

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Australian statement of hazardous nature: Classified as hazardous according to criteria of Safe Work Australia

## Section 1 - Identification

Product Name BupH Carbonate-Bicarbonate Buffer

Product Code PIE28382

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Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against

This product does not contain any substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list.

This product does not contain any substance(s) subject to Prohibition, Authorization or Restriction. This product does not contain any substance(s) listed on the voluntary National

Code of Practice for Chemicals of Security Concern.

# Section 2 - Hazard(s) Identification

### Classification under Safe Work Australia

Classified as hazardous according to criteria of Safe Work Australia

Physical hazards

No hazards identified

**Health hazards** 

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2

**Environmental hazards** 

No hazards identified

#### **Label Elements**



Signal Word Warning

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#### **Hazard Statements**

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

### **Precautionary Statements**

P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

P280 - Wear eye protection/ face protection

P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P337 + P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Other information

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

# Section 3 - Composition and Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Sodium carbonate	497-19-8	25-45
Sodium bicarbonate	144-55-8	>10

# Section 4 - First Aid Measures

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air.

**Ingestion** Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes.

Eye Contact Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids.

Consult a physician.

Self-Protection of the First Aider Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to

protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

First Aid Facilities Eyewash, safety shower and washroom.

Most important symptoms and

effects

No information available.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

# Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

### Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

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#### Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

#### **Emergency procedures**

Ensure adequate ventilation.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

#### Methods for Containment and Clean Up

Clean-up methods - small spillage

#### Clean-up methods - large spillage

Typically only supplied is small quantiites as packaged goods.

If extremely toxic or used in larger quantities ensure a spillage action plan is in place. Evacuate area. Control the source and/or contain the spill if safe and able to do so. Use temporary diking, sand bags, dry sand, earth or proprietary booms/absorbent pads if available. Obtain advice on containment, neutralisation and clean-up from local emergency responders.

#### **Reference to Other Sections**

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

# Section 7 - Handling and Storage

#### **Precautions for Safe Handling**

Ensure adequate ventilation.

#### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

AS/NZS 2243.10:2004, Safety in laboratories - Storage of chemicals

# Section 8 - Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

#### **Exposure limits**

The product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established.

## **Biological limit values**

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

#### **Exposure Controls**

## **Engineering Measures**

Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

#### Personal protective equipment Eye Protection

Goggles (Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 - Eye protectors for Industrial applications)

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Hand Protection	Protective gloves					
Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	AUS/NZ Standard	Glove comments		
Disposable gloves	See manufacturers	_	AS/NZS 2161	(minimum requirement)		

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves.

(Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Skin and body protection Long sleeved clothing

recommendations

Repiratory Protection Use an AS/NZS 1716 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or

other symptoms are experienced. To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained in line with AS/NZS 1715 on the use

and maintenance of repiratory protective devices (or AUS/NZ equivalent)

When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

# Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance White Physical State Solid

Odor No information available

Odor Threshold No data available

**pH** 9.4

Melting Point/RangeNo data availableSoftening PointNo data availableBoiling Point/RangeNot applicable

Flash Point Not applicable Method - No information available

**Evaporation Rate** Not applicable Solid

Flammability (solid,gas)

No information available

**Explosion Limits** No data available

Vapor Pressure
No data available

Vapor DensityNot applicableSolidSpecific Gravity / DensityNo data available

Specific Gravity / Density
Bulk Density
Water Solubility
Solubility in other solvents

No data available
No data available
No information available
No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Autoignition Temperature

Not applicable
No data available

Viscosity Not applicable Solid

**Explosive Properties**No information available
No information available

Other information

# Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

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**Reactivity** None known, based on information available

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

**Conditions to Avoid** Heat, flames and sparks.

Incompatible Materials None known.

Hazardous Decomposition Products None under normal use conditions.

**Hazardous Polymerization** No information available.

# Section 11 - Toxicological Information

#### Information on Toxicological Effects

### **Product Information**

(a) acute toxicity;

OralBased on available data, the classification criteria are not metDermalBased on available data, the classification criteria are not metInhalationBased on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### Toxicology data for the components

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Sodium carbonate	2800 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (rabbit)	2.3 mg/l 2h (Rat)
Sodium bicarbonate	LD50 = 4220 mg/kg (Rat)		

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; No data available

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; Category 2

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

Respiratory No data available Skin No data available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; No data available

(f) carcinogenicity; No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

(g) reproductive toxicity; No data available

(h) STOT-single exposure; No data available

(i) STOT-repeated exposure; No data available

Target Organs No information available.

(j) aspiration hazard; Not applicable

Solid

Symptoms / effects,both acute and No information available

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delayed

# Section 12 - Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity effects** 

	Component	Freshwater Fish	Water Flea	Freshwater Algae	Microtox
	Sodium carbonate	Lepomis macrochirus:	EC50: = 265 mg/L, 48h		-
1		LC50: 300 mg/L/96h	(Daphnia magna)		
1		Gambusia affinis: LC50:			
Į		740 mg/L/96h			
	Sodium bicarbonate	LC50: 8250 - 9000 mg/L, 96h static	EC50: 2350 mg/L/48h	EC50: 650 mg/L/120h	-
		(Lepomis macrochirus)			

Persistence and Degradability Bioaccumulative Potential

No information available No information available

**Mobility** 

No information available.

Endocrine Disruptor Information Persistent Organic Pollutant Ozone Depletion Potential This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

This product does not contain any known or suspected substance This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

# Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Waste from Residues/Unused

**Products** 

Do not allow into drains or watercourses or dispose of where ground or surface waters may be affected. Wastes, including emptied containers, are controlled wastes and should be disposed of in accordance with all federal, E.P.A., state and local regulations. Assure conformity with all applicable regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging** 

Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

**Other Information** 

Chemical wastes should be disposed through a licensed commercial waste collection service. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which

the product was used. Do not empty into drains.

# Section 14 - Transport Information

IMDG/IMO Not regulated

ADG Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

Environmental hazards No hazards identified

Special Precautions No special precautions required

Additional information None known

# Section 15 - Regulatory Information

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

National Regulations Australia

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See section 8 for national exposure control parameters.

### Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

No poison schedule number allocated.

Component	Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons
Sodium carbonate - 497-19-8	Schedule 5 listed - being the carbonate, silicate or phosphate salts of sodium or potassium alone or in any combination: in solid orthodontic device cleaning preparations, the pH of which as an in-use aqueous solution is >11.5, in solid automatic dishwashing preparations, the pH of which in a 500 g/L aqueous solution or mixture is >11.5 but <=12.5;in other solid preparations, the pH of which in a 10 g/L aqueous solution is >11.5, or in liquid or semi-solid preparations, the pH of which is >11.5, unless: in food additive preparations for domestic use, or in automatic dish washing preparations for domestic use with a pH >12.5;except when separately specified in these Schedules Schedule 5 listed - being the Carbonate, Silicate or Phosphate salts of Sodium or Potassium alone or in any combination: in solid orthodontic device cleaning preparations as an in-use aqueous solution;in solid automatic dishwashing preparations in a 500 g/L aqueous solution or mixture but with pH <=12.5;in other solid preparations for domestic use, or in automatic dish washing preparations, unless in food additive preparations for domestic use, or in automatic dish washing preparations for domestic use with a pH >12.5;except when separately specified in these Schedules  Schedule 6 listed - being the carbonate, silicate or phosphate salts of sodium or potassium alone or in any combination for non-domestic use: in solid automatic dishwashing preparations, the pH of which in a 500 g/L aqueous solution or mixture is >12.5, or in liquid or semi-solid automatic dishwashing preparations, the pH of which is >12.5

#### **Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)**

	Component	Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)	Additional information
	Sodium carbonate - 497-19-8	Present	-
Γ	Sodium bicarbonate - 144-55-8	Present	-

#### Australian - Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents Substance List

This product does not contain any substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list.

### **Chemicals of Security Concern**

This product does not contain any substance(s) listed on the voluntary National Code of Practice for Chemicals of Security Concern

National pollutant inventory Not applicable

### Prohibition or notification/licensing requirements

Shown below are details of specific prohibition/notifications or licencing requirements when they apply.

This product does not contain any substance(s) subject to Prohibition, Authorization or Restriction.

### **International Inventories**

Component	AICS	NZIoC	EINECS	ELINCS	TSCA	DSL	<b>NDSL</b>	PICCS	<b>ENCS</b>	ISHL	IECSC	KECL
Sodium carbonate	Х	Х	207-838-8	-	X	Х	-	Χ	Х	Х	Х	KE-31380
Sodium bicarbonate	X	X	205-633-8	-	X	Х	-	Х	Х	Х	Х	KE-31360

Legend: X - Listed. '-' - Not Listed. KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

### International Regulations

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Ozone Depletion Potential This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Persistent Organic Pollutant This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Rotterdam Convention (PIC) Not applicable

Basel convention on the control of transboundary movements of hazardous wastes and their dispoal Not applicable.

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Restriction of Hazardous	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) -	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) -
			Substances (RoHS)	for Major Accident  Notification	Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements
Sodium carbonate	497-19-8	Listed	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Sodium bicarbonate	144-55-8	Listed	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

### Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

Component		REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous	
	Authorization	Substances	List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)
Sodium carbonate	-	Use restricted. See item 75. (see link for restriction details)	-

https://echa.europa.eu/substances-restricted-under-reach

## Section 16 - Other Information

#### Legend

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

IECSC - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from

NZS 5433:2020 - Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

**EC50** - Effective Concentration 50%

WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water **vPvB** - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

VOC - (Volatile Organic Compound)

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical

Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

**IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

ADG - Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50%

ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment

NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

### Key literature references and sources for data

https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

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Classification and procedure used to derive the classification for mixtures according to Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 [CLP]:

Physical hazards
Health Hazards
Calculation method
Environmental hazards
Cn basis of test data
Calculation method

**Training Advice** 

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

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**Revision Summary** Update to GHS format.

This Safety Data Sheet (SDS) is prepared in accordance to and complies with the requirements of Safe Work Australia - Work Health and Safety Regulations (WHS Regulations).

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