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

1.1. Product identifier

Identification of the substance/preparation

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Chemical Name
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-1,4-benzenedicarboxylate

CAS-No
6422-86-2

EC No.
229-176-9

Registration number (REACH)
01-2119446265-39***

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses
plasticizer
coatings
inks
additive
laboratory chemicals***

Uses advised against
None

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company/Undertaking
OXEA GmbH
Otto-Roelen-Str. 3
D-46147 Oberhausen
Germany

Product Information
Product Stewardship
FAX: +49 (0)208 693 2053
email: psq@oxea-chemicals.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number
+44 (0) 1235 239 670 (UK)
available 24/7***

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Based on present data no classification and labelling is required according to Directive 1272/2008/EC and its amendments (CLP Regulation)

2.2. Label elements

Not required.***

2.3. Other hazards
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None known***

PBT and vPvB assessment  This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating nor toxic (PBT), nor very persistent nor very bioaccumulating (vPvB)

SECTION 3: Composition / information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation
Keep at rest. Aerate with fresh air. When symptoms persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.

Skin
Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. When symptoms persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.

Eyes
Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses. Immediate medical attention is required.

Ingestion
Call a physician immediately. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Main symptoms
None known.***

Special hazard
None known.***

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

General advice
Remove contaminated, soaked clothing immediately and dispose of safely. First aider needs to protect himself.

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media
foam, dry chemical, carbon dioxide (CO2), water spray
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Unsuitable Extinguishing Media
Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Under conditions giving incomplete combustion, hazardous gases produced may consist of:
carbon monoxide (CO)
carbon dioxide (CO2)
Combustion gases of organic materials must in principle be graded as inhalation poisons
Vapours are heavier than air and may spread along floors

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters
Fire fighter protection should include a self-contained breathing apparatus (NIOSH-approved or EN 133) and full fire-fighting turn out gear.

Precautions for firefighting
Cool containers / tanks with water spray. Dike and collect water used to fight fire. Keep people away from and upwind of fire.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel: For personal protective equipment see section 8. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.
For emergency responders: Personal protection see section 8.***

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage. Do not discharge product into the aquatic environment without pretreatment (biological treatment plant).

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment
Stop the flow of material, if possible without risk. Dike spilled material, where this is possible.

Methods for cleaning up
Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. If liquid has been spilt in large quantities clean up promptly by scoop or vacuum. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Take necessary action to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause ignition of organic vapours).

6.4. Reference to other sections

For personal protective equipment see section 8.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling
Advice on safe handling
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms.

Hygiene measures
When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

Advice on the protection of the environment
See Section 8: Environmental exposure controls.

Incompatible products
- strong acids
- strong oxidizing agents

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Advice on protection against fire and explosion
Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take necessary action to avoid static electricity discharge (which might cause ignition of organic vapours). In case of fire, emergency cooling with water spray should be available. Ground and bond containers when transferring material.

Technical measures/Storage conditions
Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place. Handle and open container with care.

Temperature class
T2***

7.3. Specific end use(s)
- plasticizer
- coatings
- inks
- additive
- laboratory chemicals***

SECTION 8: Exposure controls / personal protection

8.1. Control parameters
Exposure limits European Union
No exposure limits established.

Exposure limits UK
No exposure limits established.

DNEL & PNEC

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Workers

DN(M)EL - long-term exposure - systemic effects - Inhalation

Other toxicological threshold***
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Version / Revision 3.00***

DN(M)EL - long-term exposure - systemic effects - Dermal 6,58*** mg/kg bw/day***

General population ***
DN(M)EL - long-term exposure - systemic effects - Inhalation 6,86*** mg/m³***
DN(M)EL - long-term exposure - systemic effects - Dermal 3,95*** mg/kg bw/day***
DN(M)EL - long-term exposure - systemic effects - Oral 3,95*** mg/kg bw/day***

Environment ***
PNEC aqua - freshwater 0,08*** µg/l***
PNEC aqua - marine water 0,008*** µg/l***
PNEC STP 1*** mg/l***
PNEC sediment - freshwater 8,28*** mg/kg***
PNEC sediment - marine water 0,828*** mg/kg***
PNEC soil 15*** µg/kg***
PNEC oral 52,7*** mg/kg***

8.2. Exposure controls

Special adaptations (REACH)
Not applicable.***

Appropriate Engineering controls
General or dilution ventilation is frequently insufficient as the sole means of controlling employee exposure. Local ventilation is usually preferred. Explosion-proof equipment (for example fans, switches, and grounded ducts) should be used in mechanical ventilation systems.

Personal protective equipment

General industrial hygiene practice
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not breathe vapours or spray mist. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Hygiene measures
When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

Eye protection
Tightly fitting safety goggles. In addition to goggles, wear a face shield if there is a reasonable chance for splash to the face.
Equipment should conform to EN 166

Hand protection
Wear protective gloves. Recommendations are listed below. Other protective material may be used, depending on the situation, if adequate degradation and permeation data is available. If other chemicals are used in conjunction with this chemical, material selection should be based on protection for all chemicals present.

Suitable material nitrile rubber
Evaluation according to EN 374: level 6
Glove thickness approx 0,55 mm
Break through time > 480 min

Suitable material polyvinylchloride / nitrile rubber
Evaluation according to EN 374: level 6
Glove thickness approx 0,9 mm
Break through time > 480 min
Skin and body protection
Impervious clothing. Wear face-shield and protective suit for abnormal processing problems.

Environmental exposure controls
If possible use in closed systems. If leakage can not be prevented, the substance needs to be suck off at the emersion point, if possible without danger. Observe the exposure limits, clean exhaust air if needed. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations. Inform the responsible authorities in case of leakage into the atmosphere, or of entry into waterways, soil or drains.

Additional advice
Further details on substance data can be found in the registration dossier under the following link: http://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals/registered-substances.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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<td>Melting point/Boiling point</td>
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<td>Flammability (solid, gas)</td>
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<td>Lower explosion limit</td>
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<td>Upper explosion limit</td>
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<td>Vapour pressure</td>
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<td>Solubility</td>
<td>0.4 µg/l @ 22.5 °C, in water</td>
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<td>Autoignition temperature</td>
<td>387 °C @ 980 hPa</td>
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<td>Decomposition temperature</td>
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<td>Viscosity</td>
<td>65.8 mPa·s @ 25 °C</td>
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<td>Explosive properties</td>
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<td>Oxidizing properties</td>
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9.2. Other information

Molecular weight                  | 390.56                              |
Molecular formula                 | C24 H38 O4                          |
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Conductivity 0.0029 µS/m @ 20 °C***
Refractive index 1.487 @ 20 °C
Surface tension 32.7 mN/m @ 22 °C (71.6 °F), EU A.5***

SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity

10.1. Reactivity
The reactivity of the product corresponds to the typical reactivity shown by the substance group as described in any text book on organic chemistry.

10.2. Chemical stability
Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions
Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.***

10.4. Conditions to avoid
Avoid contact with heat, sparks, open flame and static discharge. Avoid any source of ignition.

10.5. Incompatible materials
strong acids, strong oxidizing agents.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products
No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

**Likely routes of exposure**
Ingestion, Eye contact, Skin contact***

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<td>Oral</td>
<td>LD50</td>
<td>&gt; 5000 mg/kg</td>
<td>rat</td>
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<td>Dermal</td>
<td>LD50</td>
<td>&gt; 19670 mg/kg</td>
<td>guinea pig</td>
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| Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-1,4- benzenedicarboxylate***, CAS: 6422-86-2 |
| Assessment |
| Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met for: |
| Acute oral toxicity |
| Acute dermal toxicity |
| For acute inhalation toxicity, no data are available*** |

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<th>Result</th>
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<td>Skin</td>
<td>guinea pig</td>
<td>Mild skin irritation</td>
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Eyes

rabbit
Mild eye irritation

Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-1,4- benzenedicarboxylate***, CAS: 6422-86-2
Assessment
Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met for:
skin irritation/corrosion
eye irritation/corrosion***

Sensitization
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-1,4- benzenedicarboxylate (6422-86-2)
Target Organ Effects Species Evaluation Method
Skin guinea pig not sensitizing

Subacute, subchronic and prolonged toxicity
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-1,4- benzenedicarboxylate (6422-86-2)

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<td>Subacute toxicity</td>
<td>NOAEL: 885 mg/kg/d (28d)</td>
<td>rat, male/female</td>
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<td>Subacute toxicity</td>
<td>NOAEC: 46.3 mg/m³ (10 d)</td>
<td>rat, male/female</td>
<td>Inhalation</td>
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<td>Subchronic toxicity</td>
<td>NOAEL: 277 - 309 mg/kg/d (90d)</td>
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<td>Chronic toxicity</td>
<td>NOAEL: 79 - 102 mg/kg/d (104 weeks)</td>
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<td>Oral</td>
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Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-1,4- benzenedicarboxylate***, CAS: 6422-86-2
Assessment
Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met for:
Skin sensitization
For respiratory sensitization, no data are available***

Carcinogenicity, Mutagenicity, Reproductive toxicity
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-1,4- benzenedicarboxylate (6422-86-2)

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<td>OECD 473 (Chromosomal Aberration)</td>
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<td>Developmental Toxicity</td>
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<td>Reproductive toxicity</td>
<td>NOAEL 500 - 1000 mg/kg/d</td>
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<td>OECD 416</td>
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Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-1,4- benzenedicarboxylate***, CAS: 6422-86-2

CMR Classification
The available data on CMR properties are summarized in the table above. They do not indicate a classification into categories 1A or 1B***

Evaluation
In vitro tests did not show mutagenic effects
Did not show reprotoxic effects in animal experiments
In the absence of specific alerts no cancer testing is required***

Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-1,4- benzenedicarboxylate***, CAS: 6422-86-2
Target Organ Systemic Toxicant - Single exposure
Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met for:
STOT SE***

Target Organ Systemic Toxicant - Repeated exposure
Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met for:
STOT RE***

Aspiration toxicity
Due to the viscosity, this product does not present an aspiration hazard***

Note
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Further details on substance data can be found in the registration dossier under the following link:
http://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals/registered-substances.***

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Acute aquatic toxicity

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<td>Daphnia magna (Water flea)</td>
<td>48h</td>
<td>EC50: &gt; 0,0014 mg/l</td>
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<tr>
<td>Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow)</td>
<td>96h</td>
<td>LC50: &gt; 984 mg/l</td>
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<td>Algae</td>
<td>72h</td>
<td>NOEC: &gt;= 0,86 mg/l</td>
<td>Growth inhibition</td>
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12.2. Persistence and degradability

Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-1,4- benzenedicarboxylate***, CAS: 6422-86-2
Biodegradation
40,2 % (28 d).

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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<td>5,72***</td>
<td>calculated, OECD 107***</td>
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12.4. Mobility in soil
12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-1,4-benzenedicarboxylate***, CAS: 6422-86-2
PBT and vPvB assessment
This substance is not considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating nor toxic (PBT), nor very persistent nor very bioaccumulating (vPvB)

12.6. Other adverse effects

Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-1,4-benzenedicarboxylate***, CAS: 6422-86-2
No data available***

Note
Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Product Information
Disposal required in compliance with all waste management related state and local regulations. The choice of the appropriate method of disposal depends on the product composition by the time of disposal as well as the local statutes and possibilities for disposal.
Uncleaned empty packaging
Contaminated packaging should be emptied as far as possible and after appropriate cleansing may be taken for reuse.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Section 14.1 - 14.6 ***

ADR/RID
Not restricted

ADN
ADN: Container and Tanker
Not restricted

ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR
Not restricted

IMDG
Not restricted

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code
not applicable***

SECTION 15: Regulatory information
15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Regulation 1272/2008, Annex VI
not listed

DI 2012/18/EU (Seveso III) ***
Category not subject***

DI 1999/13/EC (VOC Guideline) ***

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International Inventories

Bis(2-ethylhexyl)-1,4- benzenedicarboxylate***, CAS: 6422-86-2
- AICS (AU)
- DSL (CA)
- IECSC (CN)
- EC-No. 2291769 (EU)
- ENCS (3)-4053 (JP)
- ISHL 4-(7)-1490 (JP)
- KECI KE-02197 (KR)
- PICCS (PH)
- TSCA (US)
- NZIoC-NZ May be used as single component chemical
- TCSI (TW)***

National regulatory information Great Britain

This classification following EG guidelines is also in accordance with the Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulation CHIP (as amended).

Releases to air (Pollution Inventory Substances)
not subject

Releases to water (Pollution Inventory Substances)
not subject

Releases to sewer (Pollution Inventory Substances)
not subject
For details and further information please refer to the original regulation

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

The Chemical Safety Report (CSR) has been generated. As this product is not hazardous under REACh, no Exposure Scenarios have been calculated.***

SECTION 16: Other information
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Abbreviations
A table of terms and abbreviations can be found under the following link:

Training advice
For effective first-aid, special training / education is needed.

Sources of key data used to compile the datasheet
Information contained in this safety data sheet is based on Oxea owned data and public sources deemed valid or acceptable. The absence of data elements required by OSHA, ANSI or Annex II, Regulation 1907/2006/EC indicates, that no data meeting these requirements is available.

Further information for the safety data sheet
Changes against the previous version are marked by ***. Observe national and local legal requirements. For more information, other material safety data sheets or technical data sheets please consult the Oxea homepage (www.oxea-chemicals.com).
The annex is not required because the substance is not hazardous under REACh***

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End of Safety Data Sheet