

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## Section 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

|                     |                             |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>Product Name</b> | Ammonium Borate Octahydrate |
| <b>Product Code</b> | 018-02925                   |

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**Recommended uses** For research use only

**Restrictions on use** Seek expert judgment when using for purposes other than those recommended.

## Section 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**GHS classification****Classification of the substance or mixture**

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Category 2A

**Pictograms****Signal word**

Warning

**Hazard statements**

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

**Precautionary statements-(Prevention)**

- Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
- Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

**Precautionary statements-(Response)**

- IF IN EYES: 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

**Precautionary statements-(Storage)**

- Not applicable

**Precautionary statements-(Disposal)**

- Not applicable

**Others****Other hazards**

Not available

## Section 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**Single Substance or Mixture** Substance

**Formula** (NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>O·5B<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>·8H<sub>2</sub>O

| Chemical Name                   | Weight-%   | Molecular weight | ENCS | ISHL No. | CAS RN     |
|---------------------------------|--|------------------|------|----------|------------|
| Ammonium Decaborate Octahydrate | 62.0-65.0 (as B <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> )<br>6.0-6.5 (as NH <sub>3</sub> ) | 544.30           | N/A  | N/A      | 12046-03-6 |

**Note on ISHL No.:** \* in the table means announced chemical substances.

**Impurities and/or Additives:** Not applicable

## Section 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

### Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

### Skin contact

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

### Eye contact

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediate medical attention is required.

### Ingestion

Rinse mouth. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.

### Protection of first-aiders

Use personal protective equipment as required.

## Section 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

### Suitable extinguishing media

Water spray (fog), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Foam, Extinguishing powder, Sand

### Unsuitable extinguishing media

No information available

### Specific hazards arising from the chemical product

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors.

### Special extinguishing method

No information available

### Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Use personal protective equipment as required. Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear.

## Section 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For indoor, provide adequate ventilation process until the end of working. Deny unnecessary entry other than the people involved by, for example, using a rope. While working, wear appropriate protective equipments to avoid adhering it on skin, or inhaling the gas. Work from windward, and retract the people downwind.

### Environmental precautions

To be careful not discharged to the environment without being properly handled waste water contaminated.

### Methods and materials for contaminant and methods and materials for cleaning up

Sweep up and gather scattered particles, and collect it in an empty airtight container.

### Recovery, neutralization

No information available

### Secondary disaster prevention measures

Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

## Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Handling****Technical measures**

Avoid contact with strong oxidizing agents. Use with local exhaust ventilation.

**Precautions**

Do not rough handling containers, such as upsetting, falling, giving a shock, and dragging. Prevent leakage, overflow, and scattering. Not to generate steam and dust in vain. Seal the container after use. After handling, wash hands and face, and then gargle. In places other than those specified, should not be smoking or eating and drinking. Should not be brought contaminated protective equipment and gloves to rest stops. Deny unnecessary entry of non-emergency personnel to the handling area.

**Safety handling precautions**

Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required.

**Storage****Safe storage conditions****Storage conditions**

Store away from sunlight in well-ventilated place at room temperature (preferably cool).  
Keep container tightly closed.

**Safe packaging material**

Polypropylene

**Incompatible substances**

Strong oxidizing agents

## Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Engineering controls**

In case of indoor workplace, seal the source or use a local exhaust system. Provide the safety shower facility, and hand- and eye-wash facility. And display their position clearly.

**Exposure limits**

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

**Personal protective equipment****Respiratory protection**

Dust mask ( JIS T 8151 )

**Hand protection**

chemical protective gloves ( JIS T 8116 )

**Eye protection**

protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles

**Skin and body protection**

Long-sleeved work clothes

**General hygiene considerations**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Form****Color**

white

**Appearance**

crystals - crystalline powder

**Odor**

no data available

**Melting point/freezing point**

no data available

**Boiling point, initial boiling point and boiling range**

no data available

**Flammability**

no data available

**Evaporation rate:**

no data available

**Flammability (solid, gas):**

no data available

**Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits****Upper:**

no data available

**Lower:**

no data available

**Flash point**

no data available

**Auto-ignition temperature:**

no data available

**Decomposition temperature:**

no data available

**pH**

8.1 - 8.5 (10g/L, 25 °C)

**Viscosity (coefficient of viscosity)**

no data available

**Dynamic viscosity**

no data available

**Solubilities**

water : soluble .

**n-Octanol/water partition coefficient:(log Pow)**

no data available

**Vapour pressure**

no data available

**Specific Gravity / Relative density**

no data available

**Vapour density**

no data available

Particle characteristics no data available

## Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Stability

**Reactivity** no data available

**Chemical stability** Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Hazardous reactions

None under normal processing

### Conditions to avoid

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight

### Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

### Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>), Boron oxide

## Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity no data available

Skin irritation/corrosion no data available

Serious eye damage/ irritation no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization no data available

Reproductive cell mutagenicity no data available

Carcinogenicity no data available

Reproductive toxicity no data available

STOT-single exposure no data available

STOT-repeated exposure no data available

Aspiration hazard no data available

## Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity No information available

Other data no data available

Persistence and degradability No information available

Bioaccumulative potential No information available

Mobility in soil No information available

Hazard to the ozone layer No information available

## Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Waste from residues

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

### Contaminated container and contaminated packaging

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

## Section 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ADR/RID Not regulated

UN number -

**Proper shipping name:**  
**UN classification**  
**Subsidiary hazard class**  
**Packing group**  
**Marine pollutant** Not applicable

**IMDG** Not regulated  
**UN number** -  
**Proper shipping name:**  
**UN classification**  
**Subsidiary hazard class**  
**Packing group**  
**Marine pollutant (Sea)** Not applicable  
**Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code** No information available

**IATA** Not regulated  
**UN number** -  
**Proper shipping name:**  
**UN classification**  
**Subsidiary hazard class**  
**Packing group**  
**Environmentally Hazardous Substance** Not applicable

## Section 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

### Japanese regulations

**Fire Service Act** Not applicable  
**Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law** Not applicable  
**Industrial Safety and Health Act** Not applicable  
**Regulations for the carriage and storage of dangerous goods in ship** Not applicable  
**Civil Aeronautics Law** Not applicable  
**Pollutant Release and Transfer Register Law (2023.4.1-)** Class 1  
**Class 1 - No.** 405  
**Water Pollution Control Act** Harmful Substances (Law Art.2, Enforcement Order Art.2, Ordinance Designating Wastewater Standards Art.1)  
**Air Pollution Control Law** Hazardous Air Pollutants  
**Soil Contamination Control Law** Designated Hazardous Substances

| Chemical Name   | Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law | Industrial Safety and Health Act Substances (Law Art.57-2) | Pollutant Release and Transfer Register Law (2023.4.1-) |
|---|--|--|---|
| Ammonium Decaborate Octahydrate<br>12046-03-6 ( 62.0-65.0 (as B2O3)<br>6.0-6.5 (as NH3) ) | -  | -  | Applicable  |

## Section 16: OTHER INFORMATION

### Key literature references and sources for data etc.

NITE: National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (JAPAN)  
<http://www.safe.nite.go.jp/japan/db.html>  
 IATA dangerous Goods Regulations  
 RTECS:Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances  
 Japan Industrial Safety and Health Association GHS Model SDS  
 Dictionary of Synthetic Organic Chemistry , SSOCJ, Koudansha Scientific Co.Ltd.

Chemical Dictionary, Kyouritsu Publishing Co., Ltd.  
etc

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GHS Classification is according to JIS Z 7252:2019. \*JIS: Japanese Industrial Standards

**End of Safety Data Sheet**