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Reproductive toxicity Category 1B
H360FD May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.

2.2. Label elements

REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Hazard pictograms :



Signal word : **Danger**

Hazard statements : **H360FD** May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.

Precautionary statements : **P201** Obtain special instructions before use.
P263 Avoid contact during pregnancy and while nursing.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection/ hearing protection.
P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.

2.3. Other hazards

This product is a mixture. Health hazard information is based on its components. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment, see chapter 12.5.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substance

Not applicable

3.2. Mixture

Chemical name	CAS-No. Index-No. REACH Registration Number EC-No.	Classification 1272/2008	Concentration	Remarks

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disodium tetraborate decahydrate	1303-96-4 005-011-00-4 215-540-4	Repr. 1B; H360FD	>= 0,5 % - < 8,5 %	
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Remaining components of this product are non-hazardous and/or are present at concentrations below reportable limits.

Occupational Exposure Limit(s), if available, are listed in Section 8.
For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice:

First aider needs to protect himself. Move out of dangerous area. Take off all contaminated clothing immediately.

Inhalation:

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Skin contact:

After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Eye contact:

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids. Protect unharmed eye. If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

Ingestion:

When swallowed, allow water to be drunk. Rinse mouth. Consult a physician.

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

See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

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SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:

Water spray
Foam
Dry powder
Carbon dioxide (CO₂)

Extinguishing media which shall not be used for safety reasons:

High volume water jet

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire may cause evolution of:

Boron oxides
Chlorine compounds

5.3. Advice for firefighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire. Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear personal protective equipment. Unprotected persons must be kept away. Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

6.3. Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material.
Pick for disposal in tightly closed containers

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6.4. Reference to other sections

For personal protection see section 8.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling:

Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion:

Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

Hygiene measures:

Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday. When using do not eat or drink.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage areas and containers:

Store in original container. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorised persons.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

no additional data available

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SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits:

Components	Basis / Value type	Value / Form of exposure	Exceeding Factor	Remarks
disodium tetraborate decahydrate	EH40 OES TWA	5 mg/m ³		
disodium tetraborate decahydrate	EH40 WEL TWA	5 mg/m ³		

TWA - Time weighted average

DNEL/ PNEC-Values

Component	End-use/impact	Exposure duration	Value	Exposure routes	Remarks
disodium tetraborate decahydrate	Workers / Long-term systemic effects		6,7 mg/m ³	Inhalation	
disodium tetraborate decahydrate	Workers / Long-term systemic effects		316,4mg/kg bw/d	Skin contact	
disodium tetraborate decahydrate	Consumers / Long-term systemic effects		3,4 mg/m ³	Inhalation	
disodium tetraborate decahydrate	Consumers / Long-term systemic effects		159,5mg/kg bw/d	Skin contact	
disodium tetraborate decahydrate	Consumers / Long-term systemic effects		0,79mg/kg bw/d	Ingestion	
disodium tetraborate	Consumers /		0,79mg/kg	Ingestion	

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decahydrate	Acute systemic effects		bw/d		
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Component	Environmental compartment / Value	Remarks
disodium tetraborate decahydrate; borax decahydrate	Fresh water: 2,9 mg/l	
disodium tetraborate decahydrate; borax decahydrate	Marine water: 2,9 mg/l	
disodium tetraborate decahydrate; borax decahydrate	Sewage treatment plant: 10 mg/l	
disodium tetraborate decahydrate; borax decahydrate	Soil: 5,7 mg/kg dw	

8.2. Exposure controls

Occupational exposure controls

The Personal Protective Equipment must be in accordance with EN standards:respirator EN 136, 140, 149; safety glasses EN 166; protective suit: EN 340, 463, 468, 943-1, 943-2; gloves EN 374, 511; safety shoes EN-ISO 20345.

Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection:

In the case of vapour formation use a respirator with an approved filter.

Hand protection:

Glove material: Natural Latex

Break through time: 480 min

Glove thickness: 0,6 mm

Lapren®706

Gloves must be inspected prior to use.

Replace when worn.

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Remarks: Supplementary note: The specifications are based on information and tests from similar substances by analogy.
Due to varying conditions (e.g.temperature or other strains) it must be considered that the usage of a chemical protective glove in practice may be much shorter than the permeation time determined in accordance with EN 374.
Since actual conditions of practical use often deviate from standardised conditions according EN 374 the glove manufacturer recommends to use the chemical protective glove in practice not longer than 50% of the recommended permeation time.
Manufacturer's directions for use should be observed because of great diversity of types .
Suitable gloves tested according EN 374 are supplied e.g. from KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Vertrieb@kcl.de

Eye protection:
Safety goggles

Skin and body protection:
Protective suit

Environmental exposure controls

Handle in accordance with local environmental regulations and good industrial practices.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: liquid
Colour	: colourless
Odour	: odourless
Melting point/range	: No data available
Boiling point/boiling range	: ca. 100 °C
Flammability	: Not applicable
Upper explosion limit	: No data available
Lower explosion limit	: No data available

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Flash point	:	Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature	:	Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	:	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
pH	:	8
Viscosity, kinematic	:	No data available
Water solubility	:	completely miscible
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	:	No data available
Vapour pressure	:	No data available
Density	:	No data available
Relative vapour density	:	No data available

9.2 Other Information

Evaporation rate	:	No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	:	No data available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

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Hazardous polymerisation does not occur.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None known.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents
Strong reducing agents
Strong acids

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute oral toxicity:
No data available

Acute dermal toxicity:
No data available

Acute inhalation toxicity:
No data available

Skin irritation:
No data available

Eye irritation:
No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitisation:
No data available

Carcinogenicity:
Note: No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity:

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Note: No data available

Reproductive toxicity:

Remarks: Classification based on Annex VI of regulation 1272/2008/EC.

Aspiration hazard:

No data available

11.2. Information on other hazards

Endocrine disrupting properties

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

Other information:

No data available

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Toxicity to fish:

No data available

Toxicity to aquatic plants:

No data available

Toxicity to aquatic invertebrates:

No data available

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability:

No data available

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

12.4. Mobility in soil

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No data available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.7. Other adverse effects

No data available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Product:

Dispose according to legal requirements.

Packaging:

Legal requirements are to be considered in regard of reuse or disposal of used packaging materials

Further information:

Provisions relating to waste:
EC Directive 2006/12/EC; 2008/98/EEC
Regulation No. 1013/2006

For personal protection see section 8.

SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1 UN number

ADR/RID:Not dangerous goods IMDG:Not dangerous goods IATA:Not dangerous goods

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID:Not dangerous goods
IMDG:Not dangerous goods
IATA:Not dangerous goods

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

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14.4 Packaging group

14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: no

Marine pollutant: no

14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available

14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

No data available

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

Basis	Value	Remarks
Substances of very high concern (SVHC)		This product does contain substances of very high concern according to Regulation (EC) No Article 57 above the respective regulatory 1907/2006 (REACH), concentration limit of ≥ 0.1 % (w/w).
Directive 2012/18/EC		Not applicable

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Other inventory information

US. Toxic Substances Control Act
On TSCA Inventory

Australia. Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AIIC), as amended
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Canada. Canadian Environmental Protection Act (CEPA). Domestic Substances List (DSL)
All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL

Japan. Kashin-Hou Law List
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Korea. Existing Chemicals Inventory (KECI)
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

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Philippines. Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

China. Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances (IECSC)
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

New Zealand. Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC), as published by ERMA New Zealand
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI)
On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

Text of H-statements referred to under heading 3

disodium tetraborate : H360FD May damage fertility. May damage the unborn
decahydrate child.

Further information

All directives and regulations refer to amended versions.
Vertical lines in the left hand margin indicate a relevant amendment from the previous version.

Abbreviations:

EC European Community
CAS Chemical Abstracts Service
DNEL Derived no effect level
PNEC Predicted no effect level
vPvB Very persistent and very bioaccumulative substance
PBT Persistent, bioaccumulative und toxic substance

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