

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

Revision Date 30-Mar-2024 Revision Number 3

## 1. Identification

Product Name Boron powder, crystalline

Cat No.: 40036

**CAS No** 7440-42-8

Synonyms No information available

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

### Company

Thermo Fisher Scientific Chemicals, Inc. 30 Bond Street Ward Hill, MA 01835-8099

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#### **Emergency Telephone Number**

For information **US** call: 001-800-227-6701 / **Europe** call: +32 14 57 52 11 Emergency Number **US**:001-201-796-7100 / **Europe**: +32 14 57 52 99 **CHEMTREC** Tel. No. **US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

## Classification

Classification under 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

This chemical is not considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

### Label Elements

None required

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

## 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Boron	7440-42-8	<=100

## 4. First-aid measures

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get

medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention

immediately if symptoms occur.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

**Ingestion** Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

Most important symptoms and

effects

None reasonably foreseeable.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media approved class D extinguishers. Do not use water or foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

Autoignition Temperature 700 °C / 1292 °F

**Explosion Limits** 

Upper No data available
Lower No data available
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available
Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

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

Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Oxides of boron.

### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

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

NFPA

Health Flammability Instability Physical hazards
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### 6. Accidental release measures

**Personal Precautions** Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust

formation.

**Environmental Precautions** Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological

Information.

Methods for Containment and Clean Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

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7. Handling and storage

Handling Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid

contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation.

Storage. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Incompatible

Materials. Acids. Halogens. Ammonia. Oxidizing agent.

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure

limitsestablished by the region specific regulatory bodies.

**Engineering Measures** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Personal Protective Equipment

**Eye/face Protection** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by

OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard

EN166.

**Skin and body protection**Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Respiratory Protection Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard

EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

Recommended Filter type: Particle filter.

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

9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical StateSolidAppearanceBrownOdorOdorless

Odor Threshold No information available

pHNo information availableMelting Point/Range2075 °C / 3767 °FBoiling Point/Range2550 °C / 4622 °FFlash PointNo information available

Evaporation Rate Not applicable

Flammability (solid,gas)

No information available

Flammability or explosive limits

UpperNo data availableLowerNo data availableVapor PressureNo information available

Vapor DensityNot applicableSpecific Gravity2.34 g/cm3

Solubility

Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water

Autoignition Temperature

Decomposition Temperature

No information available

700 °C / 1292 °F

No information available

Viscosity Not applicable

## 10. Stability and reactivity

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Reactive Hazard None known, based on information available

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to Avoid Incompatible products.

Incompatible Materials Acids, Halogens, Ammonia, Oxidizing agent

Hazardous Decomposition Products Oxides of boron

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing.

## 11. Toxicological information

### **Acute Toxicity**

#### **Product Information**

**Component Information** 

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Boron	LD50 > 2000 mg/kg (Rat) (OCED 423)	Not listed	LC50 > 5.08 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

**Toxicologically Synergistic** 

No information available

**Products** 

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

Irritation No information available

Sensitization No information available

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

Component	CAS No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Boron	7440-42-8	Not listed				

Mutagenic Effects No information available

**Reproductive Effects**No information available.

**Developmental Effects**No information available.

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

STOT - single exposure None known STOT - repeated exposure None known

Aspiration hazard No information available

Symptoms / effects,both acute and No information available

delayed

Endocrine Disruptor Information No information available

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

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Persistence and Degradability Insoluble in water

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation**No information available.

**Mobility** Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility.

## 13. Disposal considerations

Waste Disposal Methods Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a

hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

14. Transport information

DOTNot regulatedTDGNot regulatedIATANot regulatedIMDG/IMONot regulated

## 15. Regulatory information

#### **United States of America Inventory**

Component	CAS No	CAS No TSCA TSCA Inventory noti Active-Inactiv		TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags
Boron	7440-42-8	X	ACTIVE	-

#### Legend:

TSCA US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

X - Listed

'-' - Not Listed

TSCA - Per 40 CFR 751, Regulation of Certain Chemical Substances & Mixtures, Under TSCA Section 6(h) (PBT)

Not applicable

TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export

Not applicable

#### **International Inventories**

Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Australia (AICS), China (IECSC), Korea (KECL).

	Component	CAS No	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	AICS	IECSC	KECL
Γ	Boron	7440-42-8	Х	-	231-151-2	Χ	Χ		Х	Х	KE-03518

KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

### U.S. 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) Not applicable

Clean Air Act Not applicable

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**OSHA** - Occupational Safety and

Not applicable

Health Administration

### **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.

**California Proposition 65** 

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

### U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Boron	-	X	-	-	-

**U.S. Department of Transportation** 

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Ν **DOT Marine Pollutant** Ν **DOT Severe Marine Pollutant** Ν

U.S. Department of Homeland

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Security

Other International Regulations

**Mexico - Grade** No information available

### Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

ACH (1907/2006) -	REACH (1907/2006) -	REACH Regulation (EC
ex XIV - Substances	Annex XVII - Restrictions	1907/2006) article 59 -
ect to Authorization	on Certain Dangerous	Candidate List of

Boron 7440-42-8	Component		REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization	9	REACH Regulation (EC 1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)
	Boron	7440-42-8	-	-	-

Not applicable

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

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Persistent Organic Pollutant	Ozone Depletion Potential	Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)
Boron	7440-42-8	Listed	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

Contains component(s) that meet a 'definition' of per & poly fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS)? Not applicable

### Other International Regulations

	Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) -	(2012/18/EC) -	Rotterdam Convention (PIC)	Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste)
-			Qualifying Quantities	Qualifying Quantities		
ı			for Major Accident	for Safety Report		
L			Notification	Requirements		

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Boron	7440-42-8	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

## 16. Other information

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**Revision Summary** New emergency telephone response service provider.

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**End of SDS**