



Safety Data Sheet

1. Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

Product identifier:

Product name: Potassium chlorate

SDS No. : 6342E-3

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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2. Hazards identification

GHS classification and label elements of the product

Classification of the substance or mixture

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Oxidizing solids: Category 2

HEALTH HAZARDS

Acute toxicity (Oral): Category 4

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Category 2B

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure: Category 2(kidney; blood)

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure: Category 3 (Respiratory tract irritation)

ENVIRONMENT HAZARDS

Hazardous to the aquatic environment (Acute): Category 2

Hazardous to the aquatic environment (Long-term): Category 2

Label elements



Signal word: Danger

HAZARD STATEMENT

May intensify fire; oxidizer

Harmful if swallowed

Causes eye irritation

May cause damage to organs(kidney; blood)

May cause respiratory irritation

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENT

Prevention

Avoid release to the environment.

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

Keep away from clothing and other combustible materials.

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Wash contaminated parts thoroughly after handling.

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



Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Response

In case of fire: Use appropriate media to extinguish.

Collect spillage.

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

IF exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

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 SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth.

Storage

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

Disposal

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/national regulation.

Specific Physical and Chemical hazards

Oxidizing material. Organic or combustible material may catch fire in contact with it.

3. Composition/information on ingredients**Mixture/Substance selection:****Substance**

Ingredient name:Potassium chlorate

Content (%):99(min)

Chemical formula:KClO3

Chemicals No, Japan:1-229

CAS No.:3811-04-9

MW:122.55

ECNO:223-289-7

Note : The figures shown above are not the specifications of the product.

4. First-aid measures**Descriptions of first-aid measures****General measures**

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

IF INHALED

Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

IF ON SKIN (or hair)

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower.

If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

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 SWALLOWED

Rinse mouth.

Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.



5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

In case of fire, use water mist, foam, dry sand to extinguish.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Inactive gas firefighting equipment

Halogenated firefighting system

Dry-powder firefighting equipment – hydrogen carbonate etc.

Dry-powder firefighting equipment – except for phosphate etc.,hydrogen carbonate etc.

Carbon dioxide extinguisher

Halogenated extinguisher

Dry-powder extinguisher – hydrogen carbonate etc.

Dry-powder extinguisher – except for phosphate etc.,hydrogen carbonate etc.

Specific hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Containers may explode when heated.

Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases.

Advice for firefighters

Specific fire-fighting measures

Evacuate non-essential personnel to safe area.

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Wear fire resistant or flame retardant clothing.

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

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus with full face piece operated positive pressure mode.

6. Accidental release measures

Personnel precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Ventilate area until material pick up is complete.

Wear proper protective equipment.

Environmental precautions

Prevent spills from entering sewers, watercourses or low areas.

Avoid raising dust.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal.

Preventive measures for secondary accident

Collect spillage.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Preventive measures

(Exposure Control for handling personnel)

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

(Protective measures against fire and explosion)

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

Keep away from clothing and other combustible materials.

(Exhaust/ventilator)

Exhaust/ventilator should be available.

(Safety treatments)

Avoid contact with skin.

Avoid contact with eyes.

**Safety Measures**

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

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

When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

Any incompatibilities

See "10.Stability and Reactivity"

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Wash contaminated parts thoroughly after handling.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Storage**Conditions for safe storage**

Keep container tightly closed.

Store in a cool, dry place. Do not store in direct sunlight.

Keep under lock and key.

Container and packaging materials for safe handling

Glass

Polyethylene

8. Exposure controls/personal protection**Control parameters****Exposure controls****Appropriate engineering controls**

Do not use in areas without adequate ventilation.

Eye wash station should be available.

Washing facilities should be available.

Individual protection measures**Respiratory protection**

Wear respiratory protection.

Hand protection

Wear protective gloves.

Eye protection

Wear eye/face protection.

9. Physical and Chemical Properties**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state: Crystals or powder

Color: Colorless or white

Odor: Odorless

Melting point/Freezing point: 368°C

Boiling point or initial boiling point: (Potassium chlorate)(decomposes) 400°C

Boiling range data is not available.

Flammability (gases, liquids and solids) data is not available.

Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit data is not available.

Flash point data is not available.

Auto-ignition temperature data is not available.

Decomposition temperature data is not available.

pH data is not available.

Kinematic viscosity data is not available.

Solubility:

Solubility in water: 7.3 g/100 ml

n-Octanol/water partition coefficient data is not available.

Vapor pressure data is not available.



Density and/or relative density: 2.3 g/cm³
Relative vapor density (Air=1) data is not available.
Particle characteristics data is not available.

10. Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity

Not available.

Chemical stability

Stable under normal storage/handling conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Decomposes above 400° C . Decomposes on contact with strong acids. This produces oxygen and toxic fumes including chlorine dioxide and chlorine. The substance is a strong oxidant. It reacts violently with combustible and reducing materials. This generates fire and explosion hazard. Attacks many metals in the presence of water. (ICSC 0548)

Conditions to avoid

Contact with incompatible materials.

Contact with fire source.

Incompatible materials

Strong acids, Reducing agents, Combustible materials

Hazardous decomposition products

Chlorine dioxide, Chlorine

11. Toxicological Information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Acute toxicity (Oral)

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

(Potassium chlorate)

rat LD50=1870mg/kg (PATTY 5th, 2001)

Irritant properties

Skin corrosion/irritation data is not available.

Serious eye damage/irritation

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

(Potassium chlorate)

eyes irritation(HSDB, 2002 et al)

Allergenic and sensitizing effects data is not available.

Mutagenic effects data is not available.

Carcinogenic effects data is not available.

Reproductive toxicity data is not available.

STOT

STOT-single exposure

[cat.2]

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

(Potassium chlorate)

kidney; blood (HSDB, 2002)

[cat.3 (resp. irrit.)]

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

(Potassium chlorate)

respiratory tract irritation (SITTIG, 4th, 2002; ICSC, 1998)

STOT-repeated exposure data is not available.

Aspiration hazard data is not available.

Information on other hazards



May cause lung disorders by massive inhalation of powdered substance.
-e.g. fibrosis of lung tissue, cough, sputum, breath shortness, dyspnea, decline of lung function, interstitial lung disease, pneumothorax

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity

Aquatic toxicity

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

Hazardous to the aquatic environment (Acute)

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

(Potassium chlorate)

Algae (Diatom) EC50=2.8mg/L/72hr (1.9 mg ClO₃⁻/L/72hr cal.) (MOE risk assessment vol.11, 2013 et al.)

Hazardous to the aquatic environment (Long-term)

[GHS Cat. Japan, base data]

(Potassium chlorate)

Algae (Dunaliella) NOEC=1.5mg/L/72hr (1mg ClO₃⁻/L/72hr cal.) (MOE risk assessment vol.11, 2013)

Water solubility

(Potassium chlorate)

7.3 g/100 ml (ICSC, 2013)

Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability data is not available.

Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential data is not available.

Mobility in soil

Mobility in soil data is not available.

Other adverse effects

Ozone depleting chemical data is not available.

13. Disposal considerations

Description of waste residues and information on their safe handling and methods of disposal, including the disposal of any contaminated packaging

Waste treatment methods

Avoid release to the environment.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/national regulation.

14. Transport Information

UN No. or ID No.: 1485

UN Proper Shipping Name :

POTASSIUM CHLORATE

Class or division (Transport hazard class) : 5.1

Packing group : II

ERG GUIDE No.: 140

IMDG Code (International Maritime Dangerous Goods Regulations)

UN No.: 1485

Proper Shipping Name :

POTASSIUM CHLORATE

Class or division : 5.1

Packing group : II

IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations



UN No.: 1485
Proper Shipping Name :
POTASSIUM CHLORATE
Class or division : 5.1
Hazard labels : Oxidizer
Packing group : II

Environmental hazards

MARPOL Annex III – Prevention of pollution by harmful substances
Marine pollutants (yes/no) : yes
MARPOL Annex V – Prevention of pollution by garbage discharge
Hazardous to the aquatic environment – long-term hazard: cat.1, 2
Potassium chlorate

15. Regulatory Information

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

Chemicals listed in TSCA Inventory

Potassium chlorate

Other regulatory information

Ensure this material in compliance with federal requirements and ensure conformity to local regulations.

16. Other information

GHS classification and labelling

Ox. Sol. 2: H272 May intensify fire; oxidizer

Acute Tox. 4: H302 Harmful if swallowed

Eye Irrit. 2B: H320 Causes eye irritation

STOT SE 2: H371 May cause damage to organs

STOT SE 3: H335 May cause respiratory irritation

Aquatic Acute 2: H401 Toxic to aquatic life

Aquatic Chronic 2: H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

Reference Book

Globally Harmonized System of classification and labelling of chemicals, UN

Recommendations on the TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS 21th edit., 2019 UN

IMDG Code, 2018 Edition (Incorporating Amendment 39-18)

IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations (62nd Edition) 2021

2020 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK (US DOT)

2021 TLVs and BEIs. (ACGIH)

Supplier's data/information

General Disclaimer

This data sheet was created based on the information we currently have and may be revised according to new information. In addition, the precautions apply only to normal handling, and in the case of special handling, please make adequate countermeasure to maintain your safety.

The data given here is based on current knowledge and experience. The purpose of this Safety Data Sheet is to describe the products in terms of their safety requirements. The data does not signify any warranty with regard to the products' properties.

The GHS classification data given here is based on current Japan official data (NITE published in 2020).