



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product Identifier

Product Name pH 9.18 Buffer

Product No 910918

Pure substance/mixture Mixture

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

Recommended Use Use as laboratory reagent

Uses advised against No Information available

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status

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

Label Elements

Emergency Overview

Appearance Clear

Physical State Liquid

Odor None

Precautionary Statements

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

No information available

Other Information

No information available

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS-No	Weight %
Water	7732-18-5	>90.0%
Sodium Borate	1303-96-4	0.1 - 1.0%

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

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

General Advice

Use first aid treatment according to the nature of the injury. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Eye Contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids. Get medical attention.

Skin Contact

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. In case of skin reactions, consult a physician.

Inhalation

Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Ingestion

Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

Self-Protection of the First Aider

Use personal protective equipment. See section 8 for more information. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration

with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Most important symptoms and effects No information available

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media

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

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

No information available

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

No information available.

Explosion Data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None

Sensitivity to Static Discharge None

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.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Personal Precautions Use personal protective equipment. For further specification, refer to section 8 of the SDS.
Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

Environmental Precautions Beware of vapors accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapors can accumulate in low areas.

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 Soak up with inert absorbent material. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

Handling To avoid risks to human health and the environment, comply with the instructions for use
Wear personal protective equipment
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas

Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Storage Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place
Store at room temperature in the original container
Keep away from direct sunlight

Incompatible Products No information available

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines

Component	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Sodium Borate 1303-96-4	TWA: 2 mg/m ³ STEL: 6 mg/m ³	(Vacated) TWA: 10 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 mg/m ³

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Measures Showers
Eyewash stations
Ventilation systems

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face Protection Wear chemical splash goggles and face shield. If splashes are likely to occur, wear:
Face-shield.

Skin and Body Protection Wear protective gloves/clothing.

Respiratory Protection None under normal use conditions. In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

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

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State Liquid
Appearance Clear
Odor None
Odor Threshold No information available
pH 9.18
PH Range 7.68 - 10.58

Property	Values	Remarks • Method
Melting point/freezing point	No information available	
Boiling Point/Range	> 100 °C / 212 °F	
Flash Point (High in °C)	N/A	
Evaporation Rate	No information available	
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available	
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability limit:	No information available	
Lower flammability limit:	No information available	
Vapor pressure	No information available	
Vapor Density	No information available	
Specific Gravity	No information available	
Water Solubility	soluble	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available	
Partition coefficient	No information available	
Autoignition Temperature	-	
Decomposition Temperature	No information available	
Kinematic viscosity	No information available	
Dynamic viscosity	No information available	
Explosive Properties	No information available	

Oxidizing Properties No information available

Other Information

Softening Point No information available
Molecular Weight No information available
VOC Content(%) No information available
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

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

Incompatible Materials

No information available

Hazardous Decomposition Products

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

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation	No information available
Eye Contact	No information available
Skin Contact	No information available
Ingestion	No information available

Information on Toxicological Effects

Symptoms No information available

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

Sensitization	No information available
Mutagenic Effects	No information available
Carcinogenicity	No information available.
Reproductive Effects	No information available
STOT - single exposure	No information available
STOT - repeated exposure	No information available

Aspiration hazard No information available

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

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

ATEmix (dermal) 1001000 mg/kg

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

1% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Persistence and Degradability

No information available

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation

No information available

Mobility

No information available.

Other adverse effects

No information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Waste Disposal Methods Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Improper disposal or reuse of this container may be dangerous and illegal.

Component	CAWAST
Sodium Borate 1303-96-4	Toxic

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Not regulated

ICAO Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

IMDG/IMO Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

USINV	Complies
CANINV	Complies
EINECS/ELINCS	Does not Comply
ENCS	Complies

IECSC	Complies
KECL	Complies
PICCS	Complies
AICS	Complies

Legend:

USINV/ TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
CANINV/ DSL/NDL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances
ENCS - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances
IECSC - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances
PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

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. Under the amended regulations at 40 CFR 370, EPCRA 311/312 Tier II reporting for the 2017 calendar year will need to be consistent with updated hazard classifications.

CWA (Clean Water Act)

Not applicable

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

U.S. State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

U.S. EPA Label Information

No information available

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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