



# Spartan Chemical Company, Inc.

## WHMIS Safety Data Sheet

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### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### Product Identifier

**Product Name:** BH-38  
**Product Number:** 2038C  
**Recommended Use:** Cleaning agent  
**Uses Advised Against:** For Industrial and Institutional Use Only

**Manufacturer/Supplier:** Spartan Chemical Company, Inc.  
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Ottawa, ON, Canada K1R 0A5

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### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### GHS Classification

**Skin Corrosion/Irritation:** Category 2  
**Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation:** Category 2A

#### GHS Label Elements

**Signal Word:**

**Symbols:**

#### Warning



**Hazard Statements:** Causes skin irritation.  
Causes serious eye irritation

#### Precautionary Statements:

**Prevention:** Wash hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.  
Wear protective gloves  
Wear eye / face protection

#### **Response:**

**-Eyes** 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 attention.  
**-Skin** IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.  
**-Specific Treatment:** See Safety Data Sheet Section 4: "FIRST AID MEASURES" for additional information.

**Storage:** Not Applicable

**Disposal:** Not Applicable

**Hazards Not Otherwise Classified:** Not Applicable

#### **Other Information:**

- May be harmful if swallowed.
- Harmful if absorbed through skin.
- Inhalation of vapors or mist may cause respiratory irritation.
- Keep out of reach of children.

### 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

| Chemical Name                     | CAS No     | Weight-%  |
|-----------------------------------|------------|-----------|
| water                             | 7732-18-5  | 85.0-87.5 |
| sodium dodecylbenzene sulfonate   | 25155-30-0 | 2.5-5.0   |
| 2-butoxyethanol                   | 111-76-2   | 2.5-5.0   |
| diethylene glycol monobutyl ether | 112-34-5   | 2.5-5.0   |
| sodium tripolyphosphate           | 7758-29-4  | 1.0-2.5   |
| trisodium phosphate               | 7601-54-9  | 1.0-2.5   |

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

|                            |                                                                                                                                                                             |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>-Eye Contact:</b>       | Rinse cautiously with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention. |
| <b>-Skin Contact:</b>      | Wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention.                                 |
| <b>-Inhalation:</b>        | Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a poison control center or physician if you feel unwell.                          |
| <b>-Ingestion:</b>         | Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention if you feel unwell.                                       |
| <b>Note to Physicians:</b> | Treat symptomatically.                                                                                                                                                      |

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

|                                                               |                                                                                                                                             |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Suitable Extinguishing Media:</b>                          | Product does not support combustion. Use extinguishing agent suitable for type of surrounding fire.                                         |
| <b>Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical:</b>            | Dried product is capable of burning. Combustion products are toxic.                                                                         |
| <b>Hazardous Combustion Products:</b>                         | May include Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide and other toxic gases or vapors.                                                                |
| <b>Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters:</b> | Wear MSHA/NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and full protective gear. Cool fire-exposed containers with water spray. |

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

|                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Personal Precautions:</b>      | Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required.                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>Environmental Precautions:</b> | Do not rinse spill onto the ground, into storm sewers or bodies of water.                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>Methods for Clean-Up:</b>      | Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible absorbent material, (e.g. sand, earth, diatomaceous earth, vermiculite) and place in container for disposal according to local / national regulations (see Section 13). |

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

|                                 |                                                                                                                                 |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Advice on Safe Handling:</b> | Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash thoroughly after handling.                          |
| <b>Storage Conditions:</b>      | Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of children. Keep from freezing. |

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Occupational Exposure Limits:

| Chemical Name               | ACGIH TLV   | OSHA PEL                                                                                                                         | NIOSH                                                    |
|-----------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| 2-butoxyethanol<br>111-76-2 | TWA: 20 ppm | TWA: 50 ppm<br>TWA: 240 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>(vacated) TWA: 25 ppm<br>(vacated) TWA: 120 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>(vacated) S*<br>S* | IDLH: 700 ppm<br>TWA: 5 ppm<br>TWA: 24 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

|                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Engineering Controls:</b>           | Provide good general ventilation.<br>If work practices generate dust, fumes, gas, vapors or mists which expose workers to chemicals above the occupational exposure limits, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls should be considered. |
| <b>Personal Protective Equipment</b>   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>Eye/Face Protection:</b>            | Wear splash goggles.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>Skin and Body Protection:</b>       | Wear rubber or other chemical-resistant gloves.                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>Respiratory Protection:</b>         | Not required with expected use.<br>If occupational exposure limits are exceeded or respiratory irritation occurs, use of a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator suitable for the use-conditions and chemicals in Section 3 should be considered.                |
| <b>General Hygiene Considerations:</b> | Wash hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.<br>See 29 CFR 1910.132-138 for further guidance.                                                                                                                                               |

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

|                                        |                           |
|----------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Appearance/Physical State:</b>      | Liquid                    |
| <b>Color:</b>                          | Pink                      |
| <b>Odor:</b>                           | Mild                      |
| <b>pH:</b>                             | 12.0-12.5                 |
| <b>Melting Point / Freezing Point:</b> | No information available. |
| <b>Boiling Point / Boiling Range:</b>  | 100 °C / 212 °F           |
| <b>Flash Point:</b>                    | > 100 °C / > 212 °F       |
| <b>Evaporation Rate:</b>               | < 1                       |
| <b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>       | No information available. |
| <b>Upper Flammability Limit:</b>       | No information available. |
| <b>Lower Flammability Limit:</b>       | No information available. |
| <b>Vapor Pressure:</b>                 | No information available. |
| <b>Vapor Density:</b>                  | No information available. |
| <b>Specific Gravity:</b>               | 1.04                      |
| <b>Solubility(ies):</b>                | Soluble in water          |
| <b>Partition Coefficient:</b>          | No information available. |
| <b>Autoignition Temperature:</b>       | No information available. |
| <b>Decomposition Temperature:</b>      | No information available. |
| <b>Viscosity:</b>                      | No information available. |

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

|                                            |                                                                                                 |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Reactivity:</b>                         | This material is considered to be non-reactive under normal conditions of use.                  |
| <b>Chemical Stability:</b>                 | Stable under normal conditions.                                                                 |
| <b>Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:</b> | Not expected to occur with normal handling and storage.                                         |
| <b>Conditions to Avoid:</b>                | Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.                                                    |
| <b>Incompatible Materials:</b>             | Strong oxidizing agents. Strong acids.                                                          |
| <b>Hazardous Decomposition Products:</b>   | May include carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ) and other toxic gases or vapors. |

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

|                                            |                                                                                                       |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Likely Routes of Exposure:</b>          | Eyes, Skin, Ingestion, Inhalation.                                                                    |
| <b>Symptoms of Exposure:</b>               |                                                                                                       |
| <b>-Eye Contact:</b>                       | Pain, redness, swelling of the conjunctiva and blurred vision.                                        |
| <b>-Skin Contact:</b>                      | Pain, redness and cracking of the skin.                                                               |
| <b>-Inhalation:</b>                        | Nasal discomfort and coughing.                                                                        |
| <b>-Ingestion:</b>                         | Pain, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.                                                                  |
| <b>Immediate, Delayed, Chronic Effects</b> |                                                                                                       |
| <b>Product Information:</b>                | Data not available or insufficient for classification.                                                |
| <b>Target Organ Effects:</b>               | -Eyes. Respiratory System. -Skin. Blood. Central nervous system. hematopoietic system. kidney. Liver. |
| <b>Numerical Measures of Toxicity</b>      |                                                                                                       |

The following acute toxicity estimates (ATE) are calculated based on the GHS document.

ATEmix (oral): 6195 mg/kg  
 ATEmix (dermal): 13585 mg/kg  
 ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist): 29.7 mg/l  
 ATEmix (inhalation-vapor): 74.2 mg/l

#### Component Acute Toxicity Information

| Chemical Name                                 | Oral LD50            | Dermal LD50                                 | Inhalation LC50                               |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| water<br>7732-18-5                            | > 90 mL/kg ( Rat )   | Not Available                               | Not Available                                 |
| sodium dodecylbenzene sulfonate<br>25155-30-0 | = 438 mg/kg ( Rat )  | Not Available                               | Not Available                                 |
| 2-butoxyethanol<br>111-76-2                   | = 470 mg/kg ( Rat )  | = 2270 mg/kg ( Rat ) = 220 mg/kg ( Rabbit ) | = 2.21 mg/L ( Rat ) 4 h = 450 ppm ( Rat ) 4 h |
| diethylene glycol monobutyl ether<br>112-34-5 | = 3384 mg/kg ( Rat ) | = 2700 mg/kg ( Rabbit )                     | Not Available                                 |
| sodium tripolyphosphate<br>7758-29-4          | = 3100 mg/kg ( Rat ) | > 7940 mg/kg ( Rabbit )                     | Not Available                                 |
| trisodium phosphate<br>7601-54-9              | > 2000 mg/kg ( Rat ) | > 2 mg/kg ( Rabbit )                        | > 2.16 mg/L ( Rat ) 1 h                       |

**Carcinogenicity:** No components present at 0.1% or greater are listed as to being carcinogens by ACGIH, IARC, NTP or OSHA.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Ecotoxicity

| Chemical Name                                 | Algae/Aquatic Plants                        | Fish                                                                                        | Toxicity to Microorganisms | Crustacea                                                                       |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| sodium dodecylbenzene sulfonate<br>25155-30-0 | Not Available                               | 10.8: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static                                             | Not Available              | Not Available                                                                   |
| 2-butoxyethanol<br>111-76-2                   | Not Available                               | 1490: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static<br>2950: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 | Not Available              | 1698 - 1940: 24 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50<br>1000: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 |
| diethylene glycol monobutyl ether<br>112-34-5 | 100: 96 h Desmodesmus subspicatus mg/L EC50 | 1300: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static                                             | Not Available              | 2850: 24 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50<br>100: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50         |
| sodium tripolyphosphate<br>7758-29-4          | Not Available                               | 1650: 48 h Leuciscus idus mg/L LC50                                                         | Not Available              | Not Available                                                                   |

**Persistence and Degradability:** No information available.

**Bioaccumulation:** No information available.

**Other Adverse Effects:** No information available.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Disposal of Wastes:** Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging:** Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### TDG / DOT:

Not Regulated

#### Proper Shipping Name:

Non-Hazardous Product

#### Special Provisions:

Shipping descriptions may vary based on mode of transport, quantities, package size, and/or origin and destination. Check with a trained hazardous materials transportation expert for information specific to your situation.

#### IMDG:

Not Regulated

#### Proper Shipping Name:

Non-Hazardous Product

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION****DSL / NDSL Status:** (Domestic Substances List / Non-Domestic Substances List)

The chemical substances in this product are included on or exempt from listing on the Canadian DSL / NDSL.

**TSCA Status:** (Toxic Substance Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory)

All chemical substances in this product are included on or exempted from listing on the TSCA Inventory of Chemical Substances.

**SARA 313**

This product contains the following listed substances:

**2-butoxyethanol**

CAS No 111-76-2 applies to R-(OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>-OR', where n = 1, 2, or 3, R=Alkyl C7 or less, or R = Phenyl or Alkyl substituted phenyl, R' = H or Alkyl C7 or less, or OR' consisting of Carboxylic acid ester, Sulfate, Phosphate, Nitrate, or Sulfonate, Chemical Category N230

**diethylene glycol monobutyl ether**

CAS No 112-34-5 applies to R-(OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>-OR', where n = 1, 2, or 3, R=Alkyl C7 or less, or R = Phenyl or Alkyl substituted phenyl, R' = H or Alkyl C7 or less, or OR' consisting of Carboxylic acid ester, Sulfate, Phosphate, Nitrate, or Sulfonate, Chemical Category N230

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

|                                    |     |
|------------------------------------|-----|
| Acute Health Hazard:               | Yes |
| Chronic Health Hazard:             | Yes |
| Fire Hazard:                       | No  |
| Sudden release of pressure hazard: | No  |
| Reactive Hazard:                   | No  |

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

|             |                           |                        |                            |                     |
|-------------|---------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>NFPA</b> | <b>Health Hazards:</b> 2  | <b>Flammability:</b> 0 | <b>Instability:</b> 0      | <b>Special:</b> N/A |
| <b>HMIS</b> | <b>Health Hazards:</b> 2* | <b>Flammability:</b> 0 | <b>Physical Hazards:</b> 0 |                     |

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