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MSDS No: M00010

SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product Name: BoroVer ® 3 Boron Reagent
Catalog Number: 1417099

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SDS Number: M00010

Chemical Name: Not applicable

Chemical Formula: Not applicable

Chemical Family: Not applicable

Use of the substance/preparation: Indicator for boron

CAS No.: Not applicable

Hazard: May cause eye irritation.

Date of MSDS Preparation:

Day: 12

Month: 01

Year: 2006

Additional Emergency Response Numbers: Austria: +49 (0)6131 19240, Belgium: +32-(0)70-245245 France: +33 (0)1-40370404, Italy: +39-0266101029, Netherlands: +31 -(0)30-2748888, Switzerland: +41-(0)1-2515151

2. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Potassium Chloride

EEC Number: 2312118

CAS No.: 7447407

Percent Range: 90,0 - 100,0

Percent Range Units: weight / volume

Ingredient EEC Symbol: Not applicable

Ingredient R phrase(s) (R phrase details given in Heading 16): Not applicable

TLV: Not established.

PEL: Not established.

EU Occupational Exposure Limits: 3 mg/m³, Inhalable dust

Carmin

EEC Number: 2157244

CAS No.: 1390654

Percent Range: 1,0 - 10,0

Percent Range Units: weight / weight

Ingredient EEC Symbol: Not applicable

Ingredient R phrase(s) (R phrase details given in Heading 16): Not applicable

TLV: Not established

PEL: Not established

EU Occupational Exposure Limits: 3 mg/m³, Inhalable dust

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview:

Appearance: Red powder
Odor: None
EU Symbols: Not applicable
R PHRASES: Not applicable

Protective Equipment:

Potential Health Effects:

Eye Contact (EC): Causes mild irritation

Skin Contact (EC): No effects are anticipated

Skin Absorption (EC): No effects anticipated

Target Organs (SA E): Not applicable

Ingestion (EC): May cause: anorexia blood pressure problems cardiac depression fever gastroenteritis

Target Organs (Ing E): Blood Heart

Inhalation: May cause: respiratory tract irritation

Target Organs (Inh E): None Reported

Medical Conditions Aggravated: Pre-existing: Kidney conditions

Chronic Effects: None reported

Cancer / Reproductive Toxicity Information:

This product does NOT contain any IARC listed chemicals.

Additional Cancer / Reproductive Toxicity Information: Tests performed on this product / components gave insufficient evidence to classify for carcinogenicity.

Toxicologically Synergistic Products: None reported

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Contact: Immediately flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Call physician if irritation develops.

Skin Contact (First Aid): Wash skin with soap and plenty of water.

Ingestion (First Aid): Give large quantities of water. Call physician immediately.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties: Does not burn, but may melt in a fire, releasing toxic fumes.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Toxic fumes of: chlorides

Fire / Explosion Hazards: May react violently with: bromine trifluoride strong oxidizers

Static Discharge: None reported.

Mechanical Impact: None reported

Extinguishing Media: Use media appropriate to surrounding fire conditions

Extinguishing Media NOT To Be Used: Not applicable

Fire Fighting Instruction: As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand and full protective gear. Evacuate area and fight fire from a safe distance.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Spill Response Notice:

See Section 13, Special Instructions for disposal assistance. Only persons properly qualified to respond to an emergency involving hazardous substances should respond to a spill involving chemicals.

Containment Technique: Stop spilled material from being released to the environment.

Clean-up Technique: Sweep up material. Dilute with a large excess of water. Flush reacted material to the drain with a large excess of water. Decontaminate the area of the spill with a soap solution.

Evacuation Procedure: Evacuate as needed to perform spill clean-up. If conditions warrant, increase the size of the evacuation.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Avoid contact with eyes skin Do not breathe dust. Wash thoroughly after handling. Maintain general industrial hygiene practices when using this product.

Storage: Keep away from: oxidizers Protect from: moisture

Special Packaging Instructions: Not applicable

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8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Engineering Controls: Maintain general industrial hygiene practices when using this product.

Personal Protective Equipment:

Eye Protection: safety glasses with top and side shields

Skin / Hand Protection: disposable latex gloves

Inhalation Protection: adequate ventilation

Precautionary Measures: Avoid contact with: eyes Do not breathe: dust Wash thoroughly after handling.

TLV: Not established

PEL: Not established

EU Occupational Exposure Limits: 3 mg/m³, Inhalable dust

9. PHYSICAL / CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance: Red powder

Physical State: Solid

Odor: None

pH: 5% solution = 4,3

Vapor Pressure: Not applicable

Vapor Density (air = 1): Not applicable

Boiling Point: Not applicable

Melting Point: 122°C

Flash Point: Not applicable

Method: Not applicable

Autoignition Temperature: Not determined

Flammability Limits:

Lower Explosion Limits: Not applicable

Upper Explosion Limits: Not applicable

Specific Gravity (water = 1): 1,83

Evaporation Rate (water = 1): Not applicable

Volatile Organic Compounds Content: Not applicable

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol / water): Not determined

Solubility:

Water: Soluble

Acid: Decomposes

Other: Not determined

Metal Corrosivity:

Steel: Not determined

Aluminum: Not determined

10. STABILITY / REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability: Stable when stored under proper conditions.

Conditions to Avoid: Exposure to air. Heating to decomposition.

Reactivity / Incompatibility: May react violently in contact with: bromine trifluoride oxidizers acids

Hazardous Decomposition: Heating to decomposition releases: Toxic fumes of: potassium oxide chlorides

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product Toxicological Data:

LD50: None reported

LC50: None reported

Dermal Toxicity Data: None reported

Skin and Eye Irritation Data: Potassium Chloride: Eye irritation rabbit: 500mg/24hrs = Mild (Standard Draize Test)

Mutation Data: None reported

Reproductive Effects Data: None reported

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Ingredient Toxicological Data: Potassium Chloride: Oral rat LD50 = 2600 mg/kg; Oral man LDLo = 20 mg/kg.

This product does NOT contain any IARC listed chemicals.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product Ecological Information: --

No ecological data available for this product.

Ingredient Ecological Information: --

No ecological data available for the ingredients of this product.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

NOTICE (Disposal): These disposal guidelines are based on federal regulations and may be superseded by more stringent state or local requirements. Please consult your local environmental regulators for more information. In Europe: Chemical and analysis solutions must be disposed of in compliance with the respective national regulations. Product packaging must be disposed of in compliance with the country-specific regulations or must be passed to a packaging return system.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

I.C.A.O.:

I.C.A.O. Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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ICAO Hazard Class: NA

ICAO Subsidiary Risk: NA

ICAO UN/ID Number: NA

ICAO Packing Group: NA

I.M.O.:

I.M.O. Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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I.M.O. Hazard Class: NA

I.M.O. Subsidiary Risk: NA

I.M.O. UN Number: NA

I.M.O. Packing Group: NA

A.D.R.:

A.D.R. Proper Shipping Name: Not Currently Regulated

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A.D.R Hazard Class: NA

A.D.R. Subsidiary Risk: NA

A.D.R. UN-Number:: NA

A.D.R. Packing Group: NA

Additional Information: This product may be shipped as part of a chemical kit composed of various compatible dangerous goods for analytical or testing purposes. This kit would have the following classification: Proper Shipping Name: Chemical Kit Hazard Class: 9 UN Number 3316

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

National Inventories:

EEC Inventory Status: All ingredients used to make this product are listed on EINECS / ELINCS.

EEC Number: Not applicable

EEC LABEL COPY:

EU Symbols: Not applicable

R PHRASES: Not applicable

S PHRASES: Not applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION

References: 29 CFR 1900 - 1910 (Code of Federal Regulations - Labor). Air Contaminants, Federal Register, Vol. 54, No. 12. Thursday, January 19, 1989. pp. 2332-2983. CCINFO RTECS. Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and

Safety. Hamilton, Ontario Canada: 30 June 1993. IARC Monographs on the Evaluation of the Carcinogenic Risks to Humans. World Health Organization (Volumes 1-42) Supplement 7. France: 1987. List of Dangerous Substances Classified in Annex I of the EEC Directive (67/548) - Classification, Packaging and Labeling of Dangerous Substances, Amended July 1992. Sixth Annual Report on Carcinogens, 1991. U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Rockville, MD: Technical Resources, Inc. 1991. Technical Judgment. TLV's Threshold Limit Values and Biological Exposure Indices for 1992-1993. American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, 1992.

R PHRASES: Not applicable

Use of the substance/preparation: Indicator for boron

Revision Summary: Updates in Section(s) 14,

Legend:

NA - Not Applicable	w/w - weight/weight
ND - Not Determined	w/v - weight/volume
NV - Not Available	v/v - volume/volume

USER RESPONSIBILITY: Each user should read and understand this information and incorporate it in individual site safety programs in accordance with applicable hazard communication standards and regulations.

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