

SAFETY DATA SHEET



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1. Identification

Product identifier

Product Name Ready Gel TBE-Urea

Other means of identification

Catalog Number(s) 1611115, 1611117, 1611133, 3450086, 3450088, 3450089, 3450090, 3450091, 3450092, 3450093

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Laboratory chemicals

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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Emergency telephone number

24 Hour Emergency Phone Number CHEMTREC USA: 1 (800) 424-9300

2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification

Carcinogenicity	Category 1B
Reproductive toxicity	Category 1B

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

Label elements

Danger

Hazard statements

May cause cancer
May damage fertility or the unborn child



Appearance	gel	Physical state	Solid	Odor	Odorless
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Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wear protective gloves/clothing and eye/face protection

Precautionary Statements - Response

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations as applicable

Other information

No information available.

3. Composition/information on ingredients**Substance**

Not applicable.

Mixture

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Trade secret
Boric acid (H3BO3)	10043-35-3	0.3 - 0.99	*

*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

4. First-aid measures**Description of first aid measures**

General advice	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air.
Eye contact	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a physician.
Skin contact	Wash skin with soap and water.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms	No information available.
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Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians	Treat symptomatically.
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5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	No information available.
Explosion data	
Sensitivity to mechanical impact	None.
Sensitivity to static discharge	None.
Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters	Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions	Ensure adequate ventilation.
Other information	Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
Methods for cleaning up	Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes.
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Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions	Store locked up. Store according to product and label instructions.
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8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

Exposure Limits

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH
Boric acid (H ₃ BO ₃) 10043-35-3	STEL: 6 mg/m ³ inhalable particulate matter TWA: 2 mg/m ³ inhalable particulate matter	-	-

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls	Showers Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.
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Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection	No special protective equipment required.
Hand protection	Wear suitable gloves.
Skin and body protection	Wear suitable protective clothing.
Respiratory protection	No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.
General hygiene considerations	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Solid
Appearance	gel
Color	colorless
Odor	Odorless
Odor threshold	No information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH		None known
Melting point / freezing point	No data available	None known
Initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available	None known
Flash point	No data available	None known
Evaporation rate	No data available	None known
Flammability	No data available	None known
Flammability Limit in Air		None known
Upper flammability or explosive limits	No data available	
Lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available	
Vapor pressure	No data available	None known
Relative vapor density	No data available	None known
Relative density	No data available	None known
Water solubility	Insoluble in water	
Solubility(ies)	No data available	None known
Partition coefficient	No data available	None known
Autoignition temperature	No data available	None known
Decomposition temperature	No data available	None known
Kinematic viscosity	No data available	None known
Dynamic viscosity	No data available	None known
<u>Other information</u>		
Explosive properties	No information available	
Oxidizing properties	No information available	
Softening point	No information available	

Molecular weight	No information available
VOC content	No information available
Liquid Density	No information available
Bulk density	No information available

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	No information available.
Chemical stability	Stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	None under normal processing.
Conditions to avoid	None known based on information supplied.
Incompatible materials	None known based on information supplied.
Hazardous decomposition products	None known based on information supplied.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

Inhalation	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.
Eye contact	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.
Skin contact	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.
Ingestion	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Symptoms	No information available.
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Acute toxicity

Numerical measures of toxicity

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

ATEmix (oral)	21,897.40 mg/kg
ATEmix (dermal)	144,385.00 mg/kg

Component Information

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Boric acid (H3BO3) 10043-35-3	= 2660 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	> 2.12 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

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 information available.

Carcinogenicity Contains a known or suspected carcinogen. Classification based on data available for ingredients. May cause cancer.

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Chemical name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Boric acid (H3BO3) 10043-35-3	-	Group 2A	-	X

Legend

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

Group 2A - Probably Carcinogenic to Humans

Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor

X - Present

Reproductive toxicity Classification based on data available for ingredients. May damage fertility or the unborn child.

STOT - single exposure No information available.

STOT - repeated exposure No information available.

Aspiration hazard No information available.

Other adverse effects No information available.

Interactive effects No information available.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Boric acid (H3BO3) 10043-35-3	-	-	-	EC50: 115 - 153mg/L (48h, Daphnia magna)

Persistence and degradability No information available.

Bioaccumulation

Component Information

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
Boric acid (H3BO3) 10043-35-3	-1.09

Other adverse effects No information available.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal methods

Waste from residues/unused products Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse empty containers.

California Hazardous Waste Status This product contains one or more substances that are listed with the State of California as a hazardous waste.

14. Transport information

DOT Not regulated

TDG Not regulated

MEX Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

IMDG Not regulated

15. Regulatory information

International Inventories Contact supplier for inventory compliance status

US Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Water 7732-18-5	-	-	X
Boric acid (H ₃ BO ₃) 10043-35-3	X	-	-

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

16. Other information

NFPA	Health hazards 0	Flammability 0	Instability 0	Special hazards -
HMIS	Health hazards 1*	Flammability 0	Physical hazards 0	Personal protection X
<i>Chronic Hazard Star Legend</i>		<i>* = Chronic Health Hazard</i>		

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet**Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Maximum limit value	Sk*	Skin designation

Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database
 European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)
 Environmental Protection Agency
 Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AELG(s))
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals
 Food Research Journal
 Hazardous Substance Database
 International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)
 National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)
 Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)
 NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)
 National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)
 National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)
 U.S. National Toxicology Program (NTP)
 New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)
 Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications
 Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program
 Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set
 World Health Organization

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