

# **Safety Data Sheet**

# 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1. Identification of the substance or mixture

Product name : Healthy Ponds® Rush® Other identifiers : Item # 50002 and 51130

Molecular Weight : 314.06 g/mol

1.2. Use of the Substance/Mixture

**Recommended use** : - Bleaching agent

Cleaning agentOxidizing agents

1.3. Company/Undertaking Identification

Address : BIOVERSE, INC.

2220 Research Lane, Worthington, MN 56187

USA

1.4. Emergency and contact telephone numbers

Emergency telephone : 1 (800) 424-9300 CHEMTREC ® (USA & Canada)

number 01-800-00-214-00 (MEX. REPUBLIC)

Contact telephone number : US: 877-948-0303 (Product information)

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1. Emergency Overview:

NFPA : H=2 F=0 I=1 S=OX

HMIS : H=2 F=0 R=1 PPE = Supplied by User; dependent on local

conditions

General Information

Appearance : powder
Color : white
Odor : odorless

Main effects

Oxidizing

- Contact with combustible material may cause fire.

- Harmful if swallowed.

Risk of serious damage to eyes.

#### 2.2. Potential Health Effects:

Inhalation

Eye contact

Severe eye irritation

Risk of serious damage to eyes.

- Symptoms: Redness, Lachrymation, Swelling of tissue.

Skin contact

- Prolonged skin contact may cause skin irritation.



### Ingestion

- Severe irritation
- Symptoms: Nausea, Abdominal pain, Vomiting, Diarrhea.

# Other toxicity effects

See section 11: Toxicological Information

#### 2.3. Environmental Effects:

- See section 12: Ecological Information

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Sodium carbonate peroxyhydrate

CAS-No. : 15630-89-4 Concentration : > 85.0 %

Sodium carbonate

CAS-No. : 497-19-8 Concentration : appr. 13.0 %

Sodium silicate SiO2/Na2O

CAS-No. : 1344-09-8 Concentration : appr. 1.5 %

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### 4.1. Inhalation

- Move to fresh air.
- If symptoms persist, call a physician.

# 4.2. Eye contact

- Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
- In case of eye contact, remove contact lens and rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.
- In the case of difficulty of opening the lids, administer an analgesic eye wash (oxybuprocaine).

#### 4.3. Skin contact

- Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use.
- Wash off with plenty of water.
- If symptoms persist, call a physician.

# 4.4. Ingestion

- Rinse mouth with water.
- Do NOT induce vomiting.
- If accidentally swallowed obtain immediate medical attention.
- Oxygen or artificial respiration if needed.

#### If victim is conscious

- If swallowed, rinse mouth with water (only if the person is conscious).
- Do NOT induce vomiting.

If victim is unconscious but breathing:

- Artificial respiration and/or oxygen may be necessary.



# 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

- 5.1. Suitable extinguishing media
  - Water
  - Water spray
- 5.2. Extinguishing media which shall not be used for safety reasons
  - None.
- 5.3. Special exposure hazards in a fire
  - Oxidising
  - Oxygen released in thermal decomposition may support combustion
  - Contact with combustible material may cause fire.
  - Contact with flammables may cause fire or explosions.
  - Risk of explosion if heated under confinement.
- 5.4. Hazardous decomposition products
  - Oxygen
- 5.5. Special protective equipment for firefighters
  - In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
  - Use personal protective equipment.
  - Cool containers / tanks with water spray.
- 5.6. Other information
  - Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
- 6.1.1. Advice for non-emergency personnel
  - Keep away from Incompatible products.
- 6.1.2. Advice for emergency responders
  - Sweep up to prevent slipping hazard.
- 6.2. Environmental precautions
  - Should not be released into the environment.
  - Limited quantity
  - Flush into sewer with plenty of water.
  - Large quantities:
  - If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform respective authorities.
- 6.3. Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up
  - Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.
  - Do not mix waste streams during collection.
  - Avoid dust formation.
  - Treat recovered material as described in the section "Disposal considerations".
  - All receiving equipment should be clean, vented, dry, labelled and made of material that is compatible
  - Never return spills in original containers for re-use.



# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1. Handling

- Avoid dust formation.
- Ensure adequate ventilation.
- Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.
- Keep away from Incompatible products.
- Use only clean and dry utensils.
- Never return unused material to storage receptacle.
- Keep away from water.

# 7.2. Storage

- Keep in a dry place.
- Keep in a cool, well-ventilated place.
- Keep away from direct sunlight.
- Keep away from heat.
- Keep away from Incompatible products.
- The container must be used exclusively for the product.
- Keep in container fitted with safety valve or vent.
- Keep only in the original container.
- Store in a receptacle equipped with a vent.

### 7.3. Packaging material

- Stainless steel
- Polyethylene
- Paper + PE coating.

### 7.4. Other information

- Avoid dust formation.
- Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8.
- In industrial installations, apply the rules for the prevention of major accidents (consult an expert).
- Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.
- To avoid thermal decomposition, do not overheat.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1. Exposure Limit Values

Sodium carbonate peroxyhydrate

- SAEL (Solvay Acceptable Exposure Limit) 2006
  - TWA = 5 mg/m3
- US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Remarks: none established

#### Sodium carbonate

SAEL (Solvay Acceptable Exposure Limit) 2007

TWA = 10 mg/m3

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

Remarks: none established



Particles not otherwise specified (PNOS)

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values 2007

time weighted average = 3 mg/m3 Remarks: as respirable particles

US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000) 02 2006 02 2006

Permissible exposure limit = 5 mg/m3

Remarks: respirable dust fraction, all inert or nuisance dusts, whether mineral, inorganic, or organic, not listed specifically by substance name are covered by the Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated (PNOR) limit which is the same as the inert or nuisance dust limit of Table Z-3.

US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values 2010

time weighted average = 10 mg/m3

Remarks: Inhalable fraction

- US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000) 02 2006

Permissible exposure limit = 15 mg/m3

Remarks: Total dust, All inert or nuisance dusts, whether mineral, inorganic, or organic, not listed specifically by substance name are covered by the Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated (PNOR) limit which is the same as the inert or nuisance dust limit of Table Z-3.

- <u>US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR</u> 1910.1000) 2000

time weighted average = 15 millions of particles per cubic foot of air

Remarks: respirable dust fraction

- US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.1000) 2000

time weighted average = 50 millions of particles per cubic foot of air

Remarks: Total dust

- <u>US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.1000)</u> 2000

time

· - <u>US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.1000)2000</u>

time weighted average = 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Remarks: respirable dust fraction

- <u>US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.1000)</u> 2000

time weighted average = 15 mg/m3

Remarks: Total dust

US. OSHA Table Z-1-A (29 CFR 1910.1000) 1989

time weighted average = 5 mg/m3
Remarks: respirable dust fraction

US. OSHA Table Z-1-A (29 CFR 1910.1000) 1989

time weighted average = 15 mg/m3

Remarks: Total dust

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# 8.2. Engineering controls

- Avoid dust formation.
- Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.
- Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

# 8.3. Personal protective equipment

### 8.3.1. Respiratory protection

- Use only respiratory protection that conforms to international/ national standards.
- Use NIOSH approved respiratory protection.
- Respirator with a dust filter



#### 8.3.2. Hand protection

- Wear suitable gloves.
- Non-recommended materials: Leather, cotton
- Suitable material: PVC, Neoprene, Natural Rubber

### 8.3.3. Eye protection

- Chemical resistant goggles must be worn.

### 8.3.4. Skin and body protection

Protective suit

# 8.3.5. Hygiene measures

- Use only in an area equipped with a safety shower.
- Eye wash bottle with pure water
- Hándle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice for diagnostics

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1. General Information

Appearance : powder
Color : white
Odor : odorless

# 9.2. Important health safety and environmental information

pH : from 10.4 - 10.6

Concentration: 10.1 g/l

Boiling point/boiling range : Remarks: not applicable

Flash point : Remarks: not applicable

Flammability : Remarks: The product is not flammable.

Explosive properties : <u>Explosion danger</u>:

Remarks: Not explosive

Oxidizing properties : Remarks: oxidizing

Vapor pressure : Remarks: not applicable

Relative density / Density : Remarks: no data available

Bulk density : 950 - 1,200 kg/m3

Solubility(ies) : Water

150 g/l

Temperature: 20 °C ( 68 °

Partition coefficient:

n-octanol/water

Remarks: not applicable

Viscosity : Remarks: not applicable Vapor density : Remarks: not applicable



# 9.3. Other data

Decomposition : Remarks: Self-Accelerating decomposition temperature (SADT)

temperature

> 55 °C ( 131 °F ) Remarks: 50 kg

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

# 10.1. Stability

- Potential for exothermic hazard

- Stable under recommended storage conditions.

# 10.2. Conditions to avoid

- Exposure to moisture.

To avoid thermal decomposition, do not overheat.

Keep at temperature not exceeding: 55 °C (131 °F)

### 10.3. Materials to avoid

- Water, Acids, Bases, Heavy metal salts, Reducing agents, Organic materials, Flammable materials, Combustible material

### 10.4. Hazardous decomposition products

Oxygen

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# Toxicological data

Acute oral toxicity

- LD50, rat, 1,034 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity

- LC0, 1 h, rat, > 4,580 mg/m3

Acute dermal irritation/corrosion

LD 10, rabbit, > 2,000 mg/kg

### Skin irritation

rabbit, slight irritation

# Eye irritation

- rabbit, Risk of serious damage to eyes.

### Chronic toxicity

no data available

# Remarks

- Harmful if swallowed.
- Risk of serious damage to eyes.
- Irritating to respiratory system and skin.
- Risk of serious damage to eyes.
- Irritating to skin and mucous membranes



# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# 12.1. Ecotoxicity effects

#### Acute toxicity

- Fishes, Pimephales promelas, LC50, 71 mg/l
- Fishes, Pimephales promelas, NOEC, 96 h, 7.4 mg/l
- Crustaceans, Daphnia pulex, EC50, 4.9 mg/l
- Crustaceans, Daphnia pulex, NOEC, 48 h, 2 mg/l

### 12.2. Mobility

- · Air
- Air

Remarks: not applicable

Water

Remarks: considerable solubility and mobility

# Soil/sediments

Remarks: non-significant absorption

### 12.3. Persistence and degradability

### Abiotic degradation

- Result: not applicable
- Water/soil

Result: significant hydrolysis

#### Biodegradation

- Remarks: The methods for determining biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

### 12.4. Bioaccumulative potential

Remarks: not applicable

## 12.5. Other adverse effects

no data available

# 12.6. Remarks

- Hazard for the environment is limited due to product properties:
- Weak persistence of degradation products.
- Does not bioaccumulate.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1. Waste from residues / unused products

- Dilute with plenty of water.
- Dispose of wastes in an approved waste disposal facility.
- Can be landfilled, when in compliance with local regulations.
- In accordance with local and national regulations.

# 13.2. Packaging treatment

- Clean container with water.
- Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.
- Unclean empty packaging
- Dispose of as unused product.
- In accordance with local and national regulations.

# 13.3. RCRA Hazardous Waste

- Listed RCRA Hazardous Waste (40 CFR 302) No
- Unlisted RCRA Hazardous Waste (40 CFR 302) Yes
- D001 (ignitable waste)



# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IATA-DGR

UN number UN 3378

Class 5.1 Packing group III

ICAO-Labels 5.1 - Oxidizing substances

Proper shipping name: SODIUM CARBONATE PEROXYHYDRATE

**IMDG** 

UN number UN 3378
Class 5.1
Packing group III

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Canada (TDG)

UN number UN 3378
Class 5.1
Packing group III

Label 5.1 - Oxidizing substances

Proper shipping name: SODIUM CARBONATE PEROXYHYDRATE

Mexico (NOM-002-SCT)

UN number UN 3378
Class 5.1
Packing group III

Label 5.1 Oxidizing substances



# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Ratings:

NFPA (National Fire Protection Association)

Health = 2Flammability = 0Instability = 1 Special =OX

HMIS (Hazardous Material Information System) Health = 2 Fire = 0 Reactivity = 1 PPE : Supplied by User; dependent on local conditions

# 16. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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