

Section 1 Chemical Product and Company Identification

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Product NUTRIENT AGAR**Synonyms** Not applicable**Section 2 Hazards Identification**

This substance or mixture has not been classified as hazardous according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS) of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals.

Signal word: Not classified
Pictograms: Not classified
Target organs: None known

GHS Classification: Not classified**GHS Label information:**

Hazard statement: Not classified
Precautionary statement: Not classified

Supplemental information:

Agar is a dried hydrophilic colloidal substance obtained from various species of algae and, as such, presents a low hazard for normal laboratory handling. Dust may cause skin and eye irritation. Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Get medical attention if you feel unwell.

Hazards not otherwise classified:

Health hazards not otherwise classified (HHNOC) - Not Known
Physical hazards not otherwise classified (PHNOC) - Not Known

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Agar	9002-18-0	62.50%	232-658-1
Peptone, bacteriological	None assigned	21.75%	None assigned
Beef extract, bacteriological	None assigned	13.05%	None assigned

Section 4 First Aid Measures

INGESTION: Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

EYE CONTACT: MAY CAUSE TRANSIENT IRRITATION. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN ABSORPTION: Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use any media suitable for extinguishing supporting fire

Protective Actions for Fire-fighters: In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

Specific Hazards: During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Dust dispersed in air is capable of creating a dust explosion when exposed to an ignition source. Avoid dispersion of dust in air.

Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

Environmental Precautions: Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

Containment and Cleanup: Sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

Precautions for Safe Handling: Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale dusts. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

Conditions for Safe Storage: Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Keep away from ignition sources.

Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Agar	None established	None established	None established

Engineering controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Respiratory protection: None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If dusty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

Section 9 Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance: Solid, tan powder.

Odor: Characteristic odor of cooked meat.

Odor threshold: Data not available.

pH: Data not available.

Melting / Freezing point: Data not available

Boiling point: Data not available

Flash point: Data not available

Evaporation rate (= 1): Data not available

Flammability (solid/gas): Data not available.

Explosion limits: Lower / Upper: Data not available

Vapor pressure (mm Hg): Negligible

Vapor density (Air = 1): Data not available

Relative density (Specific gravity): Data not available

Solubility(ies): Soluble in water.

Partition coefficient: Data not available

Auto-ignition temperature: Data not available

Decomposition temperature: Data not available.

Viscosity: Data not available.

Molecular formula: Mixture

Molecular weight: Mixture

Section 10 Stability & Reactivity

Chemical stability: Stable

Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid: Excessive temperatures, heat, sparks, open flame and other sources of ignition.

Incompatible materials: Strong oxidizers, alkalis.

Hazardous decomposition products: Oxides of carbon.

Section 11 Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity: Oral-rat LD50: 1100 mg/kg [Agar CAS # 9002-18-0]

Skin corrosion/irritation: Data not available

Serious eye damage/irritation: Data not available

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Data not available

Germ cell mutagenicity: Data not available

Carcinogenicity: Data not available

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.

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.

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: Data not available

STOT-single exposure: Data not available

STOT-repeated exposure: Data not available

Aspiration hazard: Data not available

Potential health effects:

Inhalation: No specific hazard known.

Ingestion: No specific hazard known.

Skin: No specific hazard known.

Eyes: Contact with eyes may cause irritation.

Signs and symptoms of exposure: To the best of our knowledge the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Specific data is not available. Exercise appropriate procedures to minimize potential hazards.

Additional information: RTECS #: AW7950000 [Agar]

Section 12 Ecological Information

Toxicity to fish: No data available

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: No data available

Toxicity to algae: No data available

Persistence and degradability: No data available

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available

Mobility in soil: No data available

PBT and vPvB assessment: No data available

Other adverse effects: An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Section 13 Disposal Considerations

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Section 14 Transport Information (US DOT / CANADA TDG)

UN/NA number: Not applicable

Shipping name: Not Regulated

Hazard class: Not applicable

Packing group: Not applicable

Reportable Quantity: No

Marine pollutant: No

Exceptions: Not applicable

2016 ERG Guide #: Not applicable

Section 15 Regulatory Information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

Component	TSCA	CERLCA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	CA Prop 65
Agar	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed	This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

Section 16 Other Information

The information contained herein is furnished without warranty of any kind. Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them and must make independent determinations of suitability and completeness of information from all sources to assure proper use of these materials and the safety and health of employees. NTP: National Toxicology Program, IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer, OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration, STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity, SE: Single Exposure, RE: Repeated Exposure, ERG: Emergency Response Guidebook.

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Product EOSIN Y, 1% AQUEOUS SOLUTION**Synonyms** Eosin Y, Water Solution**Section 2 Hazards Identification**

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Signal word: None required**Pictograms:** No symbol required**Target organs:** None known**GHS Classification:** None required**GHS Label information: Hazard statement:** None required**Precautionary statement:** None required**Supplemental information:**

Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Get medical attention if you feel unwell.

Hazards not otherwise classified:

Health hazards not otherwise classified (HHNOC) - Not Known

Physical hazards not otherwise classified (PHNOC) - Not Known

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Water	7732-18-5	99.0%	231-791-2
Eosin Y yellowish (C.I. No. 45380)	17372-87-1	1.0%	241-409-6

Section 4 First Aid Measures

INGESTION: Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

EYE CONTACT: Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN ABSORPTION: Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol foam.

Protective Actions for Fire-fighters: In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

Specific Hazards: In fire conditions, water may evaporate from this solution which may cause hazardous decomposition products to be formed as dust or fume.

Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

Environmental Precautions: Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

Containment and Cleanup: Absorb with inert dry material, sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

Precautions for Safe Handling: Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale vapors, spray or mist. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

Conditions for Safe Storage: Store in a cool, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances. Protect from light.

Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Eosin Y Yellowish	None established	None established	None established

Engineering controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Respiratory protection: None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If misty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

Section 9 Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance: Liquid. Fluorescent yellow Odor: No odor. Odor threshold: Data not available. pH: Data not available. Melting / Freezing point: Approximately 0°C (32°F) (water) Boiling point: Approximately 100°C (212°F) (water) Flash point: Data not available	Evaporation rate (Water = 1): <1 Flammability (solid/gas): Data not available. Explosion limits: Lower / Upper: Data not available Vapor pressure (mm Hg): 14 (water) Vapor density (Air = 1): 0.7 (water) Relative density (Specific gravity): Approximately 1.0 (water) Solubility(ies): Complete in water.	Partition coefficient: Data not available Auto-ignition temperature: Data not available Decomposition temperature: Data not available. Viscosity: Data not available. Molecular formula: Mixture Molecular weight: Mixture
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Section 10 Stability & Reactivity

Chemical stability: Stable **Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid: Excessive temperatures which cause evaporation. Protect from light.

Incompatible materials: Strong oxidizers and reducing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon, nitrogen and sulfur oxides.

Section 11 Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity: Data not available

Skin corrosion/irritation: Data not available

Serious eye damage/irritation: Data not available

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Data not available

Germ cell mutagenicity: Data not available

Carcinogenicity: Data not available

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.

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.

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: Data not available

STOT-single exposure: Data not available

STOT-repeated exposure: Data not available

Aspiration hazard: Data not available

Potential health effects:

Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled.

Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.

Skin: May cause irritation.

Eyes: May cause irritation.

Signs and symptoms of exposure: To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Specific data is not available. Exercise appropriate procedures to minimize potential hazards.

Additional information: RTECS #: LM5850000 [Eosin Y]

Section 12 Ecological Information

Toxicity to fish: No data available

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: No data available

Toxicity to algae: No data available

Persistence and degradability: No data available

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available

Mobility in soil: No data available

PBT and vPvB assessment: No data available

Other adverse effects: An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Section 13 Disposal Considerations

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

Section 14 Transport Information (US DOT / CANADA TDG)

UN/NA number: Not applicable

Shipping name: Not Regulated

Hazard class: Not applicable

Packing group: Not applicable

Reportable Quantity: No

Marine pollutant: No

Exceptions: Not applicable **2016 ERG Guide #** Not applicable

Section 15 Regulatory Information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

Component	TSCA	CERLCA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	CA Prop 65
Eosin Y yellowish	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed	This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

Section 16 Other Information

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Product IODINE-POTASSIUM IODIDE SOLUTION**Synonyms** Iodine-Iodide / Iodine Solution / Iodine / Iodine Lugol's Dilute / Gram's Iodine Solution / Dilute Lugol's Solution

Section 2 Hazards Identification

Signal word: WARNING**Pictograms:** GHS07 / GHS09**Target organs:** Thyroid, kidneys, endocrine system, skin, eyes, reproductive system, central nervous system.**GHS Classification:**

Acute toxicity, dermal (Category 4)
Acute toxicity, inhalation (Category 4)
Aquatic toxicity, acute (Category 1)

GHS Label information: Hazard statement(s):

H312: Harmful in contact with skin.
H332: Harmful if inhaled.
H400: Very toxic to aquatic life.

Precautionary statement(s):

P261: Avoid breathing mist/vapours/spray.
P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P273: Avoid release to the environment.
P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P302+P352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap.
P312: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell.
P362+P364: Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P304+P340: IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P312: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell.
P391: Collect spillage.
P501: Dispose of contents/container to a licensed chemical disposal agency in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

Hazards not otherwise classified:

Health hazards not otherwise classified (HHNOC) - Not Known
Physical hazards not otherwise classified (PHNOC) - Not Known

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Water	7732-18-5	95.10%	231-791-2
Potassium iodide	7681-11-0	3.05%	231-659-4
Iodine	7553-56-2	1.85%	231-442-4

Section 4 First Aid Measures

INGESTION: MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION: HARMFUL IF INHALED. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention. Harmful if inhaled.

EYE CONTACT: MAY CAUSE IRRITATION. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN ABSORPTION: HARMFUL IN CONTACT WITH SKIN. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention. Harmful in contact with skin.

Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

Extinguishing Media: Use any media suitable for extinguishing supporting fire.

General information: In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

Specific Hazards: In fire conditions, water may evaporate from this solution which may cause hazardous decomposition products to be formed as dust or fume.

Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

Environmental Precautions: Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

Containment and Cleanup: Absorb with inert dry material, sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep container tightly closed. Keep out of reach of children. Use with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Handling: Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid ingestion. Do not inhale vapors, mist or spray. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

Storage: Store in a cool, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Iodine CAS # 7553-56-2	TWA: 0.01 ppm ^(IFV) / STEL: 0.1 ppm ^(V)	STEL: C 0.1 ppm/C 1 mg/m ³	STEL: C 0.1 ppm/C 1 mg/m ³

Engineering controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Respiratory protection: None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If misty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

Section 9 Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance: Deep amber liquid. Odor: Characteristic odor. Odor threshold: Not applicable. pH: Data not available. Melting / Freezing point: ~ 0°C (~ 32°F) [water] Boiling point: ~ 100°C (212°F) [water] Flash point: Not flammable.	Evaporation rate (Water = 1): < 1 Flammability (solid/gas): Not applicable. Explosion limits: Lower / Upper: Not applicable Vapor pressure (mm Hg): 14 [water] Vapor density (Air = 1): 0.7 [water] Relative density (Specific gravity): 1.0 [water] Solubility(ies): Complete in water.	Partition coefficient: (n-octanol / water): Not applicable Auto-ignition temperature: Not applicable Decomposition temperature: Data not available. Viscosity: Data not available. Molecular formula: Mixture Molecular weight: Mixture
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Section 10 Stability & Reactivity

Chemical stability: Stable

Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid: Stable under recommended storage conditions. Excessive temperatures which cause evaporation.

Incompatibilities with other materials: Metals or unsaturated organic compounds, ammonia solutions or alkaline solutions of ammonia salts. Will form explosive nitrogen iodides when reacted with gaseous ammonia.

Hazardous decomposition products: Toxic iodide fumes.

Section 11 Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity: Oral-Rat LD50: 14,000 mg/kg [Iodine CAS # 7553-56-2]

Skin corrosion/irritation: Data not available

Serious eye damage/irritation: Data not available

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Inhalation-rat 3.1 mg/m³ / 24 hour / 13 weeks - continuous [Iodine CAS # 7553-56-2]

Germ cell mutagenicity: Data not available

Carcinogenicity: Data not available

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.

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: Data not available

STOT-single exposure: Data not available

STOT-repeated exposure: Data not available

Aspiration hazard: Data not available

Potential health effects:

Inhalation: Symptoms include cough, wheezing, and labored breathing. Symptoms may be delayed.

Ingestion: Causes abdominal pain, diarrhea, nausea, and vomiting. Ingestion of levels of 2-3 grams of iodine may cause death.

Skin: Contact may cause redness and pain.

Eyes: Contact causes watering of the eyes, redness and pain.

Signs and symptoms of exposure: Effects of short-term exposure: Lachrymator. The substance is severely irritating to the eyes and the respiratory tract, and is irritating to the skin. Inhalation of the vapor may cause asthma-like reactions. Inhalation of the vapor may cause lung edema. The effects may be delayed. Effects of long-term exposure: Repeated or prolonged contact may cause skin sensitization in rate cases. Repeated or prolonged inhalation exposure may cause asthma-like syndrome. The substance may have effects on the thyroid. Specific data not available for this mixture. Exercise appropriate procedures to minimize potential hazards..

Additional information: RTECS #: NN1575000 [Iodine CAS # 7553-56-2]

Section 12 Ecological Information

Toxicity to fish: Very toxic to aquatic life.

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: No data available

Toxicity to algae: No data available

Persistence and degradability: No data available

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available

Mobility in soil: No data available

PBT and vPvB assessment: No data available

Other adverse effects: An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

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Hazard class: Not applicable

Packing group: Not applicable

Reportable Quantity: No

Marine pollutant: No

Exceptions: Not applicable

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Component	TSCA	CERLCA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	CA Prop 65
Iodine	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed	This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.
Potassium iodide	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed	

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE AND OF THE SUPPLIER

Product identifier used on the label: Sta-Flo Concentrated Liquid Starch

Other means of identification: 719091, 719092

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use: Fabric conditioner; No restrictions on use

Name, address and telephone number of the chemical manufacturer:

The Dial Corporation, a Henkel Company
7201 E. Henkel Way
Scottsdale, AZ 85255-9672 USA

CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (24 hours daily)
Internet: www.henkelna.com

Emergency telephone number: Medical Emergencies: 1-888-689-9082

2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

The hazards described in this OSHA Globally Harmonized System Safety Data Sheet (SDS) are not intended for consumers, and does not address consumer use of the product. For information regarding consumer applications of this product, refer to the product label.

Classification of the substance or mixture in accordance with paragraph (d) of §1910.1200

HAZARD CLASS	HAZARD CATEGORY
None	None

Signal word, hazard statement(s), symbol(s) and precautionary statement(s) in accordance with paragraph (f) of §1910.1200

Signal word: Not prescribed
Hazard Statement(s): Not prescribed
Symbol(s): None

Precautionary Statements:

Prevention: Not prescribed
Response: Not prescribed
Storage: Not prescribed
Disposal: Not prescribed

Hazards not otherwise classified: Not available.

Classification complies with OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200) and is consistent with the provisions of the United Nations Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS).

See Section 11 for additional toxicological information.

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

The following chemicals are classified as health hazards in accordance with paragraph (d) of § 1910.1200.

Chemical Name*	CAS Number (Unique Identifier)	Concentration
Borax	1330-43-4	0.1 – 1 %

*The specific chemical identity and/or exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld because a trade secret is claimed in accordance with paragraph (i) of §1910.1200.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of necessary measures

Inhalation:	Remove from exposure area to fresh air. Treat symptomatically and supportively.
Skin contact:	Rinse affected area with large amounts of mild soap and water until no evidence of product remains. Discontinue exposure. Get medical attention if irritation persists.
Eye contact:	Rinse eyes with plenty of water until no evidence of product remains. Get medical attention if pain or irritation develops.
Ingestion:	Dilution by rinsing the mouth and giving water or milk to drink is generally recommended. Contact physician or local poison control center.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

After eye contact: May cause mild transient irritation After skin contact: Repeated or prolonged excessive exposure may cause irritation or dermatitis. After ingestion: Nausea and possible vomiting may occur. After inhalation: Unlikely to occur due to the physical properties of the product. At elevated temperatures, vapors or mists may cause irritation.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

After eye contact: Rinse eyes with plenty of water until no evidence of product remains. After skin contact: Rinse affected area with mild soap and water until no evidence of product remains. After ingestion: Dilution by rinsing the mouth and giving a glass of water to drink is generally recommended. After inhalation: Remove from exposure area to fresh air.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: Dry chemical, carbon dioxide, water spray or regular foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: None known

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Oxides of carbon and oxides of nitrogen.

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

In case of fire, wear a full-face positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit. Shut off all ignition sources. Move containers from fire area if you can do it without risk. Apply cooling water to sides of containers that are exposed to flames until well after fire is out. Use flooding amounts of water as a fog, solid streams may be ineffective. Avoid breathing hazardous vapors, keep upwind.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear skin, eye and respiratory protection as recommended in Section 8. Stop or reduce any leaks if it is safe to do so. Spills present a slipping hazard. Keep unnecessary personnel away. Ventilate spill area if possible. Make sure area is slip-free before re-opening to traffic.

Environmental Precautions

Small or household quantities may be disposed in sewer or other liquid waste system. For larger quantities check with your local water treatment plant.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

SMALL SPILLS: Contain and absorb with absorbent material and place into containers for later disposal. Wash site of spillage thoroughly with water.

LARGE SPILLS: Dike far ahead of spill to prevent further movement. Recover by pumping or by using a suitable absorbent material and place into containers for later disposal. Dispose in suitable waste container.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Do not get in eyes. Do not take internally. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid generating aerosols and mists.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in original containers in a cool dry area. Storage areas for large quantities (warehouse) should be well ventilated. Keep the containers tightly closed when not in use.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

OSHA permissible exposure limit (PEL), American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) Threshold Limit Value (TLV), and any other exposure limit used or recommended by the chemical manufacturer, importer, or employer preparing the safety data sheet, where available.

Hazardous Component(s)	ACGIH	OSHA PEL	AIHA WEEL	OTHER
None	None	None	None	None

Appropriate engineering controls

Provide local exhaust or general dilution ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the permissible exposure limits where mists or vapors may be generated.

Individual protection measures

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Respiratory: Air contamination monitoring should be carried out where mists or vapors are likely to be generated, to assure that the employees are not exposed to airborne contaminants above the permissible exposure limits.

Eye: Safety glasses are required to prevent eye contact where dusty conditions may occur.

Hand/Body: Protective gloves are required where repeated or prolonged skin contact may occur. Protective clothing is required where repeated or prolonged skin contact may occur.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	liquid, light blue
Odor:	floral, woody
Odor threshold:	Not available.
pH:	8.50 – 9.30 (25 °C)
Melting point/ range:	Not available.
Boiling point/range:	Not available.
Flash point:	Not available.
Evaporation rate:	Not available.
Flammable/Explosive limits - lower:	Not available.
Flammable/Explosive limits - upper:	Not available.
Vapor pressure:	Not available.
Vapor density:	Not available.
Solubility in water:	Soluble
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not available.
Autoignition temperature:	Not available.
Decomposition temperature:	Not available.
Viscosity:	60 - 220 mPa.s
VOC content:	Not available.
Specific gravity:	1.025 - 1.040 at 25 °C (77°F)

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity:	This product may react with strong alkalis.
Chemical stability:	Stable under normal ambient temperature (70°F, 21°C) and pressure (1 atm).
Possibility of hazardous reactions:	Hazardous polymerization has not been reported to occur under normal temperatures and pressures.
Conditions to avoid:	Avoid storing in direct sunlight and avoid extremes of temperature.
Incompatible materials:	Strong oxidizers and alkalis.
Hazardous decomposition products:	Thermal decomposition products may include toxic oxides of sulfur and carbon, and hydrogen sulfide.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely routes of exposure including symptoms related to characteristics

Inhalation:	Unlikely to occur due to the physical properties of the product. At elevated temperatures, vapors or mists may cause irritation.
Skin contact:	Repeated or prolonged excessive exposure may cause irritation or dermatitis.
Eye contact:	This product may cause slight irritation.
Ingestion:	May cause mild gastrointestinal irritation with nausea, vomiting, diarrhea and abdominal pain.
Physical/Chemical:	No physical/chemical hazards are anticipated for this product.

Other relevant toxicity information:

This product is laundry care product. Direct contact with eyes may cause irritation. No adverse effects are anticipated to skin from normal use.

Numerical measures of toxicity, including delayed and immediate effect

Hazardous Component(s)	LD50s and LC50s	Immediate and Delayed Health Effects
Borax	Oral LD50 (RAT) = 2.660 mg/kg Dermal LD50 (RABBIT) = > 1.055 mg/kg Inhalation LC50 (RAT, 4 h) = > 0,002 mg/l	Blood, Central nervous system, Gastrointestinal, Irritant, Kidney, Liver, Skin, Less weight gain and food intake.

Carcinogenicity information

Hazardous Component(s)	NTP Carcinogen	IARC Carcinogen	OSHA Carcinogen
Borax	No	No	No

Carcinogenicity None of the ingredients in this product are listed as carcinogens by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC), the National Toxicology Program (NTP) or the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA).
Mutagenicity None of the ingredients in this product are known to cause mutagenicity.
Toxicity to reproduction None of the ingredients in this product are known to have reproductive, fetal, or developmental hazards.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Aquatic Toxicity:

This product is anticipated to be safe for the environment at concentrations predicted in household settings under normal use conditions. The following toxicity information is available for the hazardous ingredient(s) when used as technical grade and is provided as reference for the occupational settings.

Toxicity to fish:

The aquatic toxicity profile of this product has not been determined.

Toxicity to aquatic invertebrates:

The aquatic toxicity profile of this product has not been determined.

Toxicity to algae:

The aquatic toxicity profile of this product has not been determined.

Persistence and Degradability: No data available.

Bioaccumulation Potential: The bioaccumulation potential of this product has not been determined.

Mobility: The mobility of this product (in soil and water) has not been determined.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Number and Description: Not regulated.

Disposal Considerations:

Disposal of products: This product is not a RCRA hazardous waste and can be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

Disposal of packages: Place in trash.

Additional information: Observe all federal, state and local regulations when storing or disposing of this substance

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The information in this section is for reference only and should not take the place of a shipping paper (bill of lading) specific to an order. Please note that the proper shipping classification may vary by packaging, properties, and mode of transportation.

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Proper shipping name: Not regulated
Hazard class or division: None
Identification number: None
Packing group: None

International Air Transportation (ICAO/IATA)

Proper shipping name: Not regulated
Hazard class or division: None
Identification number: None
Packing group: None

Water Transportation (IMO/IMDG)

Proper shipping name: Not regulated
Hazard class or division: None
Identification number: None
Packing group: None
Marine pollutant: None

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Occupational safety and health act: Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200(g) Appendix D: The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) require that the Safety Data Sheets (SDSs) are readily accessible to employees for all hazardous chemicals in the workplace. Since the use pattern and exposure in the workplace are generally not consistent with those experienced by consumers, this SDS may contain health hazard information not relevant to consumer use.

United States Regulatory Information:

TSCA 8 (b) Inventory Status: All components are listed or are exempt from listing on the Toxic Substances Control Act Inventory.
TSCA 12 (b) Export Notification: None above reporting de minimis
CERCLA/SARA Section 302: None above reporting de minimis
CERCLA/SARA Section 311/312: Not available.

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CERCLA/SARA Section 313:
California Proposition 65:

None above reporting de minimis
No California Proposition 65 listed chemicals are known to be present.

Canada Regulatory Information:

CEPA DSL/NDL Status: One or more components are not listed on, and are not exempt from listing on either the Domestic Substances List or the Non-Domestic Substances List.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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Synonyms	Methylcellulose, 1.5% Aqueous Solution / Protozoan Quieting Solution

Section 2 Hazards Identification

This substance or mixture has not been classified as hazardous according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS) of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals.

Signal word: None required
Pictograms: No symbol required
Target organs: None known

GHS Classification: None required
GHS Label information: Hazard statement: None required
Precautionary statement: None required

Supplemental information:

Do not breathe mist/vapours/spray. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Get medical attention if you feel unwell.

Hazards not otherwise classified:

Health hazards not otherwise classified (HHNOC) - Not Known
Physical hazards not otherwise classified (PHNOC) - Not Known

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Water	7732-18-5	98.4%	231-791-2
Methylcellulose	9004-67-5	1.5%	200-578-6
Salicylic acid (as preservative)	69-72-7	0.1%	200-712-3

Section 4 First Aid Measures

INGESTION: Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

EYE CONTACT: Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN ABSORPTION: Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Carbon dioxide, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol foam.

Protective Actions for Fire-fighters: In fire conditions, water may evaporate from this solution which may cause hazardous decomposition products to be formed as dust or fume.

Specific Hazards: During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Dust dispersed in air is capable of creating a dust explosion when exposed to an ignition source. Avoid static discharge. Spill area may be slippery.

Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.

Environmental Precautions: Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.

Containment and Cleanup: Absorb with inert dry material, sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

Precautions for Safe Handling: Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale vapors, spray or mist. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

Conditions for Safe Storage: Store in a cool, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Methylcellulose	Not established	Not established	Not established

Engineering controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Respiratory protection: None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If misty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

Section 9 Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance: Liquid. Thick, viscous dispersion. Odor: No odor. Odor threshold: Data not available. pH: Data not available. Melting / Freezing point: Approximately 0°C (32°F) (water) Boiling point: Approximately 100°C (212°F) (water) Flash point: Data not available	Evaporation rate (Water = 1): <1 Flammability (solid/gas): Data not available. Explosion limits: Lower / Upper: Data not available Vapor pressure (mm Hg): 14 (water) Vapor density (Air = 1): 0.7 (water) Relative density (Specific gravity): Approximately 1.0 (water) Solubility(ies): Complete in water.	Partition coefficient: Data not available Auto-ignition temperature: Data not available Decomposition temperature: Data not available. Viscosity: Data not available. Molecular formula: Mixture Molecular weight: Mixture
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Section 10 Stability & Reactivity

Chemical stability: Stable **Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid: Excessive temperatures which cause evaporation.

Incompatible materials: Strong oxidizers. Avoid contact with strong acids and bases.

Hazardous decomposition products: Oxides of carbon.

Section 11 Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity: Oral-rat LD50: >10,000 mg/kg [Methylcellulose]

Skin corrosion/irritation: Data not available

Serious eye damage/irritation: Data not available

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Data not available

Germ cell mutagenicity: Data not available

Carcinogenicity: Data not available

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.

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.

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: Data not available

STOT-single exposure: Data not available

STOT-repeated exposure: Data not available

Aspiration hazard: Data not available

Potential health effects:

Inhalation: No adverse effects are anticipated from single exposure to vapors, spray or mist.

Ingestion: Very low toxicity. Harmful effects not anticipated from swallowing small amounts.

Skin: Essentially non-irritating.

Eyes: Essentially non-irritating.

Signs and symptoms of exposure: Exercise appropriate procedures to minimize potential hazards.

Additional information: RTECS #: FJ5959000 [Methylcellulose]

Section 12 Ecological Information

Toxicity to fish: LC50: >100 mg/L (No known toxicity) [Methylcellulose]

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: EC50: >100 mg/L (No known toxicity) [Methylcellulose]

Toxicity to algae: EC50: >100 mg/L (No known toxicity) [Methylcellulose]

Persistence and degradability: No data available

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available

Mobility in soil: No data available

PBT and vPvB assessment: No data available

Other adverse effects: No bioconcentration is expected because of the relatively high molecular weight (>1000)

Section 13 Disposal Considerations

These disposal guidelines are intended for the disposal of catalog-size quantities only. Federal regulations may apply to empty container. State and/or local regulations may be different. Dispose of in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations or contract with a licensed chemical disposal agency.

Section 14 Transport Information (US DOT / CANADA TDG)

UN/NA number: Not applicable

Shipping name: Not Regulated

Hazard class: Not applicable

Packing group: Not applicable

Reportable Quantity: No

Marine pollutant: No

Exceptions: Not applicable

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Section 15 Regulatory Information

A chemical is considered to be listed if the CAS number for the anhydrous form is on the Inventory list.

Component	TSCA	CERLCA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	CA Prop 65
Methylcellulose	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed	This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

Section 16 Other Information

The information contained herein is furnished without warranty of any kind. Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them and must make independent determinations of suitability and completeness of information from all sources to assure proper use of these materials and the safety and health of employees. NTP: National Toxicology Program, IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer, OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration, STOT: Specific Target Organ Toxicity, SE: Single Exposure, RE: Repeated Exposure, ERG: Emergency Response Guidebook.

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Product	SODIUM BORATE, DECAHYDRATE
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Synonyms	Sodium Tetraborate ; Borax
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Section 2 Hazards Identification

Signal word: DANGER**Pictograms:** GHS08 / GHS07**Target organs:** None known.**GHS Classification:**

Eye irritation (Category 2A)

Reproductive toxicity (Category 1B)

GHS Label information: Hazard statement:

H319: Causes serious eye irritation.

H360: May damage fertility or the unborn child.

Precautionary statement:

P201: Obtain special instructions before use.

P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

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

P305+P351+P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P337+P313: If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.

P308+P313: IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention.

P405: Store locked up.

P501: Dispose of contents/container to a licensed chemical disposal agency in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

Hazards not otherwise classified:

Health hazards not otherwise classified (HHNOC) - Not Known

Physical hazards not otherwise classified (PHNOC) - Not Known

Section 3 Composition / Information on Ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS #	%	EINECS
Sodium borate, decahydrate	1303-96-4	100%	215-540-4

Section 4 First Aid Measures

INGESTION: MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. Call physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Induce vomiting only if advised by appropriate medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION: MAY BE HARMFUL IF INHALED. CAUSES RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

EYE CONTACT: MAY CAUSE EYE IRRITATION. Check for and remove contact lenses. Flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, lifting upper and lower eyelids occasionally. Get immediate medical attention.

SKIN ABSORPTION: MAY BE HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. MAY CAUSE SKIN IRRITATION. Remove contaminated clothing. Flush thoroughly with mild soap and water. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

Section 5 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use any media suitable for extinguishing supporting fire**Protective Actions for Fire-fighters:** In fire conditions, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.**Specific Hazards:** This product is an inherent fire retardant. There are no unusual fire and explosion hazards.

Section 6 Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions: Evacuate personnel to safe area. Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8. Provide adequate ventilation.**Environmental Precautions:** Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways.**Containment and Cleanup:** Sweep or vacuum up and place in a suitable container for proper disposal. Wash spill area with soap and water.

Precautions for Safe Handling: Read label on container before using. Do not wear contact lenses when working with chemicals. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not inhale dusts. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse.

Conditions for Safe Storage: Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

Section 8 Exposure Controls / Personal Protection

Exposure Limits:	Chemical Name	ACGIH (TLV)	OSHA (PEL)	NIOSH (REL)
	Borate compounds, inorganic	TWA: 2 mg/m ³ STEL: 6 mg/m ³ (A4)	None established	None established

Engineering controls: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower and fire extinguishing material. Personnel should wear safety glasses, goggles, or faceshield, lab coat or apron, appropriate protective gloves. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

Respiratory protection: None should be needed in normal laboratory handling at room temperatures. If dusty conditions prevail, work in fume hood or wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator.

Section 9 Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance: White, crystalline powder	Evaporation rate (= 1): Data not available	Partition coefficient: Data not available
Odor: No odor	Flammability (solid/gas): Not flammable	Auto-ignition temperature: Data not available
Odor threshold: Data not available	Explosion limits: Lower / Upper: Data not available	Decomposition temperature: Data not available
pH: Data not available	Vapor pressure (mm Hg): Data not available	Viscosity: Data not available
Melting / Freezing point: 62°C (144°F)	Vapor density (Air = 1): Data not available	Molecular formula: Na ₂ B ₄ O ₇ ·10H ₂ O
Boiling point: Data not available	Relative density (Specific gravity): 1.73	Molecular weight: 381.37
Flash point: Data not available	Solubility(ies): Soluble in water	

Section 10 Stability & Reactivity

Chemical stability: Stable **Hazardous polymerization:** Will not occur.

Conditions to avoid: When heated, loses water, eventually forming anhydrous borax.

Incompatible materials: Strong acids, oxidizers and reducing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products: Boron oxide and sodium oxides.

Section 11 Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity: Oral-rat LD50: 2,600 mg/kg ; Inhalation-rat LC50: >2.0 mg/l ; Dermal-rabbit LD50: >10,000 g/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation: Data not available

Serious eye damage/irritation: Data not available

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Data not available

Germ cell mutagenicity: Data not available

Carcinogenicity: Data not available

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.

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.

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: Data not available

STOT-single exposure: Data not available

STOT-repeated exposure: Data not available

Aspiration hazard: Data not available

Potential health effects:

Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.

Ingestion: Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation. Symptoms of over-exposure may include nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

Skin: Contact may cause irritation.

Eyes: Contact may cause irritation.

Signs and symptoms of exposure: Animal feeding studies in rat, mouse and dog, at high doses, have demonstrated effects on fertility and testes. Studies with the chemically related boric acid in the rat, mouse and rabbit, at high doses, demonstrate developmental effects on the fetus, including fetal weight loss and minor skeletal variations. The doses administered were many times in excess of those to which humans would normally be exposed. Human epidemiological studies show no increase in pulmonary disease in occupational populations with chronic exposures to boric acid dust and sodium borate dust. A recent epidemiological study under the conditions of normal occupational exposure to borate dusts indicated no effect on fertility..

Additional information: RTECS #: VZ2275000

Section 12 Ecological Information

Toxicity to fish: LC50 - Carassius auratus (goldfish) - 178 mg/l - 72 h

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 1,085 - 1,402 mg/l - 48 h

Toxicity to algae: IC50 - Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae) - 158 mg/l - 96 h

Persistence and degradability: No data available

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available

Mobility in soil: No data available

PBT and vPvB assessment: No data available

Other adverse effects: An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Section 13 Disposal Considerations

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Section 14 Transport Information (US DOT / CANADA TDG)

UN/NA number: Not applicable

Shipping name: Not Regulated

Hazard class: Not applicable

Packing group: Not applicable

Reportable Quantity: No

Marine pollutant: No

Exceptions: Not applicable

2016 ERG Guide #: Not applicable

Section 15 Regulatory Information

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Component	TSCA	CERLCA (RQ)	RCRA code	DSL	NDSL	CA Prop 65
Sodium borate, decahydrate	Listed	Not listed	Not listed	Listed	Not listed	This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

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