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**1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING****1.1. Product identifier**Product name: **BORIC ACID (EUR. PH.)**

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Nº CAS: 10043-35-3

Nº EC: 233-139-2

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant identified uses: Cosmetic active ingredient

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheetCompany: **METAPHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRIAL SLU**

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National Institute of Toxicology of Madrid: (0034) 915 620 420

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture**

The product is classified as dangerous according to the provisions of Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 (CLP).
Repr. 1B, H360FD

2.2. Label Elements

Signal word (CLP): DANGER

Hazard statements:

H360FD: May damage fertility of the unborn child

Precautionary statements:

P201: Obtain special instructions before use

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

P308+P313: IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

P405: Store locked up

2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available.

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3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1. Substances

Product name: BORIC ACID
Synonyms: Boric Acid, ACIDO BORICO
IUPAC name: Boric Acid
Nº CAS: 10043-35-3
Nº EC: 233-139-2
Molecular formula: H_3BO_3

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General advises: Consult a doctor. Show the safety data sheet to the doctor on duty.
Inhalation: Take outdoors. If breathing is irregular, call a doctor immediately. Only apply artificial respiration if breathing stops or under medical supervision.
Skin contact: Wash immediately with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes. Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
Eye contact: Remove contact lenses and rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
Ingestion: If conscious, give victim plenty of water to drink. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a doctor immediately.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No data available.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available.

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing methods: Foam, dry chemical powder, carbon dioxide, sand, water spray/mist
Unsuitable extinguishing methods: Direct water jet.
Neighboring fires (containers exposed to fire): Water spray or water mist.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

May emit toxic fumes when burned.

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**5.3. Advice for firefighters**

General information: Cool containers with water to prevent product decomposition and development of potential health hazards. Always use full fire protection. Collect the water that should not enter the sewer. Eliminate the contaminated water used to extinguish and the remains of the second current regulations.

Equipment: Helmet with visor, flame retardant clothing (jacket and trousers with braces around the arms, legs and waist, EN 469), gloves (fire and dielectric proof, EN 659), a mask with a full-face mask. operator's face or car (protective car) in the case of large amounts of smoke, a self-contained breathing apparatus (EN 137).

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

For exposure controls and personal protection measures, see Section 8.

Provide cleanup personnel with appropriate protective equipment. Ventilate the area. Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent release into the environment. Avoid entry into sewers and waterways. If the product reaches drains or public watercourses, notify the relevant authorities.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Store away from other materials. If spilled on the ground, sweep up or collect using a shovel or similar tool and place in suitable containers. Minimize dust generation.

6.4. Reference to other sections

For exposure controls and personal protective measures, see Section 8.

For disposal recommendations, see Section 13.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

Avoid releasing the product into the environment. Smoking, eating, and drinking must be prohibited in the application area. Comply with applicable occupational health and safety regulations. Keep the product only in containers made of the same material as the original packaging.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

No special storage measures are required for this product. Store containers in a cool, dry place, protected from direct sunlight.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available beyond that provided in Section 1.

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8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1. Exposure controls/personal protection

Limit values (TLV)

	TWA (8h)	STEL (15 min)
VLA	2 mg/m ³	6 mg/m ³
TLV-ACHIG	2 mg/m ³	6 mg/m ³

Predicted No-Effect Concentration (PNEC) – Environmental Exposure Values (Reference Values)

Terrestrial compartment:	5.4 mg/Kg
Freshwater:	2.02 mg/L
Marine water:	2.02 mg/L
Intermittent releases to freshwater:	13.7 mg/Kg
STP microorganisms (Sewage Treatment Plant):	10 mg/L

Human Health – Derived No-Effect Level (DNEL) / Derived Minimal Effect Level (DMEL)

Route of Exposure	Consumer effects				Route of Exposure	Workers effects		Chronic Local
	Acute Local	Acute Systemic	Chronic Local	Chronic Systemic		Acute Local	Acute Systemic	
Oral				0.98 mg/Kg				
Respiración				4.15 mg/m ³				8.28 mg/m ³
Cutánea				196 mg/Kg				392 mg/Kg/day

Legend

PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration
DNEL	Derived No-Effect Level
TWA	Time-Weighted Average
STEL	Short-Term Exposure Limit
ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
VND	Hazard identified but no PNEC/DNEL available

8.2. Exposure controls

Since the use of appropriate technical measures should always take precedence over personal protective equipment, ensure good ventilation in the workplace by means of effective local suction. When choosing personal protective equipment, ask your chemical suppliers if necessary. Personal protective equipment must bear the CE marking that certifies compliance with the applicable regulations. Arrange an emergency shower with a visco-elastic tray.



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Eye and face protection:	Protection masks and safety glasses according to EN 165, EN 166, EN 167, EN 168.
Hands protection:	Handle with gloves. The selected protective gloves must comply with the specifications of the EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standards EN 374-1, EN 374-2, EN 374-3, EN 420 derived from it.
Respiratory protection:	Where risk assessment shows that air purifying respirators are appropriate, use type N95 (USA) or type P1 (EN 149) dust mask. Use respirators and components tested and approved under the appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (USA) or CEN (EU).
Skin protection:	Choose body protection based on the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance in the workplace.
Hygiene measures:	Handle with adequate industrial hygiene precautions, and respect safety practices. Wash your hands before breaks and after finishing the workday.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Aspect:	Powder
Color:	White
Odor:	Odorless
Molecular weight:	61.84 g/mol
pH (20 °C, 1 g/L):	6.1
Melting point (°C):	171
Decomposition temperature (°C):	95
Density (20 °C):	1.020 g/mL
Water solubility (20 °C):	48.8 g/L
Water solubility (100 °C):	379.9 g/L
n-Octanol/Water Partition Coefficient (25 °C):	LogPow -0.757

9.2. Other information

Total solids (250 °C):	100.00 %
VOC (Directive 2010/75/EU):	0
VOC (volatile carbon):	0

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1. Reactivity

Decomposes at 100 °C.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under the recommended handling and storage conditions (see Section 7).

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Risk of explosion upon contact with acetic anhydride.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None in particular.

10.5. Incompatible materials

No data available.

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**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**

Boric anhydride and metaboric acid.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Acute skin toxicity (LD50, rabbit):	> 2000 mg/Kg
Acute oral toxicity (LD50, rat):	2600 mg/Kg
Skin corrosion/irritation:	No additional information available (Lack of data)
Serious eye damage/eye irritation:	No additional information available (Lack of data)
Skin or respiratory sensitization:	No additional information available (Lack of data)
Germ cell mutagenicity:	No additional information available (Lack of data)
Carcinogenicity:	The IARC Working Group evaluated the biological effects of talc and concluded that, based on <i>in vivo</i> and <i>in vitro</i> studies, there is insufficient evidence of carcinogenicity or genotoxicity in either experimental animals or humans.
Reproductive toxicity:	The product is classified as toxic for reproduction.
STOT – single exposure:	No additional information available (Lack of data)
STOT – repeated exposure:	No additional information available (Lack of data)
Aspiration Hazard:	No additional information available (Lack of data)
Potential Health Effects	
Inhalation:	No additional information available (Lack of data)
Ingestion:	No additional information available (Lack of data)
Skin:	No additional information available (Lack of data)
Eyes:	No additional information available (Lack of data)
Signs and Symptoms of Exposure:	No additional information available (Lack of data)

11.2. Information on other hazards

No additional information available.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Use in accordance with good work practices, avoiding dispersing the product in the environment. Notify the competent authorities if the product has reached water courses or if it has contaminated the soil or vegetation.

12.1. Toxicity

No data available.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

No data available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Low bioaccumulation potential.

12.4. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

According to available data, the product does not contain any PBT or vPvB substances in concentrations above 0.10%.

12.5. Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available.

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12.6. Other adverse effects

No additional information available.

13.DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Product: Consider all federal, state and local environmental regulations. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

Contaminated packaging: Dispose of as unused product.

14.INFORMACIÓN RELATIVA AL TRANSPORTE

The product should not be considered hazardous according to the applicable regulations for the transport of dangerous goods by road (ADR), rail (RID), sea (IMDG Code), and air (IATA).

14.1. UN Number

Not classified as dangerous for transport.

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Not classified as dangerous for transport.

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Not classified as dangerous for transport.

14.4. Packing group

Not classified as dangerous for transport.

14.5. Environmental hazards

Not classified as dangerous for transport

14.6. Special precautions for user

Not classified as dangerous for transport.

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not classified as dangerous for transport.

15.REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

The Safety Data Sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EU) 2020/878 of the Commission of June 18, 2020, by which Annex II of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council is modified, relating to the registration, evaluation, authorization and restriction of chemical substances and mixtures (REACH).

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No additional information available.

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16. OTHER INFORMATION

Abbreviations and acronyms:

PBT: Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic

mPmB: Very persistent and very bioaccumulative

REACH: Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals

Data sources used:

Regulation (CE) No. 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council, of December 16, 2008, on the classification, labeling and packaging of substances and mixtures, and by which Directives 67/548/CEE and 1999 are modified and repealed /45/CE and modifies Regulation (CE) No. 1907/2006.

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Safety Data Sheet according to Annex II of REACH Regulation (EU) 2020/878

Department issuing the Safety Data Sheet:

Technical Department

The information in this Product Safety Data Sheet is based on current knowledge and current EC and national laws, as far as the working conditions of users are beyond our knowledge and control. The product must not be used for purposes other than those specified, without first having a written instruction on its handling. It is always the responsibility of the user to take the appropriate measures in order to comply with the requirements established in the legislation.