

# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1 Identification

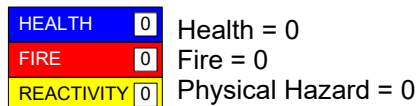
- **Product Identifier**
- **Trade Name: OPA Diluent for Post-column Carbamate Pesticides Analysis**
- **Other means of identification**
- **Product Number:** CB910
- **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against:**  
No further relevant information available.
- **Product Description:** o-Phthalaldehyde Diluent
- **Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet:**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
Pickering Laboratories, Inc.  
1280 Space Park Way  
Mountain View, CA 94043  
Phone: (650) 694-6700  
Fax: (650) 968-0749  
www.pickeringlabs.com  
support@pickeringlabs.com
- **Emergency telephone number:**  
Clean Harbors Environmental Services  
1-800-645-8265

## \* 2 Hazard(s) Identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture:**  
The product does not need classification according to OSHA HazCom Standard 29 CFR paragraph (d) of §1910.1200(g) and GHS Rev 03.
- **Label elements:**
- **Hazard pictograms:** Non-Regulated Material
- **Signal word:** Non-Regulated Material
- **Hazard statements:** Non-Regulated Material
- **Unknown acute toxicity:**  
This value refers to knowledge of known, established toxicological or ecotoxicological values.  
0 % of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown toxicity.
- **Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment:**
- **Classification system:** NFPA/HMIS Definitions: 0-Least, 1-Slight, 2-Moderate, 3-High, 4-Extreme
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



- **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



- **Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC):** None known
- **Classification according to (d)(1)(ii) of § 1910.1200**  
The SDS issuer does not object to the classifications provided by importers or manufacturers of precursor products.

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· **Hazards not otherwise classified**

There are no adverse physical or health effects known that are not covered by the hazard classes of the Hazard Communications Standard.


\* **3 Composition/Information on Ingredients**

· **Chemical characterization: Substance**

· **Description:**

Mixture of substances listed with non-hazardous additions and/or components that are less than listing threshold. All non-hazardous, components listed under threshold, and listed component total 100%.

· **Dangerous Components:**

CAS: 1303-96-4	Disodium tetraborate, decahydrate	 Reproductive toxicity 1B, H360	<1.0%
RTECS: ED4588000			

· **Additional information:**

The exact percentages of the ingredients of this mixture are considered to be proprietary and are withheld in accordance with the provisions of paragraph (i) of §1910.1200 of 29 CFR 1910.1200 Trade Secrets.

\* **4 First-Aid Measures**

· **Description of first aid measures**

· **General information:** If symptoms persist, call a physician.

· **After inhalation:** Not anticipated under normal use.

· **After skin contact:**

Immediately wash with 1% acetic acid (or vinegar) to neutralize, followed with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. For chemical burns, apply sterile bandage securely but not too tightly. Seek medical assistance.

If skin irritation occurs, consult a doctor.

· **After eye contact:**

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

If eye irritation occurs, consult a doctor.

· **After swallowing:**

Give water freely and/or 1% acetic acid (or vinegar) followed by milk. Do not induce vomiting. Get medical assistance immediately.

If swallowed and symptoms occur, consult a 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:** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.

· **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:** No further relevant information.

· **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:** No further relevant information available.

· **Advice for firefighters**

· **Special protective equipment for firefighters:**

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:** Not required.

· **Environmental precautions:** Dilute with plenty of water.

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· **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**

Absorb with liquid-binding material (i.e. sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Dispose of the collected material according to regulations.

· <b>PAC-1:</b>		
1303-96-4	Disodium tetraborate, decahydrate	6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
· <b>PAC-2:</b>		
1303-96-4	Disodium tetraborate, decahydrate	190 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
· <b>PAC-3:</b>		
1303-96-4	Disodium tetraborate, decahydrate	1,100 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

· **Reference to other sections:**

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

### 7 Handling and Storage

· **Precautions for safe handling:**

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing

Avoid breathing fumes.

Use personal protection equipment as outlined in section 8.

· **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.

· **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

· **Storage**

· **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:**

Store in dry conditions at a temperature range of 8°C - 25°C.

· **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.

· **Further information about storage conditions:** None.

· **Specific end use(s):** No further relevant information available.

### \* 8 Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

· **Control parameters:**

· **Components with occupational exposure limits:**

**1303-96-4 Disodium tetraborate, decahydrate**

REL Long-term value: 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

TLV Short-term value: 6\* mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Long-term value: 2\* mg/m<sup>3</sup>

\*as inhalable fraction, A4

· **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation of this SDS were used as basis.

· **Exposure controls:**

· **Appropriate engineering controls** No further data; see section 7.

· **Personal protective equipment**

· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

Use adequate exhaust ventilation to prevent inhalation of product vapors.

Do not eat or drink while handling product.

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

· **Breathing equipment:**

Respiratory protection is not required unless handling of the material produces nuisance airborne concentrations.

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- **Protection of hands:** Not required.
- **Material of gloves:** Latex or vinyl
- **Penetration time of glove material:** Not applicable.
- **Eye protection:**



Safety goggles

- **Body protection:** Lab coat
- **Limitation and supervision of exposure into the environment:** None

### \* 9 Physical and Chemical Properties

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· <b>Physical state</b></li> <li>· <b>Color:</b></li> <li>· <b>Odor:</b></li> <li>· <b>Odor threshold:</b></li> <li>· <b>Melting point/Melting range:</b></li> <li>· <b>Boiling point/Boiling range:</b></li> <li>· <b>Flammability:</b></li> <li>· <b>Explosion limits:</b></li> <li>· <b>Lower:</b></li> <li>· <b>Upper:</b></li> <li>· <b>Flash point:</b></li> <li>· <b>Auto igniting:</b></li> <li>· <b>Decomposition temperature:</b></li> <li>· <b>pH-value @ 20 °C (68 °F):</b></li> <li>· <b>Viscosity:</b></li> <li>· <b>Kinematic:</b></li> <li>· <b>Dynamic:</b></li> <li>· <b>Solubility in / Miscibility with:</b></li> <li>· <b>Water:</b></li> <li>· <b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b></li> <li>· <b>Vapor pressure @ 20 °C (68 °F):</b></li> <li>· <b>Vapor pressure:</b></li> <li>· <b>Density @ 20 °C (68 °F):</b></li> <li>· <b>Relative density:</b></li> <li>· <b>Vapor density:</b></li> <li>· <b>Particle characteristics</b></li> <li>· <b>Other information:</b></li> <li>· <b>Appearance:</b></li> <li>· <b>Form:</b></li> <li>· <b>Important information on protection of health and environment, and on safety.</b></li> <li>· <b>Ignition temperature:</b></li> <li>· <b>Danger of explosion:</b></li> <li>· <b>Solvent content:</b></li> <li>· <b>VOC content:</b></li> <li>· <b>Solids content:</b></li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Liquid</li> <li>Colorless</li> <li>Odorless</li> <li>Not determined.</li> <li>Not determined.</li> <li>≥100 °C (≥212 °F)</li> <li>Not applicable.</li> <li>Not determined.</li> <li>Not determined.</li> <li>None</li> <li>Not applicable</li> <li>Not determined.</li> <li>9.1</li> <li>Not determined.</li> <li>Not determined.</li> <li>Not determined.</li> <li>Aqueous solution</li> <li>Not determined.</li> <li>≤23 hPa (≤17.3 mm Hg)</li> <li>1.0055 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (8.3909 lbs/gal)</li> <li>Not determined.</li> <li>Not determined.</li> <li>Not applicable.</li> <li>Liquid</li> <li>Product is not self-igniting.</li> <li>Product does not present an explosion hazard.</li> <li>0.00 %</li> <li>0.4 %</li> </ul> |
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- **Change in condition**
- **Evaporation rate:** Not determined.

**10 Stability and Reactivity**

- **Reactivity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability:** Stable under normal conditions.
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions:** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid:** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:**  
Primary and secondary amines will cause non-hazardous contamination of this solution.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

**\* 11 Toxicological Information**

- **Information on toxicological effects:**
- **Acute toxicity:**
- **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:** No data available.
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **On the skin:** Irritating effect
- **On the eye:** No irritating effect.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
- **Interactive effects** No interactive effects between components are known.
- **Carcinogenic categories:**

· **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer):**  
None of the ingredients are listed.

· **NTP (National Toxicology Program):**  
None of the ingredients are listed.

· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration):**  
None of the ingredients are listed.

- **Alternative sources for toxicological information**  
No non-standard sources for toxicological information where used.

**12 Ecological Information**

- **Toxicity:**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability:** No further relevant information available.
- **Bioaccumulative potential:** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil:** No further relevant information available.
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment:**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects:**
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**  
Do not allow undiluted product or product that has not been neutralized to reach ground water, water course or sewer system.  
Generally not hazardous for water.

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· <b>Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:</b>	
None of the ingredients are listed.	
· <b>Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:</b>	
None of the ingredients are listed.	
· <b>New Jersey Right-to-Know List:</b>	
None of the ingredients are listed.	
· <b>New Jersey Special Hazardous Substance List:</b>	
None of the ingredients are listed.	
· <b>Pennsylvania Right-to-Know List:</b>	
1303-96-4	Disodium tetraborate, decahydrate
· <b>Pennsylvania Special Hazardous Substance List:</b>	
None of the ingredients are listed.	
· <b>Carcinogenic categories:</b>	
· <b>EPA (Environmental Protection Agency):</b>	
1303-96-4	Disodium tetraborate, decahydrate I (oral)
· <b>TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH):</b>	
1303-96-4	Disodium tetraborate, decahydrate A4
· <b>NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health):</b>	
None of the ingredients are listed.	
· <b>GHS label elements</b> Non-Regulated Material	
· <b>Hazard pictograms:</b> Non-Regulated Material	
· <b>Signal word:</b> Non-Regulated Material	
· <b>Hazard statements:</b> Non-Regulated Material	
· <b>National regulations:</b>	
The product is not subject to be labelled according with the prevailing version of the regulations on hazardous substances.	
· <b>Chemical safety assessment:</b> A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.	

### 16 Other 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 previous version** 02/15/2021
- **Version number of previous version:** 8
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- **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  
 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)  
 VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

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LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health Administration

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

Reproductive toxicity 1B: Reproductive toxicity – Category 1B

**\* Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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