

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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**Niagara Pharmaceuticals Inc.**

## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### Product identifier

Product Name  
PHYSICIANS CARE  
EYEWASH

### Other means of identification

Synonyms None

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use Medicinal products  
Uses advised against No information available

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

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

The Eyewash is an approved drug by the FDA used for cleansing the eye to help irritation or burning by removing loose foreign material. This drug product is considered exempt from SDS as it does not fall under the definition of "Hazardous product"

as per regulations - 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

### GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

For single use only

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

If concerned: Get medical advice/attention

#### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

None

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulations

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

### Unknown Toxicity

0% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

### Other information

No information available

### Interactions with Other Chemicals

No information available.

## **3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%	Trade Secret
Boric acid (H3BO3)	10043-35-3	1 - 5	*
Sodium borate	1330-43-4	0.1 - 1	*

\*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret

## **4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

### First aid measures

#### **Eye contact**

This product is a first aid measure for cleansing the eye to help relieve irritation or burning by removing loose foreign material.

#### **Skin contact**

None

#### **Inhalation**

None

#### **Ingestion**

Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth

to an unconscious person.

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

**Most Important Symptoms and Effects** No information available.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Suitable Extinguishing Media**

None.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**

No information available

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

None

**Hazardous Combustion Products**

None

**Explosion Data**

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** No.

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** No.

**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** None

**Environmental precautions**

**Environmental precautions** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

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

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

**Methods for cleaning up** Soak up with inert absorbent material.



## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

**Handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage** Store as sealed bottle. Do not use if seal is missing or broken. For single use only.

**Incompatible Products** None known based on information supplied.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

#### Exposure Guidelines

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Boric acid (H <sub>3</sub> BO <sub>3</sub> ) 10043-35-3	TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> inhalable fraction STEL: 6 mg/m <sup>3</sup> inhalable fraction	-	
Sodium borate 1330-43-4	STEL: 6 mg/m <sup>3</sup> inhalable fraction TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> inhalable fraction	(vacated) TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

ACGIH TLV: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists - Threshold Limit Value OSHA PEL: Occupational Safety and Health Administration - Permissible Exposure Limits Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

**Other Exposure Guidelines** Vacated limits revoked by the Court of Appeals decision in AFL-CIO v. OSHA, 965 F.2d 962 (11th Cir., 1992)

### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Measures** Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** No special protective equipment required.

**Skin and body protection** No special protective equipment required

**Respiratory protection** No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions.

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. .

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical state	Liquid	Odor	Odorless
Appearance	Clear, colorless. No visual impurities	Odor Threshold	No information available
Color	No information available		
<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	<u>Method</u>
pH	7.4	None known	
Melting / freezing point	No data available	None known	
Boiling point / boiling range	No data available	None known	
Flash Point	No data available	None known	
Evaporation Rate	No data available	None known	
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available	None known	
Flammability Limit in Air			
Upper flammability limit	No data available		
Lower flammability limit	No data available		
Vapor pressure	No data available	None known	
Vapor density	No data available	None known	
Specific Gravity	1	None known	
Water Solubility	Completely soluble	None known	
Solubility in other solvents	No data available	None known	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available	None known	
Autoignition temperature	No data available	None known	
Decomposition temperature	No data available	None known	
Kinematic viscosity	No data available	None known	
Dynamic viscosity	No data available	None known	
Explosive properties	No data available		
Oxidizing properties	No data available		

### Other Information

Softening Point	No data available
VOC Content (%)	No data available
Particle Size	No data available
Particle Size Distribution	

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

No data available.

### Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

### Hazardous Polymerization

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

### Conditions to avoid

None known based on information supplied.

### Incompatible materials

None known based on information supplied.

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

None known

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Information on likely routes of exposure****Product Information**

Inhalation	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.
Eye contact	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.
Skin contact	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.
Ingestion	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

**Component Information**

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Boric acid (H3BO3) 10043-35-3	= 2660 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 2000 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	> 2.03 mg/L ( Rat ) 4 h
Sodium borate 1330-43-4	= 2403 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 2000 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	-

**Information on toxicological effects**

Symptoms No information available.

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

Sensitization	No information available.
Mutagenic Effects	No information available.
Carcinogenicity	The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.
Reproductive toxicity	No information available
STOT - single exposure	No information available.
STOT - repeated exposure	No information available.
Chronic Toxicity	No known effect based on information supplied.
Target Organ Effects	No information available
Aspiration Hazard	No information available.

**Numerical measures of toxicity Product Information**

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document  
Not applicable



**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Ecotoxicity**

The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

Chemical Name	Toxicity to Algae	Toxicity to Fish	Toxicity to Microorganisms	Daphnia Magna (Water Flea)
Boric acid (H3BO3) 10043-35-3		72h LC50: = 1020 mg/L (Carassius auratus)		48h EC50: 115 - 153 mg/L
Sodium borate 1330-43-4	96h EC50: = 158 mg/L (Desmodesmus subspicatus) 96h EC50: 2.6 - 21.8 mg/L (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata)	96h LC50: = 340 mg/L (Limanda limanda)		48h LC50: 1085 - 1402 mg/L

**Persistence and Degradability**

No information available.

**Bioaccumulation**

Chemical Name	Log Pow
Boric acid (H3BO3) 10043-35-3	-0.757

**Other adverse effects**

No information available.

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Waste treatment methods****Disposal methods**

This material, as supplied, is not a hazardous waste according to Federal regulations (40 CFR 261). This material could become a hazardous waste if it is mixed with or otherwise comes in contact with a hazardous waste, if chemical additions are made to this material, or if the material is processed or otherwise altered. Consult 40 CFR 261 to determine whether the altered material is a hazardous waste. Consult the appropriate state, regional, or local regulations for additional requirements.

**Contaminated Packaging**

Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulations.

**California Hazardous Waste Codes 561**

This product contains one substance that is listed with the State of California as a hazardous waste. However the amounts used in this product is negligible and is of below the prescribed limits for toxicity.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste
Boric acid (H3BO3) 10043-35-3	Toxic

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

<u>DOT</u>	NOT REGULATED
Proper Shipping Name	NON REGULATED
Hazard Class	N/A
<u>TDG</u>	Not regulated
<u>MEX</u>	Not regulated
<u>ICAO</u>	Not regulated
<u>IATA</u>	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name	NON REGULATED
Hazard Class	N/A
<u>IMDG/IMO</u>	Not regulated
Hazard Class	N/A
<u>RID</u>	Not regulated
<u>ADR</u>	Not regulated
<u>ADN</u>	Not regulated

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION****International Inventories**

TSCA	Complies
DSL	All components are listed either on the DSL or NDSL.

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory  
DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**US Federal Regulations****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

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Acute Health Hazard	No
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire Hazard	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

**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)



**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

**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	Rhode Island	Illinois
Sodium borate 1330-43-4		X	X		

**International Regulations**

Component	Carcinogen Status	Exposure Limits
Sodium borate 1330-43-4 ( 0.1 - 1 )		Mexico: TWA 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Canada****WHMIS Hazard Class**

Not applicable

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPA	Health Hazards 0	Flammability 0	Instability 0	Physical and Chemical Hazards -
HMIS	Health Hazards 0	Flammability 0	Physical Hazard 0	Personal Protection X

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