# Boron (B) Powder

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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name: Boron (B) Powder Boron (B) CAS#: 7440-42-8

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against Identified uses : Research

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram Signal word Warning

Hazard statement(s) H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary statement(s) P233: Keep container tightly closed.

P210: Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking. P240: Ground/Bond container and receiving equipment.

P241: Use explosion-proof-electrical/ventilating/lighting/.../equipment

P242: Use only non-sparking tools.

P243: Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

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

P261: Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

P264: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

P303+P361+P353: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell.

P370+P378: In case of fire: Use ... for extinction.

2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS None

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS 3.1 Substances Boron (B) CAS#: 7440-42-8

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician. In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labeling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed no data available

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media Suitable extinguishing media Use CO2, dry chemical, or foam for extinction.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Flammable. Risk of ignition. Dust can form an explosive mixture in air. Keep product and empty container

away from heat and sources of ignition.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary. 5.4 Further information

no data available

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust. For personal protection see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

6.4 Reference to other sections For disposal see section 13.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection. For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Flammables area.

7.3 Specific end use(s) Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to

the workstation location.

Personal protective equipment 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

For any handling steps where the substance is in particulate form or in a suspension with pure water where the substance is not solubilized, the gloves must be comprised of material that successfully passes ASTM F-1671. For any handling steps where the substance is part of a carrier liquid, other than the aqueous suspension noted in the previous paragraph, gloves must be comprised of material that successfully passes ASTM F-739 (continuous liquid contact method). Gloves must be changed before they show degradation and before the designated breakthrough time for the carrier liquid (as determined by the ASTM F-739 testing or by the manufacturer). Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) 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. Body Protection

Impervious clothing, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the

concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace. Respiratory protection The EPA mandates the use of full face respirators with minimum N100 grade cartridges if there is any risk of exposure to the dust. For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU). Control of environmental exposure Do not let product enter drains. 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties a) Appearance: solid b) Odor: Odorless c) Odor Threshold: d) pH: no data available e) Melting point/freezing point: 2300 °C f) Boiling point and boiling range: 2550 °C g) Flash point: no data available h) Evaporation rate: no data available i) OSHA Flammability Class: no data available i) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits: Flammable k) Vapor pressure: no data available I) Vapor density (air = 1): no data available m) Relative density (water = 1): 2.37 n) Water solubility: Insoluble in water o) Partition coefficient - noctanol/water: no data available p) Auto-ignition temperature: no data available g) Decomposition temperature: no data available r) Viscosity: no data available s) Explosive properties: no data available 9.2 Other safety information no data available 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY 10.1 Reactivity None known, based on information available. 10.2 Chemical stability Moisture/oxygen sensitive. 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing. 10.4 Conditions to avoid Avoid heat, flames, sparks and other sources of ignition. Minimize contact with material. Avoid inhalation of material or combustion by-products. Keep out of water supplies and sewers. Do not store at elevated temperatures. 10.5 Incompatible materials Strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizers, nitrates 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications. In the event of fire: see section 5 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION 11.1 Information on toxicological effects Acute toxicity Acute oral toxicity LD50 rat: Not listed

Acute inhalation toxicity: Not listed

Acute dermal toxicity LD50 rabbit: Not listed Skin corrosion/irritation No information available Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No information available Respiratory or skin sensitization No information available Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available Carcinogenicity

Not listed Reproductive toxicity no data available Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure no data available Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure no data available Aspiration hazard Product may be an aspiration hazard Additional Information

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

12.ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION 12.1 Ecotoxicity Freshwater Fish: No information available

12.2 Persistence and degradability No information available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential No information available 12.4 Mobility in soil no data available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

12.6 Other adverse effects Do not allow product to enter surface waters, wastewater or soil.

13.DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Contaminated packaging

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

US DOT Information

Not a Dangerous good

IMDG Information

Not a Dangerous good

IATA Information

Not a Dangerous good

#### 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

Acute Health Hazard

#### **16.OTHER INFORMATION**

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

H228 Highly flammable solid. HMIS Rating

Health hazard: 1 Flammability: 1 Physical Hazard 0 NFPA Rating Health hazard: 1 Fire Hazard: 1 Reactivity Hazard: 0 Further information The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product.

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