

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Work Health and Safety Regulations 2011

### Reliant Gels NuSieve,TBE, w/Ethidium Bromide

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#### SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Reliant™ Gel System

Material number : 54928

#### Manufacturer or supplier's details

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

Recommended use : Scientific research and development

#### SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### GHS Classification

Reproductive toxicity : Category 1B

#### GHS label elements

Hazard pictograms :



Signal word : Danger

Hazard statements : H360 May damage fertility or the unborn child.

Precautionary statements :

#### Prevention:

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

P281 Use personal protective equipment as required.

#### Response:

P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

#### Storage:

P405 Store locked up.

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**Disposal:**

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to a local hazardous waste disposal facility.

**Other hazards which do not result in classification**

No information available.

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

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

**Hazardous components**

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)
Boric acid	10043-35-3	$\geq 0,3 - < 0,5$

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**SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

- If inhaled : Move to fresh air.  
Call a physician immediately.  
If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration.
- In case of skin contact : After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of soap and water.  
Take off all contaminated clothing immediately.  
If skin irritation persists, call a physician.
- In case of eye contact : Immediately flush eye(s) with plenty of water.  
Call a physician immediately.
- If swallowed : Immediately give plenty of water (if possible charcoal slurry).  
Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.  
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.  
Take victim immediately to hospital.
- Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed : No information available.
- Notes to physician : No information available.
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**SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

- Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray  
Dry powder  
Foam
- Hazardous combustion products : Carbon oxides (Cox)
- Specific extinguishing methods : Use water spray to cool unopened containers.
- Special protective equipment for firefighters : In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
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### SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : In the case of respirable dust and/or fumes, use self-contained breathing apparatus and dust impervious protective suit.
- Environmental precautions : Prevent product from entering drains.
- Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal.

### SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

- Advice on protection against fire and explosion : Avoid dust formation.  
Take precautionary measures against static discharges.
- Advice on safe handling : Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Avoid formation of respirable particles. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.
- Hygiene measures : Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.
- Conditions for safe storage : Keep container closed when not in use. Do not freeze.
- Further information on storage stability : Store dry.

### SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
Boric acid	10043-35-3	TWA (Inhalable fraction.)	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ACGIH
		STEL (Inhalable fraction.)	6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ACGIH

- Engineering measures** : Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation.

#### Personal protective equipment

- Respiratory protection : In the case of dust or aerosol formation use respirator with an approved filter.

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Hand protection	
Material	: Nitrile rubber
Rate of permeability	: > 480 min
Eye protection	: Safety glasses with side-shields
Skin and body protection	: Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place. No special protective equipment required.

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**SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance	: gel
Colour	: clear
Odour	: odourless
Odour Threshold	: no data available
pH	: no data available
Melting point/freezing point	: no data available
Initial boiling point and boiling range	: no data available
Flash point	: no data available
	Water
Evaporation rate	: no data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: no data available
Flammability (liquids)	: no data available
Upper explosion limit / upper flammability limit	: no data available
Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit	: no data available
Vapour pressure	: no data available
Relative vapour density	: no data available
Relative density	: no data available
Water solubility	: soluble
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	: no data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: no data available
Decomposition temperature	: no data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: no data available

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Viscosity, kinematic : no data available

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### SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity : Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions : Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to avoid : no data available

Incompatible materials : Strong oxidizing agents  
Acids and bases

Hazardous decomposition products : No decomposition if stored normally.

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### SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Exposure routes : Eyes  
Skin

#### Further information

Remarks: No data is available on the product itself.  
Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

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### SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Ecotoxicity

Toxicity to fish : Remarks: no data available

#### Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability : Result: no data available

#### Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: no data available

#### Components:

#### Boric acid:

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : log Pow: -1,09 (22 °C)  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 107

#### Mobility in soil

Distribution among environmental compartments : Remarks: no data available

#### Other adverse effects

Additional ecological information : no data available

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### SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### Disposal methods

Waste from residues : Contact waste disposal services.  
Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Dispose of as unused product.

### SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**IATA** Not dangerous goods

**UN number** : Not applicable  
**Proper shipping name** : Not applicable  
**Transport hazard class** : Not applicable  
**Packing group** : Not applicable  
**Environmental hazards** : no

**IMDG** Not dangerous goods

**UN number** : Not applicable  
**Proper shipping name** : Not applicable  
**Transport hazard class** : Not applicable  
**Packing group** : Not applicable  
**Environmental hazards** : Marine pollutant: no

**ADR** Not dangerous goods

**UN number** : Not applicable  
**Proper shipping name** : Not applicable  
**Transport hazard class** : Not applicable  
**Packing group** : Not applicable  
**Environmental hazards** : no

**RID** Not dangerous goods

**UN number** : Not applicable  
**Proper shipping name** : Not applicable  
**Transport hazard class** : Not applicable  
**Packing group** : Not applicable  
**Environmental hazards** : no

**Special precautions for user** : none

**Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code** : Not applicable

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### SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

**Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons**

Not applicable

### SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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**Full text of other abbreviations**

ACGIH : US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

ACGIH / STEL : Short term exposure limit

ACGIH / TWA : Time weighted average

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ANTT - National Agency for Transport by Land of Brazil; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; Nch - Chilean Norm; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NOM - Official Mexican Norm; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative; WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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