120 µg/L 96 h <i>LC50:Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> 22 µg/L 96 h <i>LC50:Lepomis macrochirus</i> 100 µg/L 96 h	
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Other data

Chemical Name	Short-term (acute) hazardous to the aquatic environment source information	Long-term (chronic) hazardous to the aquatic environment source information
γ-BHC	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.	Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

Persistence and degradability	No information available
Bioaccumulative potential	No information available
Mobility in soil	No information available
Hazard to the ozone layer	No information available

Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste from residues

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Contaminated container and contaminated packaging

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Section 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ADR/RID

UN number	UN2761
Proper shipping name:	Organochlorine pesticide, solid, toxic (gamma-BHC)
UN classification	6.1
Subsidiary hazard class	
Packing group	III
Marine pollutant	Yes

IMDG

UN number	UN2761
Proper shipping name:	Organochlorine pesticide, solid, toxic (gamma-BHC)
UN classification	6.1
Subsidiary hazard class	
Packing group	III
Marine pollutant (Sea)	Yes
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code	No information available

IATA

UN number	UN2761
Proper shipping name:	Organochlorine pesticide, solid, toxic (gamma-BHC)
UN classification	6.1
Subsidiary hazard class	
Packing group	III

Environmentally Hazardous Substance Yes

Section 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

Japanese regulations

Fire Service Act	Not applicable
Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law	Deleterious Substances 3rd. Grade
Industrial Safety and Health Act	Harmful Substances Whose Names Are to be Indicated on the Label (Law Art.57) Notifiable Substances (Law Art.57-2) Substances designated by the Minister of Health, Labor and Welfare as carcinogenic(Ordinance on Industrial Safety and Health Art.577, Para.2)
Industrial Safety and Health Act (2024~)	【2024.4.1~】Chemical Substances Hazardous to Skin, etc.(Regulations Article 594-2 Paragraph 1)
Act on the Evaluation of Chemical Substances and Regulation of Their Manufacture, etc	Class I Specified Chemical Substances (Law Art.2, Para.2, Enforcement Order Art.1)
Regulations for the carriage and storage of dangerous goods in ship	Toxic Substances - Poison (Ordinance Art.3, Ministry of Transportation Ordinance Regarding Transport by Ship and Storage, Attached Table 1)
Civil Aeronautics Law	Toxic and Infectious Substances (Ordinance Art.194, MITL Notification for Air Transportation of Explosives etc., Attached Table 1)
Marine Pollution Prevention Law	Marine pollutants (P and PP substances)
Pollutant Release and Transfer Register Law (2023.4.1-)	Not applicable
Export Trade Control Order	Appendix 2 Export Approval Item

Chemical Name	Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law	Industrial Safety and Health Act Substances (Law Art.57-2)	Pollutant Release and Transfer Register Law (2023.4.1-)
γ-BHC 58-89-9 (99.0)	Applicable	Applicable	-

Section 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Key literature references and sources for data etc.

NITE: National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (JAPAN)
<http://www.safe.nite.go.jp/japan/db.html>
 IATA dangerous Goods Regulations
 RTECS:Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances
 Japan Industrial Safety and Health Association GHS Model SDS
 Dictionary of Synthetic Organic Chemistry , SSOCJ, Koudansha Scientific Co.Ltd.
 Chemical Dictionary, Kyouritsu Publishing Co., Ltd.
 etc

Record of SDS revisions

The following contents were revised. Regulatory information.

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