

## Safety Data Sheet acc. to OSHA HCS

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### 1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Tris-Borate EDTA Stock Solution (5X, pH 8.0)
- **Synonym**
- **Article number:** 600226
- **Application of the substance / the mixture**  
This product is for research use - Not for human or veterinary diagnostic or therapeutic use.
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
Cayman Chemical Co.  
1180 E. Ellsworth Rd.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48108  
USA
- **Information department:** Product safety department
- **Emergency telephone number:**  
During normal opening times: +1 (734) 971-3335  
US/CANADA: 800-424-9300  
Outside US/CANADA: 703-741-5970

### 2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS08 Health hazard

Toxic to Reproduction 1B H360 May damage fertility or the unborn child.

- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements**  
The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



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- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**  
boric acid
- **Hazard statements**  
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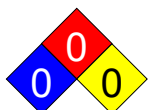
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## Precautionary statements

- 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.
- P308+P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
- P405 Store locked up.
- P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

## Classification system:

### NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)



Health = 0  
Fire = 0  
Reactivity = 0

### HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)



Health = \*0  
Fire = 0  
Reactivity = 0

### Other hazards

### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

- PBT: Not applicable.
- vPvB: Not applicable.

## 3 Composition/information on ingredients

### Chemical characterization: Mixtures

- Description: Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

### Dangerous components:

CAS: 77-86-1 RTECS: TY2900000	Tris base	5.401%
CAS: 10043-35-3 RTECS: ED4550000	boric acid	4.0%

### Other ingredients

CAS: 7732-18-5 RTECS: ZC0110000	Water	90.5609%
CAS: 60-00-4 RTECS: AH4025000	EDTA	0.038%

## 4 First-aid measures

### Description of first aid measures

- After inhalation: Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- After skin contact: Generally the product does not irritate the skin.
- After eye contact: Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- After swallowing: If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- Information for doctor:
- Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed  
No further relevant information available.

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- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**  
No further relevant information available.

## 5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**  
Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.  
A solid water stream may be inefficient.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

## 6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Not required.
- **Environmental precautions:**  
Dilute with plenty of water.  
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).  
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to section 13.
- **Reference to other sections**  
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.  
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.  
See Section 13 for disposal information.
- **Protective Action Criteria for Chemicals**

- **PAC-1:**

77-86-1	Tris base	18 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
10043-35-3	boric acid	6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
60-00-4	EDTA	4.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

- **PAC-2:**

77-86-1	Tris base	190 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
10043-35-3	boric acid	23 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
60-00-4	EDTA	45 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

- **PAC-3:**

77-86-1	Tris base	1,200 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
10043-35-3	boric acid	830 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
60-00-4	EDTA	200 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

## 7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling** Open and handle receptacle with care.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:**  
Keep respiratory protective device available.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:** Store in accordance with information listed on the product insert.

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- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

## 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see section 7.
- **Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**  
The following constituent is the only constituent of the product which has a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit.  
At this time, the remaining constituent has no known exposure limits.

### 10043-35-3 boric acid

TLV	Short-term value: 6* mg/m <sup>3</sup> Long-term value: 2* mg/m <sup>3</sup> *as inhalable fraction, A4
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- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**  
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.  
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.  
Store protective clothing separately.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation. Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Material of gloves**  
The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.
- **Penetration time of glove material**  
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye protection:** Goggles recommended during refilling.

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### 9 Physical and chemical properties

· Information on basic physical and chemical properties	
· General Information	
· Appearance:	
Form:	Liquid
Color:	According to product specification
· Odor:	Odorless
· Odor threshold:	Not determined.
· Formulation	45 mM Tris-borate, pH 8.0, containing 1 mM EDTA
· pH-value at 20 °C (68 °F):	8
· Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	100 °C (212 °F)
· Flash point:	Not applicable.
· Flammability (solid, gaseous):	Not applicable.
· Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.
· Ignition temperature:	Product is not selfigniting.
· Danger of explosion:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
· Explosion limits:	
Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
· Vapor pressure at 20 °C (68 °F):	23 hPa (17.3 mm Hg)
· Density at 20 °C (68 °F):	1.00864 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (8.4171 lbs/gal)
· Bulk density:	971 kg/m <sup>3</sup>
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapor density	Not determined.
· Evaporation rate	Not determined.
· Solubility in / Miscibility with	
Water:	Fully miscible.
· Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.	
· Viscosity:	
Dynamic at 20 °C (68 °F):	0.952 mPas
Kinematic:	Not determined.
· Solvent content:	
Water:	90.6 %
VOC content:	0.00 %
	0.0 g/l / 0.00 lb/gal
Solids content:	9.4 %
· Other information	No further relevant information available.

### 10 Stability and reactivity

- Reactivity No further relevant information available.

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- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**  
No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

## 11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**

- **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

### 77-86-1 Tris base

Oral	TDLO	3,000 ml/kg (mouse)
	LD50	5,500 mg/kg (mouse) 5,900 mg/kg (rat)
	Intraperitoneal LD50	3,350 mg/kg (mouse)
	Intrapritoneal LD50	3,350 mg/kg (mouse)

### 10043-35-3 boric acid

Oral	LD50	2,660 mg/kg (rat)
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- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**  
The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:

- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

## 12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.

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- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**  
Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water  
Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

### 13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:**  
Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

### 14 Transport information

· <b>UN-Number</b>	
· <b>DOT, IMDG, IATA</b>	not regulated
· <b>UN proper shipping name</b>	
· <b>DOT, IMDG, IATA</b>	not regulated
· <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
· <b>DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA</b>	
· <b>Class</b>	not regulated
· <b>Packing group</b>	
· <b>DOT, IMDG, IATA</b>	not regulated
· <b>Environmental hazards:</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Special precautions for user</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code</b>	Not applicable.
· <b>UN "Model Regulation":</b>	not regulated

### 15 Regulatory information

- **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**  
No further relevant information available.
- **Sara**

· **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

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**· Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**· TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

All components have the value ACTIVE.

**· Hazardous Air Pollutants**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**· Proposition 65**
**· Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**· Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**· Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**· Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**· Carcinogenic categories**
**· EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

10043-35-3	boric acid	I (oral)
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**· TLV (Threshold Limit Value)**

10043-35-3	boric acid	A4
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**· NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**· Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

## 16 Other information

All chemicals may pose unknown hazards and should be used with caution. This SDS applies only to the material as packaged. If this product is combined with other materials, deteriorates, or becomes contaminated, it may pose hazards not mentioned in this SDS. Cayman Chemical Company assumes no responsibility for incidental or consequential damages, including lost profits, arising from the use of these data. It shall be the user's responsibility to develop proper methods of handling and personal protection based on the actual conditions of use. While this SDS is based on technical data judged to be reliable, Cayman Chemical Company assumes no responsibility for the completeness or accuracy of the information contained herein.

**· Department issuing SDS:** Environment protection department.

**· Contact:** -

**· Date of preparation / last revision** 09/28/2023

**· Abbreviations and acronyms:**

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

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vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative  
NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety  
OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health  
TLV: Threshold Limit Value  
PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit  
REL: Recommended Exposure Limit  
Toxic to Reproduction 1B: Reproductive toxicity – Category 1B

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