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**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET (MSDS)**

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

**1.1. Product identifier**

Product form : Substance  
:  
EC-No. : 233-139-2  
CAS-No. : 10043-35-3  
Product code : 02221

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

**1.2.1. Relevant identified uses**

Use of the substance/mixture : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

**1.2.2. Uses advised against**

No additional information available

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

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**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture**

**Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]**

Reproductive toxicity, H360  
Category 1A

Full text of H statements : see section 16

**Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC [DSD] or 1999/45/EC [DPD]**

Repr.Cat.1; R60  
Repr.Cat.1; R61

Full text of R-phrases: see section 16

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### Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

No additional information available

### 2.2. Label elements

#### Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP) :



GHS08

Signal word (CLP) :

Danger

Hazard statements (CLP) :

H360 - May damage fertility or the unborn child.

Precautionary statements (CLP) :

P201 - Obtain special instructions before use.  
P308+P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

### 2.3. Other hazards

This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1. Substances

Name : BORIC ACID FOR MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

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Full text of R- and H-statements: see section 16

### 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures after inhalation : Assure fresh air breathing. Allow the victim to rest.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash with plenty of water/.... Get immediate medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting.

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

No additional information available

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

Treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Carbon dioxide. Dry powder. Foam. Water spray.

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Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

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

No additional information available

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as soon as possible. On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

No additional information available

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid dust formation.

Hygiene measures : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available

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### 8.2. Exposure controls

Hand protection	: Protective gloves
Eye protection	: Chemical goggles or safety glasses
Skin and body protection	: Wear suitable protective clothing
Respiratory protection	: [In case of inadequate ventilation] wear respiratory protection.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Solid
Molecular mass	: 61.83 g/mol
Colour	: White powder.
Odour	: odourless.
Odour threshold	: No data available
pH	: 3.8 - 4.8
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: 160 °C
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: 300 °C
Flash point	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: No data available
Vapour pressure	: 3.5 hPa at 20 °C
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Density	: 1.44 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Solubility	: Water: Soluble in water
Log Pow	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidising properties	: No data available
Explosive limits	: No data available

#### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

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### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No additional information available

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Air contact. Direct sunlight. Moisture.

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No additional information available

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity : Not classified

Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified  
pH: 3.8 - 4.8

Serious eye damage/irritation : Not classified  
pH: 3.8 - 4.8

Respiratory or skin sensitisation : Not classified

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Carcinogenicity : Not classified

Reproductive toxicity : May damage fertility or the unborn child.

STOT-single exposure : Not classified

STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

No additional information available

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### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

### 12.6. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

No additional information available

## SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / RID / IMDG / IATA / ADN

### 14.1. UN number

UN-No. (ADR)	: Not applicable
UN-No. (IMDG)	: Not applicable
UN-No. (IATA)	: Not applicable
UN-No. (ADN)	: Not applicable
UN-No. (RID)	: Not applicable

### 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name (ADR)	: Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG)	: Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (IATA)	: Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (ADN)	: Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (RID)	: Not applicable

### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

#### ADR

Transport hazard class(es) (ADR) : Not applicable

#### IMDG

Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG) : Not applicable

#### IATA

Transport hazard class(es) (IATA) : Not applicable

#### ADN

Transport hazard class(es) (ADN) : Not applicable

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### RID

Transport hazard class(es) (RID) : Not applicable

### 14.4. Packing group

Packing group (ADR) : Not applicable

Packing group (IMDG) : Not applicable

Packing group (IATA) : Not applicable

Packing group (ADN) : Not applicable

Packing group (RID) : Not applicable

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Dangerous for the environment : No

Marine pollutant : No

Other information : No supplementary information available

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

#### - Overland transport

No data available

#### - Transport by sea

No data available

#### - Air transport

No data available

#### - Inland waterway transport

No data available

#### - Rail transport

No data available

### 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

#### 15.1.1. EU-Regulations

No REACH Annex XVII restrictions

Boric acid is on the REACH Candidate List

BORIC ACID FOR MOLECULAR BIOLOGY is not on the REACH Annex XIV List

#### 15.1.2. National regulations

#### Germany

Reference to AwSV : Water hazard class (WGK) 1, low hazard to water (Classification according to AwSV; ID No. 315)

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12th Ordinance Implementing the Federal Immission Control Act - 12.BImSchV : Is not subject of the 12. BImSchV (Hazardous Incident Ordinance)

### Netherlands

SZW-lijst van kankerverwekkende stoffen : The substance is not listed  
SZW-lijst van mutagene stoffen : The substance is not listed  
NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting giftige stoffen – Borstvoeding : The substance is not listed  
NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting giftige stoffen – Vruchtbaarheid : BORIC ACID FOR MOLECULAR BIOLOGY is listed  
NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting giftige stoffen – Ontwikkeling : BORIC ACID FOR MOLECULAR BIOLOGY is listed

### Denmark

Recommendations Danish Regulation : Young people below the age of 18 years are not allowed to use the product  
Pregnant/breastfeeding women working with the product must not be in direct contact with the product  
The requirements from the Danish Working Environment Authorities regarding work with carcinogens must be followed during use and disposal

## 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No additional information available

## SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of R-, H- and EUH-statements:

Repr. 1A	Reproductive toxicity, Category 1A
H360	May damage fertility or the unborn child.
R60	May impair fertility
R61	May cause harm to the unborn child

*This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product*