

Safety Data SheetAccording to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006
OSHA Regulation 29 CFR 1910.1200
Canadian Regulation SOR/88-66

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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE PRODUCT AND COMPANY

Product Name: HI 38074B-0 Boron Reagent

Application: Determination of Boron in Water Samples

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SECTION 2: HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Non-hazardous product as specified in Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC.
Non-hazardous product as specified in OSHA Regulation 29 CFR 1910.1200.
Non-hazardous product as specified in Canadian Regulation SOR/88-66.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION AND COMPONENT INFORMATION

Component: Hydrochloric Acid

EC-No.: 231-595-7

CAS-No.: 7647-01-0

Hazard: C, Xi

Phrases: R: 34-37

Content: > 1% - < 10%

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

After Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. Call a physician if breathing becomes difficult.

After Skin Contact: Wash affected area with water and soap.

After Eye Contact: Rinse out with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If pain persists, summon medical advice.

After Swallowing: Wash out mouth with plenty of water, provided person is conscious. Obtain medical attention if feeling unwell.

General Information: Not available

SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media:

Water spray, Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical Powder, Appropriate Foam.

Special Risks:

Non-combustible. Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapors possible in the event of fire. The following may develop in event of fire:
Hydrochloric Acid

Special Protective Equipment:

Do not stay in dangerous zone without suitable chemical protection clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus.

Additional Information:

Prevent fire-fighting water from entering surface water or groundwater.

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SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions:

Do not inhale vapors/aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure supply of fresh air in enclosed rooms.

Environmental Precautions:

Do not allow to enter the sewerage system.

Additional Notes:

Take up with liquid-absorbent material. Clean up affected area and dispose according to local regulation. Render harmless: neutralize with diluted sodium hydroxide solution or by throwing on lime, lime sand, or sodium carbonate.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling:

Avoid generation of vapors/aerosols. Do not inhale substance.

Storage:

Tightly closed. In a well-ventilated place at +15 to +25 °C.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION

| Type | Value | Source | Type | Value | Source |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| Hydrochloric Acid | | | | | |
| TWA (8hr) | 8 mg/m ³ | Belgium | Ceiling | 2 ppm | Canada (Ontario) |
| Ceiling | 5 ppm | Canada (Quebec) | TWA (15min) | 7.6 mg/m ³ | France |
| TWA (8hr) | 3 mg/m ³ | Germany | TWA (8hr) | 7 mg/m ³ | Greece |
| TWA (8hr) | 8 mg/m ³ | Hungary | TWA (8hr) | 8 mg/m ³ | Italy |
| TWA (8hr) | 8 mg/m ³ | Netherlands | TWA (8hr) | 5 mg/m ³ | Poland |
| Ceiling | 2 ppm | Portugal | TWA (8hr) | 8 mg/m ³ | Romania |
| TWA (8hr) | 7.6 mg/m ³ | Spain | TWA (8hr) | 2 mg/m ³ | UK |
| Ceiling | 2 ppm | USA (ACGIH) | Ceiling | 5 ppm | USA (OSHA) |

Engineering:

Maintain general industrial hygiene practice.

Personal Protective Equipment:

Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the working place, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled.

Respiratory Protection:

Required when vapors/aerosols are generated. Work under hood.

Protective Gloves:

Rubber or plastic

Eye Protection:

Goggles or face mask

Industrial Hygiene:

Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL/CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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| Appearance: | Colorless liquid | Odor: | Odorless | Density at 20°C: | 1.02 g/cm ³ |
| Melting Point: | ND | Boiling Point: | NA | Solubility: | Soluble |
| pH at 20°C: | < 1 | Explosion Limit: | NA | Flash Point: | NA |
| Thermal Decomp.: | NA | | | | |

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SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Conditions to be Avoided:

Heating

Hazardous Polymerization:

Will not occur.

Further Information:

Not available

Hazardous Decomposition Products:

In the event of fire: See section 5.

Substances to be Avoided:

The generally known reaction partners of water

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Product Toxicity

Quantitative data on the toxicity of this product is not available.

Potential Health Effects:

Inhalation: Absorption. Mucosal irritations. Sensitization possible in predisposed persons.

Skin Contact: Slight irritations. Sensitization possible in predisposed persons.

Eye Contact: Irritations.

Ingestion: Irritations of mucous membranes in the mouth, pharynx, esophagus and gastrointestinal tract.

Further Data: The product should be handled with the usual care when dealing with chemicals.

Component Toxicity

Acute Toxicity:

Chronic Toxicity:

Not Available

Hydrochloric Acid

LC50: Inhalation - Rat - 1562 ppm

LD50: Oral - Rabbit - 900 mg/kg

Additional Data:

APPLICABLE TO PARTIAL COMPONENT:

The following applies to Hydrogen Chloride – as the pure substance:

Signs and symptoms of exposure

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin. Risk of perforation in the esophagus and stomach. After a latency period: cardiovascular failure.

Route of exposure

Skin Contact: Causes burns.

Skin Absorption: May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

Eye Contact: Causes burns.

Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed.

Chronic exposure - teratogen

Species: Rat, Dose: 450 mg/m³/1h

Route of Application: Inhalation

Exposure Time: (1D PRE)

Result: Specific Developmental Abnormalities.

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SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Quantitative data on the ecotoxicity of this product is not available.

APPLICABLE TO PARTIAL COMPONENT:

The following applies to Hydrogen Chloride – as the pure substance:

Ecotoxicological effects

Toxic effects on fish and plankton. Forms corrosive mixtures with water even if diluted. Damage to plant growth.

The following applies to HCl in general: harmful effects on aquatic organisms. Harmful effects due to pH shift.

Biological effects: hydrochloric acid (including such due to reaction): lethal for fish as from 25mg/L.

Test Type: LC50 Species: Leuciscus idus: Time: 96 h, value: 862 mg/L (1N solution).

Harmful effects begins at: plants 6 mg/L. Does not cause biological oxygen deficit.

Further Data: Do not allow to enter waters, waste waters, or soil!

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal: Chemical residues are generally classified as special waste and thus covered by local regulations. Contact local authorities or disposal companies for advice. Handle contaminated packaging in the same way as the substance itself.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

Land:

Not subject to transport regulations

Sea:

Not subject to transport regulations

Air:

Not subject to transport regulations

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

Labeling according to EC Directives:

Non-hazardous according to Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Text of R-phrases under Section 3

34: Causes burns

37: Irritating to respiratory system

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Legend

NA: Not Applicable

ND: Not Determined

THE INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS BASED ON THE PRESENT STATE OF OUR KNOWLEDGE. IT CHARACTERIZES THE PRODUCT WITH REGARD TO THE APPROPRIATE SAFETY PRECAUTIONS. IT DOES NOT REPRESENT A GUARANTEE OF THE PROPERTIES OF THE PRODUCT.