

MSDS

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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24 HOUR EMERGENCY NUMBER (CHEM-TEL): USA, Canada, Puerto Rico 800-255-3924;

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1. Product Identification

Product Code: 7042

Product Description: CH1 (Calcium Hardness)

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Manufactured By: LaMotte Company

802 Washington Avenue Chestertown, MD 21620

2. Composition/Information On Ingredients

| Hazard | CAS#/Name | % | PEL | TLV |
|--------|------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Yes | 141-43-5 Monoethanolamine | <10 | 3 ppm | 3 ppm |
| Yes | 10043-35-3 Boric Acid | 3 | N/E | N/E |
| | 7732-18-8 Water | 75-80 | | |

buffers and other ingredients are proprietary

None of the unlisted proprietary ingredients are toxic or highly hazardous.

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3. Hazards Overview

Primary Route Of Entry: Ingestion

May irritate eyes and skin. Harmful if swallowed.

HMIS Hazard

Scale: 4 = Extreme, 3 = High, 2 = Moderate, 1= Slight, 0 = Least

Health: 2 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 1

Carcinogenicity: None:

Other Health Related Comments:

See Sect.11, Toxicity. Both monoethanolamine and boric acid investigated as a mutagens & reproductive effectors. Boric acid as a tumorigen, also. May impair fertility or cause fetal damage. Adult fatal dose reported at 5 - 30 grams.

4. First Aid Measures

Eve Contact: Flush with water for 15 minutes. Consult physician if irritation develops.

Skin Contact: Wash skin with soap and water.

Ingestion: If more than a few mL have been swallowed, induce vomiting immediately and call a doctor.

Inhalation: N/A

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Flash Point (Method Used): N/A LEL: N/A UEL: N/A

Extinguishing Media: Not a fire hazard

Special Fire Fighting Procedures: N/A

Unusual Fire & Explosion Hazard: N/A

6. Accidental Release Measures

Wear eye protection and vinyl or rubber gloves. Small quantity: Mop up and flush to drain with water. Large quantity: Mop up, transfer to plastic container with cap or lid and hold for disposal as hazardous waste.

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7. Handling & Storage

Store tightly closed out of reach of children.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Ventilation

Normal

Protection When Handling

Eye Protection Gloves

Work/Hygenic Practices: Avoid contact with skin or eyes. Wash hands after handling.

9. Physical & Chemical Properties

Appearance: clear colorless liquid **Vapor Density:** >1 (Air=1)

Solubility In Water: soluble **Vapor Pressure:** <15 mm Hg@ 20 deg C

 Odor:
 slight
 Boiling Point:
 >100 deg C

 pH:
 9.5
 Melting Point:
 estim. 1--9 deg C

10. Stability & Reactivity

Stable: Yes

Conditions To Avoid: Temperature extremes

Incompatibility (Materials To Avoid): Strong alkali

Hazardous Decomposition Products: N/A

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11. Toxicological Information

Boric acid--oral rat LD50 2660 mg/kg. Oral woman LDLo: 200 mg/kg. Adult fatal dose reported as 5--30 grams. 30 mL of 7040 contains <1 gram of it. Monoethanolamine--Oral rat LD50: 1720 mg/kg.

Target Organs: Central Nervous System Kidney Liver

Pre-Existing Conditions Aggravated By Exposure: eye,skin problems;impaired kidney, liver

12. Ecological Information

Boric acid constituent, in high concentrations, may be toxic to aquatic life.

13. Disposal Considerations

Small amounts of 7040 (<100 mL) may be disposed to drain with running water if local regulations permit. Larger quantities of as hazardous waste. Follow Federal, State, & local regulations.

14. Transportation Information

Not Regulated For Transport

15. Regulatory Information

Chemical Inventory Status

| | Ingredient | USA | Europe EC | Canada | | | |
|--------|-----------------------------|---------------------|--------------|--------|------|-----------|-------|
| Hazard | | TSCA | | DSL | NDSL | Australia | Japan |
| Yes | 141-43-5 2-Aminoethanol; | Yes ; Ethanolami | Yes | Yes | No | Yes | Yes |
| Yes | 10043-35-3 Boric Acid | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | Yes | Yes |

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Federal, State, & International Regulations

| | SARA 302 | | | SARA 313 | | RCRA | TSCA |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|-----|--------|--------------------------|--------|--------|------|
| Ingredient | RQ | TPQ | Listed | Chemical Category | CERCLA | 261.33 | 8(D) |
| 141-43-5 2-Aminoethanol; Eth | No anolamine | No | No | No | No | No | No |
| 10043-35-3 Boric Acid | No | No | No | No | No | No | No |

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| Ingredient | Acute | Haza | rd Ca | 1/312 ategories Pressure | Reactivity | Austral Hazchem Code | ia Poison Schedule | This MSDS Is WHMIS Compliant |
|----------------------------|-------------------|---------------|-------|--------------------------------|------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 141-43-5 2-Aminoethan | Yes ol; Ethano | No olamine | Yes | No | No | 2R | None Allocate | ed |
| 10043-35-3 Boric Acid | Yes | Yes | No | No | No | None Allocated | S5 | |
| product 7042 as a whole | Yes | Yes | No | No | No | None Allocated | None Allocate | ed Yes |

16. Other Information

NFPA Ratings for 100% boric acid powder: Health: 1 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0 NFPA Ratings for 100% Monoethanolamine: Health: 3 Flammability: 2 Reactivity:0

Prepared By:

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