

#### MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## Section 1: CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### PRODUCT:

**Product Name:** 

ReNu Lens Rewetting Drops

**Product Description:** 

A sterile buffered, isotonic, aqueous solution

Product Code(s):

625208, 625210, 625212, 625214

Intended Use:

Moisten soft (hydrophilic) contact lenses

#### **COMPANY IDENTIFICATION:**

Bausch & Lomb, Incorporated 1400 N. Goodman Street Rochester, New York 14609

For Information: 1-800-553-5340

#### **EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER:**

24-Hour Emergency: 1-800-535-5053

## Section 2: HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

#### **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

ReNu Lens Rewetting Drops is a colorless to pale yellow. odorless liquid. This product is intended for use in the eye to rewet soft (hydrophilic) contact lenses. Follow the instructions accompanying the product carefully. If you are allergic to any ingredient in this product, DO NOT USE.

### PRECAUTIONS:

This product is recommended for the re-wetting of soft (hydrophilic) contact lenses per label instructions. If any discomfort develops, immediately discontinue use of this product. If discomfort persists, contact your eye care professional. Use in accordance with product literature.

If you are allergic to any ingredient in this product, DO NOT USE.

#### **POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS**

### EYE:

Non-irritating to the eyes when used as directed.

#### SKIN:

Non-irritating to skin or mucous membranes when used as directed.

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# Section 2: HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION (cont.)

#### INGESTION:

Small amounts (a tablespoonful) swallowed are not likely to cause injury; swallowing amounts larger than that may cause gastrointestinal irritation.

#### INHALATION:

No hazard when used as directed.

## **CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS**

No known chronic hazards.

#### **CARCINOGENICITY:**

NTP: No ingredients listed. IARC: No ingredients listed. OSHA: No ingredients listed.

# Section 3: COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CAS#	CHEMICAL IDENTITY	% W/V
110-44-1	Sorbic Acid	0.15
10043-35-3	Boric Acid	Proprietary
1303-96-4	Sodium Borate	Proprietary
6381-92-6	Edetate Disodium	0.1
11111-34-5	Poloxamine	Proprietary
7647-14-5	Sodium Chloride	Proprietary
7732-18-5	Purified Water	Balance

pH balanced with Sodium Hydroxide and/or Hydrochloric Acid.

### **Section 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### EYES:

If discomfort or irritation develops, immediately discontinue product use and contact your eye care professional.

#### SKIN:

No specific treatment is necessary since this material is not likely to be hazardous by contact with the skin or mucous membranes.

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## Section 4: FIRST AID MEASURES (cont.)

#### INGESTION:

No specific treatment is necessary since this material is not likely to be hazardous by ingestion. If large quantities are accidentally ingested (greater than a tablespoon), get medical attention immediately.

#### INHALATION:

No specific treatment is necessary since this material is not likely to be hazardous by inhalation. If exposed to excessive levels of mist, remove to fresh air and get medical attention if cough or other symptoms develop.

## **Section 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### **FLAMMABLE PROPERTIES:**

Flash Point: Non-Combustible

Method: NA

#### **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:**

Water spray, carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder or appropriate foam for surrounding fire.

#### **HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS:**

None identified.

## SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS:

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear.

### Section 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### General Information:

Contain spill and absorb with a suitable inert material, then place in a chemical waste container. Dispose of in accordance with Section 13.

#### Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### HANDLING:

No special handling is required. Use in accordance with product literature.

## STORAGE:

Store at room temperature. Use before the expiration date marked on the carton and bottle.

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## Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

		OCCUPATION OSHA PEL ACGIH TLV			NAL EXPOSURE LIMITS / NIOSH REL IRELAND				GUIDELINES HSE			
CAS#	COMPONENT NAME	TWA /		TWA /		TWA /		TWA /	** * ***	TWA /		UNITS
110-44-1	Sorbic Acid	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	N/A
10043-35-3	Boric Acid	NE	NE	2	6	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	MG/M3
1303-96-4	Sodium Borate	NE	NE	2	6	5	NE	5	NE	5	NE	MG/M3
6381-92-6	Edetate Disodium	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NA
11111-34-5	Poloxamine	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NA
7647-14-5	Sodium Chloride	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NA
7732-18-5	Purified Water	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA

N/E: Not Established

OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health Administration

N/A: Not Applicable

PPM: Parts Per Million

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety & Health

TWA: 8-Hour Time-Weighted Average STEL: Short-Term Exposure Limit

C: Ceiling Limit

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

NOTE: Limits/standards shown for guidance only. Follow applicable regulations.

### **ENGINEERING CONTROLS:**

Use with good ventilation. No special controls required under conditions of intended use.

### **RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:**

No special controls or personal protection required under conditions of intended use.

#### **EYE PROTECTION:**

No special controls or personal protection required under conditions of intended use.

## SKIN PROTECTION:

No special controls or personal protection required under conditions of intended use.

## ADDITIONAL PROTECTIVE CLOTHING & EQUIPMENT:

NA

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## Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State: Liquid

Color: Colorless to pale yellow

Odor: No Odor

Odor Threshold: Not determined

**pH-Value:** 6.4-7.2

Melting Point: Not applicable Freezing Point: Not determined Initial Boiling Point: Not determined

Flash Point: Not applicable Evaporation Rate: Not determined

Flammability (solid,gas): Not applicable Explosion Limits: Not applicable

Vapor Pressure: Not determined Vapor Density: Not determined

Specific Gravity (H<sub>2</sub>O=1): Not determined

Solubility: Soluble in water

Partition Coefficient: Not applicable
Auto-Ignition Temperature: Not applicable
Decomposition Temperature: Not determined

Viscosity: Not determined

## **Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

#### **GENERAL:**

Stable under normal conditions.

INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS AND CONDITIONS TO AVOID:

None.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:

Will not occur.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION:

None identified.

## **Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

RTECS No.:

WG2100000

Sorbic Acid

**Toxicity Data:** 

ORL-RAT

LD50: 7360 MG/KG

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## Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION (cont.)

RTECS No.:

ED4550000

**Boric Acid** 

**Toxicity Data:** 

**ORL-RAT** 

LD50: 2660 MG/KG

RTECS No.:

VZ22750000

**Sodium Borate** 

**Toxicity Data:** 

**ORL-RAT** 

LD50: 2660 MG/KG

RTECS No.:

AH4410000

**Edetate Disodium** 

**Toxicity Data:** 

**ORL-RAT** 

No LD50 listed

RTECS No.:

VZ4725000

**Sodium Chloride** 

**Toxicity Data:** 

ORL-RAT

LDLo: 3 Mg/KG

NOTE:

Only selected Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) data is presented

here. See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

## Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No data available on the environmental impact of this product.

## **Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

All disposal methods must be in compliance with all Federal, State/Provincial and local laws and regulations. Regulations may vary in different locations. Waste characterizations and compliance with applicable laws are the responsibility solely of the waste generator.

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### **Section 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

	US DOT	IATA	IMO	RID/ADR	Canadian DG
Shipping Name:	Not Regulated	Not Regulated	No Information Available	No Information Available	No Information Available
Hazard Class: UN Number:	NA NA	NA NA			
Package Group:	NA	NA			

There are no unreasonable risks (health, safety, or property), that this product would pose when transported in commerce. Hazard class definitions (49 CFR, Part 173) are not applicable to this product.

#### Section 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### OSHA HAZARD COMMUNICATION STANDARD (29 CFR 1910.1200):

ReNu Lens Rewetting Drops is considered non-hazardous under the Occupational Safety & Health Administration Hazard Communication Standard.

## TOXIC SUBSTANCE CONTROL ACT (TSCA):

CAS# 110-44-1 is listed on the TSCA Inventory.

CAS# 10043-35-3 is listed on the TSCA Inventory.

CAS# 1303-96-4 is listed on the TSCA Inventory.

CAS# 6381-92-6 is listed on the TSCA Inventory.

CAS# 7647-14-5 is listed on the TSCA Inventory.

#### SARA TITLE III (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act):

SECTION 302 (Extremely Hazardous Substances): No Components Listed

SECTION 311, 312 (Hazard Categories): N.

SECTION 313 (Toxic Chemicals): No Components Listed

#### **CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65:**

This product contains no listed substances known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm, at levels that would require a warning under the statute.

## **Section 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

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