Boston BioProducts, Inc

425 Fortune Blvd.

Milford, MA 01757

SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1 – PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1	PRODUCT NAME: CATALOG #:	Imidazole Buffer (0.5 M, pH 7.0) BB-2114
1.2	RECOMMENDED USE:	Research use or further manufacturing
1.3	COMPANY IDENTIFICATION:	Boston BioProducts, Inc. 425 Fortune Blvd. Milford, MA 01757
1.4	EMERGENCY CONTACT: TOLL FREE NUMBER:	1-800-535-5053 1-888-881-8691

SECTION 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture
GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Acute toxicity, oral	Category 4
Skin corrosion/ irritation	Category 1
Serious eye damage/ eye irritation	Category 1
Reproductive toxicity	Category 1

2.2 GHS Label elements, including Hazard and Precautionary Statement(s)
Pictogram

Signal word: Danger
Precautionary statements:

H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H360	May damage fertility or the unborn child.

Hazard statement(s):

P201	Obtain special instructions before use.
P202	Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
P301 + P312	IF SWALLOWED: call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician IF you feel unwell.
P303 + P361 + P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off Immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse SKIN with water/shower.
P304 + P340	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and Keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P405	Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

SECTION 3- COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Composition: 500 mM Imidazole, pH 7.00 ± 0.20.

Component	CAS Number	Concentration
Imidazole	228-32-4	3.40%
Hydrochloric Acid (6N)	7647-01-0	For pH Adjustment
Water	7732-18-5	Rest

SECTION 4 - FIRST-AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of first aid measures
General advice: Consult a doctor and show this safety data sheet.

i. **If inhaled:** Remove to fresh air and monitor breathing. If breathing becomes difficult, give oxygen. If breathing stops, give artificial respiration. Consult a doctor.

ii. **In case of skin contact:** Immediately wash skin with copious amounts of soap and water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes and wash before reuse. Consult a doctor.

iii. **In case of eye contact:** Flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Consult a doctor.

iv. **If swallowed:** Rinse mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Consult a doctor.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

4.3 Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is required.

SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media
Suitable extinguishing media: Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture: No Data Available.

5.3 Precautions for fire-fighters: Wear suitable protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes and self-contained breathing apparatus.

5.4 Further information:

Health	Flammability	Instability	Physical Hazards
3	1	0	N/A

SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Do not take action without suitable protective clothing - see section 8 of SDS. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist, dust or gas.

6.2 Environmental precautions: Do not let product enter drains.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up: Cover spillage with suitable absorbent material. Using non-spark tools, sweep up material and place in an appropriate container. Decontaminate spill site with 10% caustic solution and ventilate area until after disposal is complete. Hold all material for appropriate disposal as described under section 13 of SDS.

6.4 Reference to other sections: For required PPE see section 8. For disposal see section 13.

SECTION 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling: Use in a chemical fume hood, with air supplied by an independent system. Avoid inhalation, contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid the formation of dust and aerosols. Use in a well-ventilated area. Keep away from sources of ignition. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities: Store in cool, well-ventilated area. Keep away from direct sunlight. Keep container tightly sealed until ready for use. Keep in a dry place.

7.3 Specific end use(s): Use in a laboratory fume hood where possible

SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters
Components with workplace control parameters: Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Exposure Guidelines

Component	ACGIH TVL	ÒSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH	MEXICO OEL (TWA)
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8.2 Exposure Controls

i. **Appropriate engineering controls:** Use in a fume hood where applicable. Ensure all engineering measures described under section 7 of SDS are in place. Ensure laboratory is equipped with a safety shower and eye wash station.

8.3 Personal protective equipment

i. **Eye/face protection:** Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

ii. **Skin protection:** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166

iii. **Body Protection:** Wear appropriate protective clothing. Complete suit protecting against chemicals, the type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

iv. **Respiratory Protection:** Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

v. **Control of environmental exposure:** Do not let product enter drains

SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Clear, Colorless Liquid	**Vapor Pressure**	No Data Available
Odor	No Data Available	**Vapor Density**	No Data Available
Odor Threshold	No Data Available	**Relative Density**	No Data Available
pH	7.00 ± 0.20	**Water Solubility**	No Data Available
Melting / Freezing Point	No Data Available	**Partition Coefficient**	No Data Available
Initial Boiling Point Range	No Data Available	**Auto-Ignition Temperature**	No Data Available
Flash Point	No Data Available	**Decomposition Temperature**	No Data Available
Evaporation Rate	No Data Available	**Viscosity**	No Data Available
Flammability (Solid, Gas)	No Data Available	**Explosive Properties**	No Data Available
Upper / Lower Flammability Or Explosive Limits	No Data Available	**Oxidizing Properties**	No Data Available

SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Hazardous Decomposition Products/ Hazardous Polymerization: No Data Available.
Incompatibilities: Strong Oxidizing Agents.

SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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Acute Toxicity
Component Information

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Imidazole	**970 mg/kg (Rat)**	**-**	**-**

Toxicologically Synergistic Products: The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated

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

Irritation: Irritating to eyes

Carcinogenicity: The table below indicated whether each agency has any listed ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component	CAS No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
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SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Eco Toxicity: The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated

Component	Freshwater Algae	Freshwater Fish	Microtox	Water Flea
Imidazole	EC50: = 82 mg/L, 96h (Desmodesmus subspicatus) EC50: = 130 mg/L, 72h (Desmodesmus subspicatus)	-	= 1200 mg/L EC50 Pseudomonas putida 17 h = 231 mg/L EC50 Photobacterium phosphoreum 30 min	EC50: = 341.5 mg/L, 48h (Daphnia magna)

Persistence and degradability: No data available
Bioaccumlative potential: No data available
Mobility in soil: No data available
Results of BPT and vPvB assessment: No data available

Acute Toxicity

Component	Log Pow
Imidazole	-0.02

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment: No data available
Other adverse effects: No data available
Chronic Toxicity: There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Whatever cannot be saved for recovery or recycling should be managed in an appropriate and approved waste disposal facility. Processing, use or contamination of this product may change the waste management options.

State and local disposal regulations may differ from federal disposal regulations. Dispose of container and unused contents in accordance with federal, state and local requirements.

SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT	TDG	IATA	IMDG/IMO
UN Number: 1760 Name: Corrosive Liquid N.O.S Hazard Class: 8 Packing Group: III	UN Number: 1760 Name: Corrosive Liquid N.O.S Hazard Class: 8 Packing Group: III	UN Number: 1760 Name: Corrosive Liquid N.O.S Hazard Class: 8 Packing Group: III	UN Number: 1760 Name: Corrosive Liquid N.O.S Hazard Class: 8 Packing Group: III

SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

INTERNATIONAL INVENTORIES

TCA	DSL	NDSL	ELINCS	NLP	PICCS	ENCS	AICS	CHINA	KECL
-	Listed	-	Listed	Listed	Listed	Listed	Listed	Listed	Listed

USA Federal Regulation
USA FEDERAL REGULATIONS

SARA 311/312 HAZARDOUS CATEGORIZATION

Acute Health Hazard	Chronic Health Hazard	Fire Hazard	Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	Reactive Hazard
3	0	1	0	0

Clean Water Act/ Clean Air Act: No Data Available
Clean Air Act: Not Applicable

California Proposition 65: This product contains no Proposition 65 chemicals.

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

Component	Hazardous Substance RQs	CERCLA EHS RQs
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STATE RIGHT TO KNOW

Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
-	Listed	Listed	-	-

HMIS Rating

Health hazard	Chronic Health Hazard	Flammability	Physical Hazard
3		1	0

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NFPA Rating

Health Hazard	Fire Hazard	Reactivity Hazard
3	1	0

US DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ)	DOT MARINE POLLUTANT	DOT SEVER MARINE POLLUTANT
No	No	No

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY: This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Canada: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the SDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

This SDS complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC).

SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. Boston BioProducts, Inc shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. This product is sold for laboratory research and development purposes use only.

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