

Safety Data Sheet

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Section 1: Chemical Identification

1.1 Chemical Identification

Product Name: Boric Acid
Alternative Name: Trihydroxidoboron
Catalog Number: B-030

1.2 Relevant Uses and Uses Advised Against

Recommended use: This product is not for use in humans. It is for research purposes only.

1.3 Supplier Contact Information

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1.4 Emergency Contact Information

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Section 2: Hazardous Information

2.1 GHS Classification

Reproductive Toxicity (Category 2)

2.2 GHS Label Elements, Including Precautionary statements



Warning

2.3 Hazard Statements

H361: Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child

2.4 Precautionary Statements

P201: Obtain special instructions before use
P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
P308+313: IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention
P405: Store locked up

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

2.8 HMIS Classification

Health Hazard:	1
Chronic Health Hazard:	*
Flammability:	0
Physical Hazards:	0

2.9 NFPA Rating

Health Hazard:	0
Fire:	0
Reactivity Hazard:	0

Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

3.1 Composition

Identity:	Boric Acid
IUPAC:	boric acid
Synonyms:	Orthoboric acid, Boracic acid, Borofax, Boron hydroxide, Boron trihydroxide
CAS Number:	10043-35-3
Molecular Formula:	H ₃ BO ₃
Molecular Weight:	61.83 g/mol

Section 4: First Aid Measures

4.1 Detailed First Aid Measures

Inhalation:	If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.
Skin:	Immediately wash skin copiously with soap and water. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician.
Eye:	Immediately rinse out with water for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers. Consult a physician.
Ingestion:	Wash out mouth with water. Drink plenty of water. Consult a physician. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
Notes to Physician:	Treat symptomatically and supportively.

4.2 Most Important Symptoms And Effects, Either Acute Or Delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labeling (see section 2). And /or in section 11.

4.3 Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Not available

Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

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5.1 Conditions of flammability:

Not flammable or combustible.

5.2 Suitable extinguishing media:

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

5.3 Specific hazards arising from the chemical

During a fire, highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion
– Borane/Boron Oxides.

5.4 Specific protective actions for fire-fighters:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation.

6.2 Environmental precautions:

Do not let product enter drains.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

Soak up with absorbent material, discard.

Section 7: Handling and Storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling:

Always wear personal protective equipment (PPE, see section 8).

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including and incompatibilities:

Keep container tightly closed. Keep in a dry place. Product is moisture sensitive.

Store desiccated at room temperature.

Section 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

8.1 Control Parameters:

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

8.2: Appropriate engineering controls:

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

8.3 Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

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 outer surface of glove - 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. 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).

Other Protective Clothing or Equipment: Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent exposure.

Control Parameters - Workplace

<u>Component:</u>	<u>CAS-No:</u>	<u>Value:</u>	<u>Control Parameters:</u>	<u>Basis:</u>
Boric Acid	10043-35-3	TWA	2.000000 mg/m ³	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
	Remarks	Upper Respiratory Tract irritation; Not classifiable as a human carcinogen		
Boric Acid	10043-35-3	STEL	6.000000 mg/m ³	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
	Remarks	Upper Respiratory Tract irritation; Not classifiable as a human carcinogen		

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1 General chemical and physical properties

Appearance:	Solid
Odor:	Not Available
Odor Threshold:	Not Available
pH:	pH 5.1 at 1.8 g/L at 25°C
Melting Point:	160°C
Freezing Point:	Not Available
Boiling Point/Range:	300°C
Flash Point:	Not Available
Evaporation Rate:	Not Available
Lower Explosion Limit:	Not Available
Upper Explosion Limit:	Not Available
Vapor Pressure:	3.5 hPa at 20°C

Vapor Density:	Not Available
Relative Density:	1.440 g/cm ³
Solubility:	Not Available
Partition Coefficient n-octanol/water:	Not Available
Auto-Ignition Temperature:	Not Available
Decomposition Temperature:	Not Available
Viscosity:	Not Available

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity Data

10.1 Reactivity:

Not available

10.2 Chemical Stability:

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions:

Not available.

10.4 Conditions to avoid:

Incompatible materials, Exposure to moisture.

10.5 Incompatible materials:

Strong oxidizing agents, Potassium, Acid Anhydrides.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Borane/Boron Oxides.

Section 11: Toxicological Information

11.1 Toxicological effects

Acute toxicity:

Boric Acid Oral: LD₅₀ (Rat) = 2.66 g/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation:

Not available.

Respiratory or skin sensitization:

Not available.

Germ cell mutagenicity:

Not 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 probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by ACGIH.
- NTP:** 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 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:

Not available.

STOT-single exposure:

Not available.

STOT-repeated exposure:

Not available.

Aspiration hazard:

Not available.

Likely routes of exposure:

Respiratory organs, mouth, skin, and eyes.

Symptoms of exposure:

Ingestion or absorption may cause anderythematous lesions on the skin and mucous membranes. Other symptoms delirium, convulsions, and coma. Death has been reported to occur in infa grams. To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Additional Information:

RTECS: ED4550000

Section 12: Ecological Information

12.1 Toxicity:

Toxicity to fish:

LC₅₀ (*Ptychocheilus lucius*)= 279 mg/L – 96h

LC₅₀ (*Lepomis macrochirus*)= >1021 mg/L – 96h

Toxicity to other aquatic invertebrates:

LC₅₀ (*Daphnia magna*)=53.2 mg/L – 21 d

EC₅₀ (*Daphnia magna*)= 133 mg/L – 48h

12.2 Persistence and degradability:

Not available.

12.3 Bioacumulative potential:

Not available.

12.4 Mobility in soil:

Not available.

12.5 Other adverse effects:

None.

Section 13 Disposal Considerations

Dispose of product in accordance with local rules and regulations.

Section 14: Transport Information

14.1 US Department of Transportation (DOT)

This material is considered to be non-hazardous for transport.

14.2 International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG):

This material is considered to be non-hazardous for transport.

14.2 International Air Transportation Association (IATA)

This material is considered to be non-hazardous for transport.

Section 15: Regulatory Information

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:

SARA 313: 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.

SARA 311/312 Hazards:

Chronic Health Hazard

Massachusetts Right To Know Components:

Boric Acid, ACS Grade

CAS - No.

10043-35-3

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components:

Boric Acid, ACS Grade

CAS - No.

10043-35-3

New Jersey Right To Know Components:

Boric Acid, ACS Grade

CAS - No.

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California Prop. 65 Components:

This product does not contain any chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

Section 16: Other Information

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