

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Boron carbide
Product Number : B108407
Brand : aladdin
CAS-No. : 12069-32-8

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances.

1.3 Company

Company : ALADDIN SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION
Address : 14078 Meridian Parkway,
Riverside, CA. 92518
Telephone : +1 (833) 552-7181
Fax : no data available

1.4 Emergency telephone number

CHEMTREC®, Inside the USA : 1-800-424-9300
CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA :

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word

Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H332 Harmful if inhaled

Precautionary statement(s)

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/... if you feel unwell.

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

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2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

Synonyms	: Carbon tetraboride
Formula	: B ₄ C
Molecular weight	: 55.26
CAS No.	: 12069-32-8
EC-NO.	: 235-111-5

Component	Classification	Concentration
Boron carbide		
	no data available	≥98%, ≥200 mesh

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labels (see Chapter 2.2) and/or Chapter 11

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

no data available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

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5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

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Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions.- Carbon oxides, Borane/boron oxides

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5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

5.4 Further information

no data available

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment.Avoid dust formation.Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas.Ensure adequate ventilation.Avoid breathing dust

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust.Sweep up and shovel.Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes.Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.Keep in a dry place

7.3 Specific end use(s)

no data available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.Wash hands before breaks and at the end of

workday.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching gloves outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Control of environmental exposure

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SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance	form: powder color: grey
b) Odour	no data available
c) Odour Threshold	no data available
d) pH	no data available
e) Melting point/freezing point	2350°C
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	3500°C
g) Flash point	no data available
h) Evaporation rate	no data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	no data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	no data available
k) Vapour pressure	no data available
l) Vapour density	no data available
m) Relative density	2.51 g/cm ³ at 25 °C (77 °F)
n) Water solubility	no data available
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	no data available
p) Auto-ignition temperature	no data available
q) Decomposition temperature	no data available
r) Viscosity	no data available
s) Explosive properties N	no data available
t) Oxidizing properties N	no data available

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9.2 Other safety information

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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

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10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

no data available

10.4 Conditions to avoid

no data available

10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions.- Carbon oxides, Borane/boron oxides

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

no data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

May be harmful if inhaled.May cause respiratory tract irritation.

Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

Carcinogenicity

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

Reproductive toxicity

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

no data available

no data available

May be harmful if inhaled.May cause respiratory tract irritation.

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12.1 Toxicity

no data available

no data available

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13.1 Disposal considerations

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

Dispose of as unused product

DOT (US)

Class: no data available

Poison Inhalation Hazard: no data available

Environmental Hazards: no data available

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SECTION 15: Regulatory information

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

SECTION 16: Other information

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