## Safety Data Sheet

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## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1. Product identifier

Product form	: Substance
Trade name	: Boric acid AGR
Chemical name	: boric acid
IUPAC name	: boric acid
EC Index-No.	: 005-007-00-2
EC-No.	: 233-139-2
CAS-No.	: 10043-35-3
Product code	: BORA-00A
Formula	: H3BO3

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

#### 1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Main use category

: Laboratory use

#### 1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

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

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#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number

: +34 937 077 970 (For technical information\_Office Hours) In case of medical emergency phone 112 or to your local emergency number.

Country	Organisation/Company	Address	Emergency number	Comment
United Kingdom	National Poisons Information Service (Belfast Centre) Royal Victoria Hospital	Grosvenor Road BT12 6BA	0344 892 0111	

### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

Reproductive toxicity, Category 1B Full text of H and EUH statements: see section 16 Specific concentration limits:

No additional information available

(5,5 ≤C < 100)

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#### 2.2. Label elements

#### Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP)

Signal word (CLP) Hazard statements (CLP) Precautionary statements (CLP)



	GHS08
:	Danger
:	H360FD - May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.
:	P201 - Obtain special instructions before use.
	P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
	P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing
	protection.
	P308+P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
	P405 - Store locked up.
	P501 - Dispose of contents/container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in
	accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulation.

#### 2.3. Other hazards

This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

The substance is not included in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or is not identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605

#### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

Substance type

: Mono-constituent

Name	Product identifier	%
substance listed as REACH Candidate	CAS-No.: 10043-35-3 EC-No.: 233-139-2 EC Index-No.: 005-007-00-2	99

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First aid measures	
4.1. Description of first aid measures	
First-aid measures general First-aid measures after inhalation	<ul> <li>Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.</li> <li>Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Give oxygen or artificial respiration if necessary. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.</li> </ul>
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Gently wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after eye contact	<ul> <li>Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.</li> <li>Dince mouth Do not induce vertical contact and easy medical structure.</li> </ul>
First-aid measures after ingestion 4.2. Most important symptoms and effe	: Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention.
Symptoms/effects after inhalation Symptoms/effects after skin contact	<ul> <li>Cough. May cause respiratory irritation. Shortness of breath.</li> <li>Can occur: irritation. Redness, pain.</li> </ul>

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Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: redness, itching, tears.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: Abdominal pain.

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

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures		
5.1. Extinguishing media		
Suitable extinguishing media	: Making extinguishing agents environment-friendly.	
5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture		
Fire hazard Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire	: Non combustible. : fume.	
5.3. Advice for firefighters		
Precautionary measures fire Firefighting instructions Protection during firefighting	<ul> <li>Evacuate area.</li> <li>Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.</li> <li>Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.</li> </ul>	

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures		
6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures		
6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel		
Emergency procedures	: Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.	
Measures in case of dust release	: Do not breathe dust.	
6.1.2. For emergency responders		
Protective equipment	: Breathing apparatus.	
Emergency procedures	: Stop leak if safe to do so.	
6.2. Environmental precautions		
Prevent entry to sewers and public waters.		

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up		
For containment	: Collect spillage.	
Methods for cleaning up	: Mechanically recover the product. On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way, and as per local legislation.	
Other information	: Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.	
6.4. Reference to other sections		

For further information refer to section 13. See Heading 8.

SECTION 7: Handling and stora	ge
7.1. Precautions for safe handling	
Precautions for safe handling	: Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid contact during pregnancy/while nursing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Obtain special instructions before use.
Hygiene measures	<ul> <li>Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.</li> </ul>

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7.2. Conditions for safe storage, inc	cluding any incompatibilities
Technical measures	: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep in a cool, well-ventilated place away from heat.
Storage conditions	: Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
Incompatible products	: Strong acids. Strong bases.
Storage temperature	: 15 – 25 °C
Storage area	: Store in a well-ventilated place. Store in a dry area. Keep container tight closed. Labelling.
Special rules on packaging	: Store in a closed container. Keep only in original container.

## 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Laboratory chemicals.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

### 8.1.1 National occupational exposure and biological limit values

Boric acid AGR (10043-35-3)		
Germany - Occupational Exposure Limits (TRGS 900)		
Local name	Borsäure und Natriumborate	
AGW (OEL TWA) [1]	0,5 mg/m³ E (mg/m3)	
Remark	AGS,Y,10	
Portugal - Occupational Exposure Limits		
Local name	Boratos, compostos inorgânicos	
OEL TWA	2 mg/m³ I (Fraçao inalável)	
OEL STEL	6 mg/m³ I (Fraçao inalável)	
Spain - Occupational Exposure Limits		
Local name	Ácido bórico	
VLA-ED (OEL TWA) [1]	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
VLA-EC (OEL STEL)	6 mg/m³	
Remark	TR1B (Cuando las pruebas utilizadas para la clasificación procedan principalmente de datos en animales), s (Esta sustancia tiene prohibida total o parcialmente su comercialización y uso como fitosanitario y/o como biocida. Para una información detallada acerca de las prohibiciones consúltese: Base de datos de productos biocidas: http://www.msssi.gob.es/ciudadanos/productos.do?tipo=plaguicidas Base de datos de productos fitosanitarios http://www.magrama.gob.es/agricultura/pags/fitos/registro/fichas/pdf/Lista_sa.pdf).	

#### 8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available

#### 8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

#### No additional information available

#### 8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

Boric acid AGR (10043-35-3)	
DNEL/DMEL (Workers)	
Long-term - systemic effects, dermal	392 mg/kg bodyweight/day
Long-term - systemic effects, inhalation	8,3 mg/m³

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Boric acid AGR (10043-35-3)		
DNEL/DMEL (General population)		
Acute - systemic effects, oral	0,98 mg/kg bodyweight/day	
Long-term - systemic effects,oral	0,98 mg/kg bodyweight/day	
Long-term - systemic effects, inhalation	4,15 mg/m³	
Long-term - systemic effects, dermal	196 mg/kg bodyweight/day	
PNEC (Water)		
PNEC aqua (freshwater)	2,9 mg/l	
PNEC aqua (marine water)	2,9 mg/l	
PNEC aqua (intermittent, freshwater)	13,7 mg/l	
PNEC (Soil)		
PNEC soil	5,7 mg/kg dwt	
PNEC (STP)		
PNEC sewage treatment plant	10 mg/l	

#### 8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### 8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

No additional information available

#### 8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

#### Personal protective equipment:

Avoid all unnecessary exposure. EN 374.

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



#### 8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

Eye protection: Safety glasses

#### 8.2.2.2. Skin protection

Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

Hand protection: Protective gloves against chemicals (EN 374)

#### 8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

#### **Respiratory protection:**

Where exposure through inhalation may occur from use, respiratory protection equipment is recommended

#### 8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

No additional information available

#### 8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

**Environmental exposure controls:** Avoid release to the environment.

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#### Other information:

The present safety data sheet is consistent with the specific conditions relied on to justify the registration of the substance as isolated intermediate. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties		
9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties		
Physical state	: Solid	
Colour	: white.	
Molecular mass	: 61,83 g/mol	
Odour	: odourless.	
Odour threshold	: Not available	
Melting point	: >1000 °C	
Freezing point	: Not available	
Boiling point	: Not available	
Flammability	: Not available	
Explosive limits	: Not applicable	
Lower explosion limit	: Not applicable	
Upper explosion limit	: Not applicable	
Flash point	: Not applicable	
Auto-ignition temperature	: Not applicable	
Decomposition temperature	: Not available	
рН	: 5,1 (1% 20° C)	
pH solution	: Not available	
Viscosity, kinematic	: Not applicable	
Solubility	: Water: 4,7 % 20º	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	: Not available	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	: -0,757	
Vapour pressure	: 0,000099 Pa Temp.: 25 °C	
Vapour pressure at 50 °C	: Not available	
Density	: 1489 kg/m <sup>3</sup> Type: 'density' Temp.: 23 °C	
Relative density	: 1,49 Type: 'relative density' Temp.: 23 °C	
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: Not applicable	
Particle size	: Not available	

#### 9.2. Other information

9.2.1. Information with regard to physical hazard classes

No additional information available

#### 9.2.2. Other safety characteristics

No additional information available

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### 10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

**10.2. Chemical stability** 

Stable under normal conditions of use.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

#### **10.4. Conditions to avoid**

High temperature.

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### **10.5. Incompatible materials**

No additional information available

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No additional information available

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	: Not classified
Boric acid AGR (10043-35-3)	
LD50 oral rat	> 2600 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Animal sex: male, Guideline: OECD Guideline 401 (Acute Oral Toxicity), Guideline: EU Method B.1 (Acute Toxicity (Oral))
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 2000 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rabbit, Guideline: other:FIFRA (40 CFR 163)
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	> 2,12 mg/l air Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 403 (Acute Inhalation Toxicity), Guideline: other:USEPA FIFRA 40 CFR Part 160
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Not classified pH: 5,1 (1% 20° C)
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Not classified pH: 5,1 (1% 20° C)
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.
STOT-single exposure	: Not classified
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified

11.2. Information on other hazards

No additional information available

SECTION 12: Ecological information	
12.1. Toxicity	
(acute)	Not classified
Boric acid AGR (10043-35-3)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	79,7 mg/l Test organisms (species): Pimephales promelas
LC50 - Fish [2]	74 mg/l Test organisms (species): Limanda limanda
EC50 72h - Algae [1]	66 mg/l Test organisms (species): Phaeodactylum tricornutum
EC50 72h - Algae [2]	54 mg/l Test organisms (species): Phaeodactylum tricornutum
NOEC chronic fish	6,4 mg/l Test organisms (species): Danio rerio (previous name: Brachydanio rerio) Duration: '34 d'
12.2. Persistence and degradability	·

No additional information available

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12.3. Bioaccumulative potential	
Boric acid AGR (10043-35-3)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-0,757
12.4. Mobility in soil	

No additional information available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Boric acid AGR (10043-35-3)

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This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

12.7. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations	5
13.1. Waste treatment methods	
Waste treatment methods Product/Packaging disposal recommendations	<ul> <li>Must follow special treatment according to local regulation.</li> <li>Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations. Avoid release to the environment. Discharging into rivers and drains is forbidden.</li> </ul>
European List of Waste (LoW) code	: 16 03 03* - inorganic wastes containing dangerous substances

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID

14.1. UN number or ID number	
UN-No. (ADR) UN-No. (IMDG) UN-No. (IATA) UN-No. (ADN) UN-No. (RID)	<ul> <li>Not applicable</li> <li>Not applicable</li> <li>Not applicable</li> <li>Not applicable</li> <li>Not applicable</li> </ul>
14.2. UN proper shipping name	
Proper Shipping Name (ADR) Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) Proper Shipping Name (IATA) Proper Shipping Name (ADN) Proper Shipping Name (RID)	<ul> <li>Not applicable</li> <li>Not applicable</li> <li>Not applicable</li> <li>Not applicable</li> <li>Not applicable</li> </ul>
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)	
ADR Transport hazard class(es) (ADR)	: Not applicable
IMDG Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG)	: Not applicable

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IATA Transport hazard class(es) (IATA)	: Not applicable
ADN Transport hazard class(es) (ADN)	: Not applicable
RID Transport hazard class(es) (RID)	: Not applicable
14.4. Packing group	
Packing group (ADR) Packing group (IMDG) Packing group (IATA) Packing group (ADN) Packing group (RID)	<ul> <li>Not applicable</li> <li>Not applicable</li> <li>Not applicable</li> <li>Not applicable</li> <li>Not applicable</li> </ul>
14.5. Environmental hazards	
Dangerous for the environment Marine pollutant Other information	: No : No : No supplementary information available
14.6. Special precautions for user	

Overland transport No data available

Transport by sea No data available

Air transport No data available

Inland waterway transport No data available

Rail transport No data available

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

#### 15.1.1. EU-Regulations

**REACH Annex XVII (Restriction List)** 

EU restriction list (REACH Annex XVII)	
Reference code	Applicable on
30.	Boric acid AGR

#### **REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)**

Boric acid AGR is not on the REACH Annex XIV List

#### **REACH Candidate List (SVHC)**

Boric acid is on the REACH Candidate List

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#### **PIC Regulation (Prior Informed Consent)**

Boric acid AGR is not subject to Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 july 2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals.

#### **POP Regulation (Persistent Organic Pollutants)**

Boric acid AGR is not subject to Regulation (EU) No 2019/1021 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants

#### Ozone Regulation (1005/2009)

Boric acid AGR is not subject to REGULATION (EU) No 1005/2009 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 September 2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer.

#### **Explosives Precursors Regulation (2019/1148)**

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) 2019/1148 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors.

#### Drug Precursors Regulation (273/2004)

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EC) 273/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 February 2004 on the manufacture and the placing on market of certain substances used in the illicit manufacture of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances.

#### 15.1.2. National regulations

Germany	
Water hazard class (WGK) Chemicals Prohibition Ordinance (ChemVerbotsV) Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV)	<ul> <li>WGK 1, Slightly hazardous to water (KBwS-Beschluss; ID No. 315).</li> <li>This product is subject to ChemVerbotsV Annex 2 Entry 1. The following requirements must be observed: authorization requirement (according to § 6 paragraph 1 sentence 1), basic requirements for carrying out the delivery (according to § 8 paragraph 1, 3 and 4), identification and documentation (according to § 9 paragraph 1 to 3) and exclusion of the shipping route (according to § 10).</li> <li>Is not subject of the Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV)</li> </ul>
Netherlands	
SZW-lijst van kankerverwekkende stoffen	: The substance is not listed
SZW-lijst van mutagene stoffen	: The substance is not listed
NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting giftige stoffen – Borstvoeding	: The substance is not listed
NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting giftige stoffen – Vruchtbaarheid	: Boric acid AGR is listed
NIET-limitatieve lijst van voor de voortplanting giftige stoffen – Ontwikkeling	: Boric acid AGR is listed
Denmark	
Danish National Regulations	<ul> <li>Young people below the age of 18 years are not allowed to use the product Pregnant/breastfeeding women working with the product must not be in direct contact with the product</li> </ul>

#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

#### No additional information available

### **SECTION 16: Other information**

Full text of H- and EUH-statements:	
H360FD	May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.
Repr. 1B     Reproductive toxicity, Category 1B	

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This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.