

Section 1. Identification**1.1 Product Identifier** CHE3560Product Name SODIUM TETRABORATE 10H₂O pure 1Kg.

CAS Number 1303-96-4

REACH Registration No 01-2119490790-32-XXXX

Molecular Formula $\text{Na}_2\text{B}_4\text{O}_7 \cdot 10\text{H}_2\text{O} = 381.37$ **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture & uses advised against**

Uses of Material Chemical for industrial and laboratory use. Not suitable for domestic use.

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(Have this document to hand)**Section 2. Hazards Identification****2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification according to regulation 1272/2008/EC**

Serious eye damage/irritation, category 2

Reproductive toxicity, category 1B

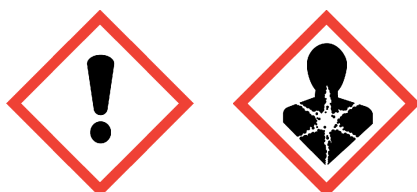
H319: Causes serious eye irritation.

H360: May damage fertility or the unborn child.

2.2 Label elements**Labelling according to regulation 1272/2008/EC**

Signal word Danger

Hazard Pictograms



Hazard Statements May damage fertility or the unborn child. Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary Statements Obtain special instructions before use. Use personal protective equipment as required. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do and continue rinsing.

Section 3. Composition

3.1 Substances

| Component | CAS No. | EEC No. | REACH No. | Conc w/w | CLP Classification (1272/2008/CE) |
|---------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------------|----------|-----------------------------------|
| Sodium tetraborate, decahydrate | 1303-96-4 | 215-540-4 | 01-2119490790-32-XXXX | >99% | Eye Irrit. 2, Repr. 1B |

Section 4. First Aid

4.1 Description of first aid measures

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| Eyes | Irrigate thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes, holding the eye open. If discomfort persists OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION. |
| Skin | Wash off skin thoroughly with water. |
| Inhalation | Remove from exposure. |
| Ingestion | Wash out the patients mouth thoroughly with water. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION. |
| Personal protection for first aiders | Wear protective gloves / eye protection. |

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute & delayed.

No further relevant information available.

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

No further relevant information available.

Section 5. Fire Fighting

5.1 Extinguishing media

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| Extinguishing Media | Consider what other flammable materials are present and act accordingly. |
| Unsuitable Media | Nothing specified. |

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

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| Hazards | Presents no specific fire danger. |
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5.3 Advice for firefighters

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| Advice for firefighters | Consider all other materials in the vicinity. |
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Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

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| Personal Protection | Presents no major hazards. |
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6.2 Environmental precautions

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| Environmental | Presents no major environmental hazard. |
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6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

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| Major Spillage | Shovel/sweep up into container for removal Wash area down with copious amounts of water. |
| Minor Spillage | Wash area down with copious amounts of water. |

6.4 Reference to other sections

See section 8.2 for information on protective equipment and section 13 for information on disposal.

Section 7. Storage & Handling

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breath dust. Do not allow to contaminate clothing.

Ensure Local Exhaust Ventilation maintains dust concentrations below the recommended limits.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Well ventilated, cool, dry storage .

7.3 Specific end use(s)

See section 1.2.

Section 8. Workplace Exposure & Personal Protection

8.1 Control parameters

| Component | CAS No | Concentration | Workplace Exposure Limits | | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------|---------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|---------|---|
| | | | Long Term (8hr TWA) | Short Term 15min period | | |
| Sodium tetraborate, decahydrate | 1303-96-4 | >99% | - | - | 5.0 ppm | - |

Exposure data source(s) IOELV: Indicative Occupational Exposure Limit Value.

8.2 Exposure controls

Respiratory Protection If process creates significant amounts of dust use L.E.V. or wear suitable dust mask.

Hand Protection Wear gloves.

Eye Protection Use tightly fitting chemical splash proof glasses or goggles.

Skin Protection Avoid contact with skin. If skin contact or contamination of clothing is likely, protective clothing must be worn.

Special Hazards No special precautions required.

Section 9. Physical & Chemical Properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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| Appearance | White powder. |
| Odour | No specific odour. |
| pH | 9 @ 20°C solution. |
| Boiling Point | Not available |
| Melting Point | Not applicable |
| Flash Point | Not applicable |
| Upper Flammable Limit | Not applicable |
| Lower Flammable Limit | Not applicable |
| Auto Ignition | Not applicable |
| Explosive Properties | No. |
| Oxidising Properties | No. |
| Vapour Pressure | Not applicable |
| Relative Density | 1.7300 |
| Water Solubility | 4.7% |

9.2 Other information

No data available.

Section 10. Stability & Reactivity

10.1 Reactivity No data available.

10.2 Chemical Stability Stable under normal conditions

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions No data available.

10.4 Conditions to Avoid No specific conditions.

- 10.5** Incompatible Materials Strong oxidising agents.
- 10.6** Hazardous Decomposition Products May produce hazardous fumes if involved in a fire.

Section 11. Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

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| Eyes | Contact with the solid or dust will be irritating to the eyes. |
| Skin | The solid and solutions may be irritating to the skin. Repeated exposure may cause dermatitis. |
| LD50 Skin | 10,000mg/kg Rabbit |
| Ingestion | No information is available. |
| LD50 Oral | 4,500 - 5,000mg/kg Rat |
| Inhalation | Inhalation of dust may produce irritation of the eyes, nose, throat and respiratory tract. |
| LD50 Inhalation | Not available |
| TCLo | Not available |
| Carcinogenicity | Not considered to be a carcinogen. |
| Mutagenicity | Not considered to be a mutagen. |
| Reproductive Effects | May damage fertility or the unborn child. |

Section 12. Ecological

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| 12.1 Toxicity | No data available. |
| LC50 Algal | 158mg/l Green algae (96 hours) |
| LC50 Crustacea | 1,085 - 1,402mg/l Daphnia magna (48 hours) |
| LC50 Fish | 178mg/l Goldfish (72 hours) |
| 12.2 Persistence and degradability | No data available. |
| 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential | No data available. |
| 12.4 Mobility in soil | No data available. |
| 12.5 Results of PBT & vPvB assessment | Assessment not required. |
| 12.6 Other adverse effects | None known at present. |

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

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| Disposal Methods | Do not dispose of as domestic waste. |
| Contaminated Packaging | Wash out containers with water. |

Section 14. Transport Information

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| 14.1 UN Number | Non-restricted |
| 14.2 Proper Shipping Name | Non-restricted |
| 14.3 Transport classes | |
| UN classification | None |
| Subsidiary hazard(s) | None |
| Transport category | None |
| ADR Hazard ID | Non-restricted |
| Tunnel Restriction Code | Non-restricted |
| 14.4 Packing Group | None |
| 14.5 Environment hazards | See section 12. |
| 14.6 Special precautions for user | No special precautions required. |
| 14.7 Transport in bulk | Not transported in bulk. |

Section 15. Regulatory Information

15.1 Safety, health and environment regulations specific for substance/mixture.

Classification, Labeling & Packaging of Substances & Mixtures Regulations (1272/2008/CE)

Classification Serious eye damage/irritation, category 2; Reproductive toxicity, category 1B

Signal word Danger

Hazard Pictograms



Hazard Statements H360, H319
May damage fertility or the unborn child. Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary Statements P201, P281, P308+P313, P202, P305+P351+P338
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15.2 Chemical safety assessment

Assessment not required.

Section 16. Other Information

The information contained in this document only covers the hazards presented by this material, it DOES NOT constitute a workplace risk assessment. See sections 11 for toxicological information and section 12 for ecological information.

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