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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

(REACH regulation (EC) n° 1907/2006 - n° 2015/830)

#### SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product name: CARBURE DE BORE (+12035/12036)

Product code: 12033/12038.

BORKARBID KOERNUNG / BORON CARBIDE

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

Abrasive for polishing or lapping

#### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Registered company name: PRESI S.A.

Address: 11 Rue du vercors.38320.EYBENS.France.

Telephone: +33 (0)4.76.72.00.21. Fax: +33 (0)4.76.72.05.84.

presi@presi.com www.presi.com

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number: +33 (0)1.45.42.59.59.

Association/Organisation: INRS / ORFILA http://www.centres-antipoison.net.

# **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

# 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### In compliance with EC regulation No. 1272/2008 and its amendments.

This substance does not present a physical hazard. Refer to the recommendations regarding the other products present on the site.

This substance does not present a health hazard with the exception of possible occupational exposure thresholds (see paragraphs 3 and 8).

This substance does not present an environmental hazard. No known or foreseeable environmental damage under standard conditions of use.

# 2.2. Label elements

#### In compliance with EC regulation No. 1272/2008 and its amendments.

No labelling requirements for this substance.

# 2.3. Other hazards

In use, may form flammable/explosive dust-air mixture.

The substance does not fulfil the PBT or vPvP criteria in accordance with annexe XIII of the REACH regulations EC 1907/2006.

# SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

# 3.1. Substances

# **Composition:**

Identification	(EC) 1272/2008	Note	%
CAS: 12069-32-8			100.00 %
EC: 235-111-5			
CARBURE DE BORE			

# **SECTION 4 : FIRST AID MEASURES**

As a general rule, in case of doubt or if symptoms persist, always call a doctor.

NEVER induce swallowing by an unconscious person.

# 4.1. Description of first aid measures

# In the event of exposure by inhalation:

Move to fresh air

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If symptoms persist, call a physician

#### In the event of splashes or contact with eves:

Wash thoroughly with fresh, clean water for 15 minutes holding the eyelids open.

If there is any redness, pain or visual impairment, consult an ophthalmologist.

#### In the event of splashes or contact with skin:

Watch out for any remaining product between skin and clothing, watches, shoes, etc.

### In the event of swallowing:

Seek medical attention, showing the label.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No data available.

# 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available.

### **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Non-flammable.

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

#### Suitable methods of extinction

In the event of a fire, use:

- powder
- dry sand
- foam

# Unsuitable methods of extinction

In the event of a fire, do not use:

- water

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

A fire will often produce a thick black smoke. Exposure to decomposition products may be hazardous to health.

Do not breathe in smoke.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus

### **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

# 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Consult the safety measures listed under headings 7 and 8.

#### For first aid worker

First aid workers will be equipped with suitable personal protective equipment (See section 8).

# 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent any material from entering drains or waterways.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Retrieve the product by mechanical means (sweeping/vacuuming): do not generate dust.

Cleaning with water

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

No data available.

### **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Requirements relating to storage premises apply to all facilities where the substance is handled.

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Always wash hands after handling.

Precautions for use of any non-toxic



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Avoid dust formation

#### Fire prevention:

Prevent access by unauthorised personnel.

Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

N/A

### Recommended equipment and procedures:

For personal protection, see section 8.

Observe precautions stated on label and also industrial safety regulations.

#### Prohibited equipment and procedures:

No smoking, eating or drinking in areas where the substance is used.

# 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep away from food, drink and animals feeding stuffs

#### Storage

N/A

#### **Packaging**

Always keep in packaging made of an identical material to the original.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

No data available.

# SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### 8.1. Control parameters

No data available.

# 8.2. Exposure controls

# Appropriate engineering controls

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing

# Personal protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

 $Pictogram(s)\ indicating\ the\ obligation\ of\ wearing\ personal\ protective\ equipment\ (PPE):$ 





Use personal protective equipment that is clean and has been properly maintained.

Store personal protective equipment in a clean place, away from the work area.

Never eat, drink or smoke during use. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-using. Ensure that there is adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

#### - Eye / face protection

Avoid contact with eyes.

Before handling powders or dust emission, wear mask goggles in accordance with standard EN166.

Protective glasses completely dust-tight

# - Hand protection

Wear suitable protective gloves in the event of prolonged or repeated skin contact.

To place at the disposal of the users suitable gloves

# - Body protection

Work clothing worn by personnel shall be laundered regularly.

After contact with the product, all parts of the body that have been soiled must be washed.

To envisage normal working clothes

# - Respiratory protection

Avoid breathing dust.

Type of FFP mask:

Wear a disposable half-mask dust filter in accordance with standard EN149.



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Category:

- FFP1

Mask of protection suited for the dust

# **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**General information:** 

Physical state: Powder or dust.

Important health, safety and environmental information

Not relevant. Boiling point/boiling range: Not specified. Flash point interval: Not relevant. Explosive properties, lower explosivity limit (%): 125 g/cm3 Vapour pressure (50°C): Not relevant.

Density: 2.51 g/cm3 (à 20°C) Insoluble. 0.072 mg/l Water solubility:

Melting point/melting range: 2450 °C. Self-ignition temperature: Not specified. Decomposition point/decomposition range: Not specified.

9.2. Other information

No data available.

# **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

# 10.1. Reactivity

No data available.

# 10.2. Chemical stability

This substance is stable under the recommended handling and storage conditions in section 7.

# 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available.

# 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Avoid:

- formation of dusts

Dusts can form an explosive mixture with air.

# 10.5. Incompatible materials

# 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

The thermal decomposition may release/form:

# SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

No data available.

# 11.1.1. Substances

# Acute toxicity:

CARBURE DE BORE (CAS: 12069-32-8)

Oral route: LD50 > 2000 mg/kg

Species: Rat

OECD Guideline 423 (Acute Oral toxicityAcute Toxic Class Method)

Dermal route: LD50 > 2000 mg/kg



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Species: Rat

OECD Guideline 402 (Acute Dermal Toxicity)

### **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 12.1. Toxicity

# 12.1.1. Substances

CARBURE DE BORE (CAS: 12069-32-8)

Fish toxicity: LC50 = 100 mg/l

Species : Oncorhynchus mykiss Duration of exposure : 96 h

OECD Guideline 203 (Fish, Acute Toxicity Test)

Crustacean toxicity: EC50 > 100 mg/l

Species : Daphnia magna Duration of exposure : 48 h

OECD Guideline 202 (Daphnia sp. Acute Immobilisation Test)

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Not inherently biodegradable

#### 12.2.1. Substances

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Biodegradability : no degradability data is available, the substance is considered as not degrading

quickly.

# 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No data available.

# 12.4. Mobility in soil

No data available.

# 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available.

# 12.6. Other adverse effects

No data available.

# German regulations concerning the classification of hazards for water (WGK) :

Nicht wassergefährdend (VwVwS vom 27/07/2005, KBws): Not hazardous for water.

# **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Proper waste management of the substance and/or its container must be determined in accordance with Directive 2008/98/EC.

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Do not pour into drains or waterways.

# Waste:

Waste management is carried out without endangering human health, without harming the environment and, in particular without risk to water, air, soil, plants or animals.

Recycle or dispose of waste in compliance with current legislation, preferably via a certified collector or company.

Do not contaminate the ground or water with waste, do not dispose of waste into the environment.

# Soiled packaging:

Empty container completely. Keep label(s) on container.

Give to a certified disposal contractor.

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#### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Exempt from transport classification and labelling.

14.1. UN number

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14.2. UN proper shipping name

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14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

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14.4. Packing group

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14.5. Environmental hazards

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14.6. Special precautions for user

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### **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

- Classification and labelling information included in section 2:

The following regulations have been used:

- EU Regulation No. 1272/2008 amended by EU Regulation No. 2016/1179. (ATP 9)

- Container information:

No data available.

- Particular provisions :

No data available.

- German regulations concerning the classification of hazards for water (WGK) :

Nicht wassergefährdend (VwVwS vom 27/07/2005, KBws): Not hazardous for water.

#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No data available.

# **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

Since the user's working conditions are not known by us, the information supplied on this safety data sheet is based on our current level of knowledge and on national and community regulations.

It is at all times the responsibility of the user to take all necessary measures to comply with legal requirements and local regulations.

The information in this safety data sheet must be regarded as a description of the safety requirements relating to the substance and not as a guarantee of the properties thereof.

## Abbreviations:

ADR: European agreement concerning the international carriage of dangerous goods by Road.

IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods.

IATA: International Air Transport Association.

ICAO : International Civil Aviation Organisation

RID: Regulations concerning the International carriage of Dangerous goods by rail.

WGK: Wassergefahrdungsklasse (Water Hazard Class).

PBT: Persistent, bioaccumulable and toxic.

vPvB: Very persistent, very bioaccumulable.

SVHC: Substances of very high concern.