# SAFETY DATA SHEET

19-May-2016

# 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Name BioGuard Pool Complete

Other means of identification

Product Code 23763BIO UN/ID no. UN1760

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use
Recommended Use Swimming Pool Product.
Uses advised against Do not mix with other chemicals

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Address
Bio-Lab, Inc.
P.O. Box 300002
Lawrenceville, GA 30049-1002
Telephone 800-859-7946

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec (Transportation) 1-800-424-9300, 703-527-3887

Poison Control Center (Medical): (877) 800-5553

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2
Corrosive to metals	Category 1

#### Label elements

#### **Emergency Overview**

# Warning

# Hazard statements

Causes skin irritation
Causes serious eye irritation
May be corrosive to metals



Color colorless to light amber Physical state liquid Odor Faintly acidic

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

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Keep only in original container

### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF exposed

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

Absorb spillage to prevent material damage

### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store in original plastic container.

Corrosive to aluminum.

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

### Other Information

2.5% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### Mixture

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%
aluminium sulfate	10043-01-3	5 - 10

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# **Description of first aid measures**

Eye contact Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and

continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician.

**Skin contact** Wash skin with soap and water. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air.

Ingestion Do NOT induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. If

symptoms persist, call a physician.

# Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** No information available.

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

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media None known.

#### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

No information available.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None. Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

# 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 Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required.

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

**Environmental precautions** 

**Environmental precautions** See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

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. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Do not mix with

other chemicals.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of

children.

**Packaging materials** Keep only in the original container. Do not store in aluminum containers.

**Incompatible materials**Do not mix with other swimming pool/spa chemicals in their concentrated forms. Bases.

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
aluminium sulfate	-	(vacated) TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Al	TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Al
10043-01-3		Aluminum	_

NIOSH IDLH Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

Other Information 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 Controls Showers

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Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

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

**Eye/face protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Skin and body protection** Rubber gloves.

Respiratory protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved

respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be

undiluted

lb/gal

provided in accordance with current local regulations.

General Hygiene Considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state liquid

AppearanceMilkyOdorFaintly acidic

ColorColorless to light amberOdor thresholdNo information available

Property Values Remarks • Method

**pH** 1.5 - 2.6

Melting point/freezing point
Boiling point / boiling range
Flash point
Evaporation rate
Flammability (solid, gas)

No information available
No information available
No information available
No information available

Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability limit:
Lower flammability limit:
Vapor pressure
Vapor density
Specific Gravity
No information available
No information available
No information available
No information available

Water solubility
Solubility in other solvents
Partition coefficient
Autoignition temperature
Decomposition temperature
Kinematic viscosity
Miscible in water
No information available

**Density** 8.7 - 9.1

Bulk density

Explosive properties

Oxidizing properties

No information available
No information available
No information available

**Other Information** 

Softening pointNo information availableMolecular weightNo information availableVOC Content (%)No information available

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

No data available

**Chemical stability** 

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions** 

None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

Incompatible materials

Do not mix with other swimming pool/spa chemicals in their concentrated forms. Bases.

**Hazardous Decomposition Products** 

Oxides of aluminum. Sulphur oxides.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

**Inhalation** Not an expected route of exposure.

**Eye contact** Irritating to eyes.

**Skin contact** Irritating to skin.

**Ingestion** May be harmful if swallowed.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
aluminium sulfate	= 1930 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
10043-01-3			

# Information on toxicological effects

**Symptoms** No information available.

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

**Sensitization Germ cell mutagenicity**No information available.
No information available.

**Carcinogenicity** The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

Not classifiable as a human carcinogen

Reproductive toxicity
STOT - single exposure
STOT - repeated exposure
No information available.
No information available.
No information available.

Target Organ Effects Eyes, Skin.

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 .

ATEmix (oral) 22573 mg/kg ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist) 156.6 mg/l

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# **Ecotoxicity**

3.17999999% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

	Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
	aluminium sulfate	-	100: 96 h Carassius auratus mg/L	136: 15 min Daphnia magna mg/L
	10043-01-3		LC50 37: 96 h Gambusia affinis	EC50
			mg/L LC50 static	

#### Persistence and degradability

No information available.

### **Bioaccumulation**

No information available.

**Mobility** 

No information available.

Other adverse effects No information available

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Disposal of wastes Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse container. Refer to all federal, state and local regulations prior to disposal of

container and unused contents by reuse, recycle or disposal.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Note: Limited quantity (LQ) exception is possible

DOT

**UN/ID no.** UN1760

Proper shipping name Corrosive liquids, n.o.s. (contains aluminum sulfate)

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group III

**TDG** 

**UN/ID no.** UN1760

Proper shipping name Corrosive liquid, n.o.s. (contains aluminum sulfate)

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group III

<u>IATA</u>

**UN/ID no.** UN1760

**Proper shipping name** Corrosive liquid, n.o.s. (contains aluminum sulfate)

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group III

<u>IMDG</u>

**UN/ID no.** UN1760

**Proper shipping name** Corrosive liquid, n.o.s. (contains aluminum sulfate)

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**International Inventories** 

TSCA Complies DSL/NDSL Complies

Legend:

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 hazardYesChronic Health HazardNoFire hazardNoSudden release of pressure hazardNoReactive HazardNo

#### **CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

	Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Ī	aluminium sulfate	5000 lb	-	-	X
-	10043-01-3				

#### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	CERCLA/SARA RQ	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
aluminium sulfate	5000 lb	=	RQ 5000 lb final RQ
10043-01-3			RQ 2270 kg final RQ

# **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
Г	aluminium sulfate	X	X	X
	10043-01-3			

### U.S. EPA Label Information

**EPA Pesticide Registration Number** This product does not contain any substances regulated as pesticides **Difference between SDS and CPSC label** 

This product is regulated under Consumer Product Safety Commission and is subject to certain labeling requirements under the Federal Hazardous Substances Act (16 CFR Part 1500). These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets and for workplace product labels.

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION. INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OF THE LAST REVISION

NFPA Health hazards 1 Flammability 0 Instability 0 Physical and Chemical

Properties -

HMIS Health hazards 1 Flammability 0 Physical hazards 0 Personal protection X

Prepared By Regulatory Affairs Revision Date Regulatory Affairs

Revision Note No information available

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