1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
  - **Trade name:** 10% Boron

- **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
  For agricultural use only. Not for human or animal consumption.

- **Product description**
  A commercial agricultural product used to improve soil and/or plant health and for improved growth.
  NPK Values: 0 - 0 - 0 ; 10% Boron

- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
  - **Manufacturer/Supplier:** Actagro, LLC
    677 W. Palmdon Dr. #108
    Fresno, CA 93704
    Phone: (559) 369-2222
    Fax: (559) 843-2845

- **Emergency telephone number:** INFOTRAC: (800) 535-5053

2 Hazard(s) identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to 29 CFR 1910.1200

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2.2 Label elements

- **Signal word:** WARNING
- **Hazard Statement:**
  - H320 – Causes eye irritation.
  - H313 – May be harmful in contact with skin.
  - H302 – Harmful if swallowed

- **Precautionary Statement**:
  - P261 – Avoid breathing dust / fume / gas / mist / vapors / spray
  - P273 - Avoid release to the environment
  - P280 - Wear protective gloves and eye / face protection
  - P337 + P313 – If eye irritation persists: get medical attention
  - P305 + P351 + P338 – IF IN EYES: Rinse with water for 15 to 20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, and continue rinsing eyes.
  - P302 + P352 – IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water for 15 to 20 minutes
  - P101 + P102 + P103 – If medical advice is needed, have product container or label available. Keep out of reach of children. Read label before use

2.3 Other hazards

None known

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN** –
Appearance and odor: Black liquid with slight ammonia odor.
**WARNING** – CATEGORY 2B CAUSES EYE IRRITATION, CATEGORY 5 MAY BE HARMFUL IN CONTACT WITH SKIN, CATEGORY 5 HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED

**Potential Health effects**

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Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC): None known

### Composition/information on ingredients

| CAS: 7732-18-5 | water, distilled, conductivity or of similar purity | 15-35% |
| CAS: 0110000 |  |

### Chemical characterization: Mixtures

**Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

### Dangerous Components:

| CAS: 26038-87-9 | Boric Acid salt | 60-90% |
|  | ✅ Repr. 1B, H360; ✥ Acute Tox. 4, H302; Skin Irrit. 2, H315; Eye Irrit. 2A, H319 |  |
| CAS: 12045-78-2 | Potassium Borate | 15-35% |
|  | ✥ Acute Tox. 4, H332 |  |

| CAS: 1415-93-6 | Leonardite | ≤ 2.5% |
|  | ✥ STOT SE 3, H335; Eye Irrit. 2B, H320; Combustible Dust |  |
| CAS: 1330-43-4 | Boric Acid, disodium salt | ≤ 2.5% |
| RTECS: VZ 2240000 | ✥ Repr. 1B, H360 |  |

Potential environmental effects: This product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

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4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:**
  Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.
- **After inhalation:**
  Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.
  In case of unconsciousness, place patient securely on side position for transportation.
- **After skin contact:**
  Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
  If skin irritation occurs, consult a doctor.
- **After eye contact:**
  Rinse opened eye for at least 15 minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:**
  Consume large amounts of water. If symptoms persist, consult a physician.
- **Information for doctor:**
  **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:** No further relevant information available.
  **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
  No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
  - **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
  CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
  If incinerated, product will release the following toxic fumes: Oxides of Boron, Carbon, Nitrogen (NOx), Potassium, Silicon and Sodium, and Boranes.
- **Advice for firefighters**
  - **Protective equipment:**
  As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand (NIOSH approved or equivalent), and full protective gear to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
  Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
  Ensure adequate ventilation
  Material can create slippery conditions.
- **Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
  Absorb with liquid-binding material (ie. sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
  Dispose contaminated material as waste according to section 13.
  Ensure adequate ventilation.
  Dispose of the collected material according to regulations.
- **Reference to other sections**
  See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
  See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

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See Section 13 for disposal information.

**7 Handling and storage**

7.1 PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING:
Advice on Safe Handling:
Avoid inhalation of dusts, vapors / spray and contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not breathe
dusts, mist or vapor. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not use in areas without adequate
ventilation. Avoid prolonged exposure. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not empty into drains.
Handle and open container with care. Use care in handling/storage. Wash before eating, drinking
and/or smoking.

7.2 CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE:
Requirements for Storage Areas and Containers:
Store above 40°F (4.4°C). Store in original containers only. Keep containers tightly closed
when not in use. Store in a cool, dry well-ventilated area, preferably in a locked storage
area away from children, feed and food products and seed. Do not contaminate water, food
or feed by storage or disposal.

**8 Exposure controls/personal protection**

- Additional information about design of technical systems: No further data; see section 7.

- Control parameters
All ventilation should be designed in accordance with OSHA standard (29 CFR 1910.94). Use local exhaust at
filling zones and where leakage and dust formation is probable. Use mechanical (general) ventilation for
storage areas. Use appropriate ventilation as required to keep Exposure Limits in Air below TLV & PEL limits.

- Components with occupational exposure limits:

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8.2 EXPOSURE CONTROLS:

Engineering Measures
Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Observe Occupational Exposure Limits and minimize the risk of inhalation of vapors and spray
mists. Provide eyewash station and safety shower.

Individual Protection Measures:
- Eye / Face Protection: Goggles or shielded safety glasses are recommended.
- Skin Protection: Chemical resistant clothing is recommended. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove
  contaminants. The use of chemical-resistant gloves is recommended when handling undiluted product. Be aware
  that the liquid may penetrate the gloves. Frequent change is advisable.
- Respiratory Protection: In case of inadequate ventilation or risk of inhalation of dusts or vapors, use suitable respiratory equipment such as
  MSHA/NIOSH TC-21C or NIOSH approved respirator with N, R, P or HE filter. Wear respiratory protection during
  operations where spraying or misting occurs. If respirators are used, a program should be in place to assure
  compliance with 29 CFR 1910.134, the OSHA Respiratory Protection standard. Wear air supplied respiratory
  protection if exposure concentrations are unknown.

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9 Physical and chemical properties

- Information on basic physical and chemical properties
  - General Information
    - Appearance:
      - Form: Liquid
      - Color: Black
    - Odor: Slight-ammonia
    - Odor threshold: Not determined.
  - pH-value @ 20 °C (68 °F): 8.2

- Change in condition
  - Melting point/Melting range: Not determined.
  - Boiling point/Boiling range: 100 °C (212 °F)

- Flash point: Not applicable.

- Flammability (solid, gaseous): Not applicable.

- Ignition temperature:
  - Decomposition temperature: Not determined.
  - Auto igniting: Product is not self-igniting.
  - Danger of explosion: Product does not present an explosion hazard.

- Explosion limits:
  - Lower: 0.0 Vol %
  - Upper: 0.0 Vol %

- Vapor pressure @ 20 °C (68 °F): 23 hPa (17 mm Hg)

- Density @ 20 °C (68 °F): 1.367 g/cm³ (11.408 lbs/gal)

- Relative density: Not determined.
- Vapor density: Not determined.
- Evaporation rate: Not determined.

- Solubility in / Miscibility with
  - Water: Soluble.

- Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.

- Viscosity:
  - Dynamic: Not determined.
  - Kinematic: Not determined.

- Solvent content:
  - Organic solvents: 0.0 %
  - Water: 17.7 %

- Other information No further relevant information available.

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### 10 Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1 REACTIVITY
Stable

#### 10.2 CHEMICAL STABILITY
Stable under normal temperature conditions

#### 10.3 POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS
No reactions known under normal use conditions. Will not polymerize.

#### 10.4 CONDITIONS TO AVOID
None known.

#### 10.5 INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS
None known.

#### 10.6 HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS
None known.

### 11 Toxicological information

#### 11.1 LIKELY ROUTES OF EXPOSURE
Eye contact, skin contact.

**LC$_{50}$ (rat):** No data available
**LD$_{50}$ Oral (rat):** No data available
**LD$_{50}$ Dermal (rat):** No data available

**Acute Toxicity Estimates:**
- Skin Irritation (rabbit): No data available
- Eye Irritation (rabbit): No data available
- Specific Target Organ Toxicity: Single exposure: No data available
- Aspiration: No data available
- Skin Sensitization (guinea pig): Not a sensitizer
- Carcinogenicity: No data available
- Germ Cell Mutagenicity: No data available
- Interactive Effects: None known

### 12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity** The hazards for the aquatic environment are unknown.
- **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.
- **Additional ecological information:**
  - **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. Observe all federal, state and local environmental regulations when disposing of this material.

- **Uncleaned packagings:**
  - **Recommendation:** Dispose of as unused product. Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

**14 Transport information**

14.1 LAND TRANSPORT

- **DOT Shipping Description:** NOT REGULATED.
- **U.S. Surface Freight Classification:** FERTILIZING COMPOUNDS (MANUFACTURED FERTILIZERS), NOI, LIQUID (NMFC 68140, SUB 6; CLASS 70)

**15 Regulatory information**

The information and recommendations in this safety data sheet are, to the best of our knowledge, accurate as of the date of issue. Nothing herein shall be deemed to create warranty, expressed or implied and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship. It is the responsibility of the user to determine applicability of this information and the suitability of the material or product for any particular purpose.

- **Date of preparation / last revision** 05/05/2015 / -
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**
  - ADR: The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
  - ADN: The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
  - IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
  - DOT: US Department of Transportation
  - IATA: International Air Transport Association
  - ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
  - 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)
  - LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
  - LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
  - Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity, Hazard Category 4
  - Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation, Hazard Category 2
  - Eye Irrit. 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 2A
  - Eye Irrit. 2B: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 2B
  - Repr. 1B: Reproductive toxicity, Hazard Category 1B
  - STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure, Hazard Category 3