

**Safety Data Sheet**

according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006

**Buffer pH 10.00 (20°C) boric acid/sodium hydroxide/potassium chloride traceable to NIST**

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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1. Product identifier**

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UFI: Q7J8-M0V9-F00Q-5NJG

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

Reagents and laboratory chemicals

Only for laboratory and analysis purposes.

**Uses advised against**

Do not use for private purposes (household).

**1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet****Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Company name: AnalytiChem Services, Unipessoal, Lda  
Street: Rua de Júlio Dinis 676 7º  
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Responsible Department: SDS service department

**Supplier or manufacturer details**

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+353 1 901 4670 (CHEMTREC)

Telefax: 0203/5194-290

**1.4. Emergency telephone number:**

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**Further Information**

This product is a mixture. REACH Registration Number see section 3.

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Repr. 1B; H360FD

Full text of hazard statements: see SECTION 16.

**2.2. Label elements****Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008****Hazard components for labelling**

boric acid

**Signal word:** Danger**Pictograms:****Hazard statements**

H360FD

May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.

**Precautionary statements**

P201

Obtain special instructions before use.

P280

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

P308+P313

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

**Special labelling**

Restricted to professional users.

**2.3. Other hazards**

No data available

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients****3.2. Mixtures****Chemical characterization**

Mixtures in aqueous solution

**Relevant ingredients**

CAS No	Chemical name			Quantity
	EC No	Index No	REACH No	
	Classification (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008)			
10043-35-3	boric acid			< 1 %
	233-139-2	005-007-00-2	01-2119486683-25	
	Repr. 1B; H360FD			

Full text of H and EUH statements: see section 16.

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**Specific Conc. Limits, M-factors and ATE**

CAS No	EC No	Chemical name	Quantity
		Specific Conc. Limits, M-factors and ATE	
10043-35-3	233-139-2	boric acid	< 1 %
		inhalation: LC50 = > 2,12 mg/l (dusts or mists); dermal: LD50 = > 2000 mg/kg; oral: LD50 = 3450 mg/kg	

**Further Information**

This mixture contains the following substances of very high concern (SVHC) which are included in the Candidate List according to Article 59 of REACH: boric acid

**SECTION 4: First aid measures****4.1. Description of first aid measures****General information**

No data available

**After inhalation**

Provide fresh air.

**After contact with skin**

Wash immediately with: Water

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

**After contact with eyes**

Rinse immediately carefully and thoroughly with eye-bath or water.

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

**After ingestion**

Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water.

Call a physician immediately.

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

No data available

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

No data available

**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures****5.1. Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing media**

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**

no restriction

**5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Non-combustible liquids

**5.3. Advice for firefighters**

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing.

**Additional information**

Suppress gases/vapours/mists with water spray jet.

**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures****6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures****General advice**

Do not breathe vapour/aerosol.

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**For non-emergency personnel**

Provide adequate ventilation.  
Use personal protection equipment.  
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.  
Remove persons to safety.  
Emergency procedures  
Consult an expert  
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

**For emergency responders**

Precautionary statements For emergency responders : Personal protection equipment: see section 8

**6.2. Environmental precautions**

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

**6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up****For containment**

Cover drains. Prevent spread over a wide area (e.g. by containment or oil barriers). Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomaceous earth, acid- or universal binding agents). Collect in closed and suitable containers for disposal.

**For cleaning up**

Clean contaminated articles and floor according to the environmental legislation.

**Other information**

Provide adequate ventilation.  
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.  
Wear breathing apparatus if exposed to vapours/dusts/aerosols.

**6.4. Reference to other sections**

Safe handling: see section 7  
Personal protection equipment: see section 8  
Disposal: see section 13

**SECTION 7: Handling and storage****7.1. Precautions for safe handling****Advice on safe handling**

Do not breathe vapour/aerosol.

**Advice on protection against fire and explosion**

No special fire protection measures are necessary.

**Advice on general occupational hygiene**

Remove contaminated, saturated clothing immediately. Draw up and observe skin protection programme. Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary. When using do not eat or drink.

**Further information on handling**

Take off contaminated clothing.  
Wash hands before breaks and after work.

**7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities****Requirements for storage rooms and vessels**

Keep container tightly closed.  
Store in a dry place.  
storage temperature: +15°C - +25°C

**Hints on joint storage**

Take national regulations into account.

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## Further information on storage conditions

Store in a dry place.

Store in a place accessible by authorized persons only.

## 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Laboratory chemicals

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

## 8.1. Control parameters

## Occupational exposure limits

CAS No	Substance	ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	fib/cm <sup>3</sup>	Category	Origin
10043-35-3	Borate compounds inorganic: boric acid	-	2		TWA (8 h)	

## DNEL/DMEL values

CAS No	Substance	Exposure route	Effect	Value
10043-35-3	boric acid			
Worker DNEL, long-term		inhalation	systemic	8,3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Worker DNEL, long-term		dermal	systemic	392 mg/kg bw/day
Consumer DNEL, long-term		inhalation	systemic	4,15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Consumer DNEL, long-term		dermal	systemic	196 mg/kg bw/day
Consumer DNEL, long-term		oral	systemic	0,98 mg/kg bw/day
Consumer DNEL, acute		oral	systemic	0,98 mg/kg bw/day

## PNEC values

CAS No	Substance	Value
10043-35-3	boric acid	
Freshwater		2,9 mg/l
Freshwater (intermittent releases)		13,7 mg/l
Marine water		2,9 mg/l
Micro-organisms in sewage treatment plants (STP)		10 mg/l
Soil		5,7 mg/kg

## 8.2. Exposure controls

## Appropriate engineering controls

Technical measures and the application of suitable work processes have priority over personal protection equipment.

## Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

## Eye/face protection

Suitable eye protection: goggles.

## Hand protection

When handling with chemical substances, protective gloves must be worn with the CE-label including the four control digits. The quality of the protective gloves resistant to chemicals must be chosen as a function of the specific working place concentration and quantity of hazardous substances. For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the

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supplier of these gloves.

Protective gloves are recommended Company KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, email: [vertrieb@kcl.de](mailto:vertrieb@kcl.de) With specification (test according to EN374):

By long-term hand contact

Trade name/designation: KCL 741 Dermatril® L

Recommended material: NBR (Nitrile rubber) 0,11 mm

Wearing time with permanent contact: > 480 min

By short-term hand contact

Trade name/designation: KCL 741 Dermatril® L

Recommended material: NBR (Nitrile rubber) 0,11 mm

Wearing time with occasional contact (splashes): > 480 min

The breakthrough times stated above were determined by KCL in laboratory tests acc. to EN374 with samples of the recommended glove types. This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet<(>,<)> supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: [www.kcl.de](http://www.kcl.de)).

**Skin protection**

Wear suitable protective clothing.

The choice of body protection depends on the concentration and quantity of hazardous substances. The chemical resistance of protective agents must be clarified with their suppliers.

**Respiratory protection**

Respiratory protection necessary at: aerosol or mist formation

The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

**Thermal hazards**

No data available

**Environmental exposure controls**

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties****9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state:	Liquid	
Colour:	colourless	
Odour:	odourless	
Odour threshold:	not determined	
Melting point/freezing point:		not determined
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range:		not determined
Flammability:		not determined
Lower explosion limits:		not determined
Upper explosion limits:		not determined
Flash point:		X
Auto-ignition temperature:		not determined
Decomposition temperature:		not determined
pH-Value (at 20 °C):		10,0

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Viscosity / kinematic:	not determined
Water solubility:	not determined
Solubility in other solvents	
not determined	
Dissolution rate:	not determined
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water:	not determined
Dispersion stability:	not determined
Vapour pressure:	not determined
Vapour pressure:	not determined
Density:	1,0082 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Relative density:	not determined
Bulk density:	not determined
Relative vapour density:	not determined
Particle characteristics:	not determined

**9.2. Other information****Information with regard to physical hazard classes**

Explosive properties	
not applicable	
Sustained combustibility:	No data available
Self-ignition temperature	
Solid:	not determined
Gas:	not applicable
Oxidizing properties	
Not oxidising.	

**Other safety characteristics**

Evaporation rate:	not determined
Solvent separation test:	not determined
Solvent content:	0%
Solid content:	0%
Sublimation point:	not determined
Softening point:	not determined
Pour point:	not determined
not determined:	
Viscosity / dynamic:	not determined
Flow time:	not determined

**Further Information**

not determined

**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity****10.1. Reactivity**

No data available

**10.2. Chemical stability**

The product is stable under storage at normal ambient temperatures.

**10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions**

No data available

**10.4. Conditions to avoid**

No data available

**10.5. Incompatible materials**

No data available

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**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**

No data available

**Further information**

No data available

**SECTION 11: Toxicological information****11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008****Toxicokinetics, metabolism and distribution**

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

**Acute toxicity**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**ATEmix calculated**

ATE (oral) &gt; 2000 mg/kg; ATE (dermal) &gt; 2000 mg/kg; ATE (inhalation vapour) &gt; 20 mg/l; ATE (inhalation dust/mist) &gt; 5 mg/l

CAS No	Chemical name				
	Exposure route	Dose	Species	Source	Method
10043-35-3	boric acid				
	oral	LD50 3450 mg/kg	Rat	Toxicology and Applied Pharmacology 23:	other: No data
	dermal	LD50 > 2000 mg/kg	Rabbit	Study report (1982)	other: FIFRA
	inhalation (4 h) dust/mist	LC50 > 2,12 mg/l	Rat	Study report (1997)	OECD Guideline 403

**Irritation and corrosivity**

Skin corrosion/irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Sensitising effects**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction**

May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child. (boric acid)

Germ cell mutagenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**STOT-single exposure**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**STOT-repeated exposure**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Aspiration hazard**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Information on likely routes of exposure**

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

**Specific effects in experiment on an animal**

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

**Additional information on tests**

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

**Practical experience**

There are no data available on the mixture itself.



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**11.2. Information on other hazards****Endocrine disrupting properties**

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

**Other information**

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

**Further information**

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

**SECTION 12: Ecological information****12.1. Toxicity**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

CAS No	Chemical name					
	Aquatic toxicity	Dose	[h]   [d]	Species	Source	Method
10043-35-3	boric acid					
	Acute fish toxicity	LC50 79,7 mg/l	96 h	Pimephales promelas	Study report (2010)	other: ASTM E729-95 Standard Guide for C
	Acute algae toxicity	ErC50 66 mg/l	72 h	Phaeodactylum tricornutum	Study report (2011)	ISO 10253
	Acute crustacea toxicity	EC50 109 mg/l	48 h	Ceriodaphnia dubia	Study report (2010)	other: ASTM E729-95 Standard Guide for C
	Fish toxicity	NOEC 11,2 mg/l	32 d	Pimephales promelas	Study report (2010)	other: ASTM E1241-05 Standard Guide for
	Algae toxicity	NOEC 17,5 mg/l	3 d	Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata	Study report (2000)	OECD Guideline 201
	Crustacea toxicity	NOEC 25,9 mg/l	42 d	other aquatic crustacea: Hyalella azteca	Study report (2010)	other: US EPA 2000 Methods for assessing
	Acute bacteria toxicity	EC50 > 10000 mg/l ( )	3 h	activated sludge of a predominantly domestic sewage	Study report (2001)	OECD Guideline 209

**12.2. Persistence and degradability**

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

**Partition coefficient n-octanol/water**

CAS No	Chemical name	Log Pow
10043-35-3	boric acid	-1,09

**BCF**

CAS No	Chemical name	BCF	Species	Source
10043-35-3	boric acid	0,558	Oncorhynchus nerka	Water Research Vol.

**12.4. Mobility in soil**

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There are no data available on the mixture itself.

**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

The substances in the mixture do not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria according to REACH, annex XIII.

**12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties**

This product does not contain a substance that has endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms as no components meets the criteria.

**12.7. Other adverse effects**

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

**Further information**

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations****13.1. Waste treatment methods****Disposal recommendations**

Waste disposal according to directive 2008/98/EC, covering waste and dangerous waste.

Send to a physico-chemical treatment facility under observation of official regulations. Do not empty into drains.

**Contaminated packaging**

The allocation of waste identity numbers/waste descriptions must be carried out according to the EEC, specific to the industry and process.

**SECTION 14: Transport information****Land transport (ADR/RID)****14.1. UN number or ID number:**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.2. UN proper shipping name:**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.4. Packing group:**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**Inland waterways transport (ADN)****14.1. UN number or ID number:**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.2. UN proper shipping name:**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.4. Packing group:**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**Marine transport (IMDG)****14.1. UN number or ID number:**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.2. UN proper shipping name:**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.4. Packing group:**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)****14.1. UN number or ID number:**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.2. UN proper shipping name:**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.4. Packing group:**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.5. Environmental hazards**

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS: No

**14.6. Special precautions for user**

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

**14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments**

not applicable

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

Authorisations (REACH, annex XIV):

Substances of very high concern, SVHC (REACH, article 59):

boric acid

Restrictions on use (REACH, annex XVII):

Entry 3, Entry 30, Entry 75

Information according to Directive

2012/18/EU (SEVESO III):

Not subject to 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III)

**National regulatory information**

Employment restrictions:

Observe restrictions to employment for juveniles according to the 'juvenile work protection guideline' (94/33/EC). Observe employment restrictions under the Maternity Protection Directive (92/85/EEC) for expectant or nursing mothers. Observe employment restrictions for women of child-bearing age.

Water hazard class (D):

- - non-hazardous to water

**SECTION 16: Other information****Changes**

This data sheet contains changes from the previous version in section(s): 1,9,12.

**Abbreviations and acronyms**

Repr. 1B: Reproductive toxicity, hazard category 1B

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route

(European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50%

LD50: Lethal dose, 50%

**Classification for mixtures and used evaluation method according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]**

Classification	Classification procedure
Repr. 1B; H360FD	Calculation method

**Relevant H and EUH statements (number and full text)**

H360FD

May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.

**Further Information**

Provide appropriate information, instructions and training to users

(The data for the relevant ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)