Pro-Shield Nsulation™
Safety Data Sheet

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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Name Pro-Shield Nsulation

Other means of identification

SDS # NIS-073

Registration Number(s) EPA Reg. No. 64405-38

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use Insulation.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer Address
Nisus Corporation
100 Nisus Drive
Rockford, TN 37853

Emergency telephone number

Company Phone Number Phone: (800)-264-0870
Fax: (865) 577-5825

Emergency Telephone INFOTRAC 1-352-323-3500 (International)
1-800-535-5053 (North America)

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Appearance Gray fiber **Physical state** Solid **Odor** Odorless

Classification

Reproductive toxicity	Category 2

Signal word
Warning

Hazard statements
Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child

Precautionary Statements - Prevention
Obtain special instructions before use
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
Wear protective gloves/clothing and eye/face protection

Precautionary Statements - Response
IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

Precautionary Statements - Storage
Store locked up

Precautionary Statements - Disposal
Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Boric Acid	10043-35-3	10-30

If Chemical Name/CAS No is "proprietary" and/or Weight-% is listed as a range, the specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

Eye Contact Use eye wash fountain or fresh water to cleanse eye. If irritation persists for more than 30 minutes, seek medical attention.

Skin Contact No treatment necessary because non-irritating.

Inhalation No specific treatment is necessary since the product is not likely to be hazardous by inhalation. Prolonged exposure to dust levels in excess of regulatory limits should always be avoided.

Ingestion Swallowing small quantities (less than one teaspoon) will cause no harm to healthy adults. If larger amounts are swallowed, give two glasses of water to drink and seek medical attention.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Observation only is required for adult ingestion of a few grams of the product. For ingestion in excess of larger amounts, maintain adequate kidney function and force fluids. Gastric lavage is recommended for symptomatic patients only. Hemodialysis should be reserved for massive acute ingestion or patients with renal failure. Boron analyses of urine or blood are only useful for documenting exposure and should not be used to evaluate severity of poisoning or to guide treatment.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media
Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media Not determined.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical
None known.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters
As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions Use personal protective equipment as required.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions The product contains water-soluble salts that may cause damage to trees or vegetation by root absorption. Avoid contamination of water bodies. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for Containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for Clean-Up Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on Safe Handling Good housekeeping procedures should be followed to minimize dust generation and accumulation. Avoid spills. Do not eat, drink and smoke in work areas. Wash hands after use. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

Incompatible Materials Reaction with strong reducing agents such as metal hydrides or alkali metals will generate hydrogen gas which could create an explosive hazard. Avoid contact with strong reducing agents by storing according to good industrial practice.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH
Boric Acid 10043-35-3	STEL: 6 mg/m^3 inhalable particulate matter TWA: 2 mg/m^3 inhalable particulate matter	-	-

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls Showers. Eyewash stations. Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/Face Protection Refer to 29 CFR 1910.133 for eye and face protection regulations.

Skin and Body Protection Standard work gloves (cotton, canvas or leather) may be warranted if environment is excessively dusty. Refer to 29 CFR 1910.138 for appropriate skin and body protection.

Respiratory Protection Refer to 29 CFR 1910.134 for respiratory protection requirements.

General Hygiene Considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Solid		
Appearance	Gray fiber	**Odor**	Odorless
Color	Gray	**Odor Threshold**	Not determined

Property	**Values**	**Remarks • Method**
pH	7.2 (2% solution)	
Melting point / freezing point	No data available	
Initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available	
Flash point	No data available	
Evaporation rate	Not determined	
Flammability (Solid, Gas)	Not determined	
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability or explosive limits	No data available	
Lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available	
Vapor Pressure	Negligible	
Relative vapor density	No data available	
Relative Density	0.7 compressed	
Water Solubility	Fiber is not soluble	
Solubility in other solvents	Not determined	
Partition Coefficient	Not determined	
Autoignition temperature	No data available	
Decomposition temperature	Not determined	
Kinematic viscosity	Not determined	
Dynamic viscosity	Not determined	
Explosive Properties	Not determined	
Oxidizing Properties	Not determined	

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity
Not reactive under normal conditions.

Chemical stability
Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions
None under normal processing.

Conditions to Avoid
Keep out of reach of children.

Incompatible materials
Reaction with strong reducing agents such as metal hydrides or alkali metals will generate hydrogen gas which could create an explosive hazard. Avoid contact with strong reducing agents by storing according to good industrial practice.

Hazardous decomposition products
None known based on information supplied.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

Eye Contact Avoid contact with eyes.

Skin Contact Avoid contact with skin.

Inhalation Do not inhale.

Ingestion Do not ingest.

Component Information

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Boric Acid 10043-35-3	= 2660 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	> 2.12 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
Proprietary	> 10000 mg/kg (Rat)	-	> 2.4 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Symptoms Please see section 4 of this SDS for symptoms.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Carcinogenicity Borax is considered to be a human carcinogen when in respirable form (dust / powder).

Chemical name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Boric Acid 10043-35-3		Group 2A		X

Legend
IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)
Group 2A - Probably Carcinogenic to Humans
Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor
X - Present

Numerical measures of toxicity

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

ATEmix (oral) 15,732.40 mg/kg
ATEmix (dermal) 13,605.40 mg/kg
ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist) 14.40 mg/l

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity
The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Component Information

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Boric Acid 10043-35-3			EC50: 115 - 153mg/L (48h, Daphnia magna)
Proprietary		LC50: 13500 - 14500mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas) LC50: >6800mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas) LC50: 3040 - 4380mg/L (96h, Lepomis macrochirus) LC50: =13500mg/L (96h, Lepomis macrochirus)	EC50: =2564mg/L (48h, Daphnia magna)

Persistence/Degradability
Not determined.

Bioaccumulation
There is no data for this product.

Mobility

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
Boric Acid 10043-35-3	-1.09

Other adverse effects
Not determined

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods

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

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

California Hazardous Waste Status

Chemical name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Boric Acid 10043-35-3	Toxic

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Note Please see current shipping paper for most up to date shipping information, including exemptions and special circumstances.

DOT Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

IMDG Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

Chemical name	TSCA	TSCA Inventory Status	DSL/NDSL	EINECS/ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AIIC
Boric Acid	X	ACTIVE	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Proprietary	X	ACTIVE	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

Legend:

TSCA *- United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory*

DSL/NDSL *- Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List*

EINECS/ELINCS *- European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances*

ENCS *- Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances*

IECSC *- China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances*

KECL *- Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory*

PICCS *- Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances*

AICS *- Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances*

US Federal Regulations

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Boric Acid 10043-35-3	X		
Proprietary		X	X

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA	**Health hazards**	**Flammability**	**Instability**	**Special hazards**
	-	-	-	-
HMIS	**Health hazards**	**Flammability**	**Physical hazards**	**Personal Protection**
	-	-	-	Not determined

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