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# **POTASSIUM CHLORIDE**

# **SECTION 1: PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION**

Product Name: Potassium chloride Product Code: TMB 061 CAS#: 7447-40-7 Synonym: Not available. Chemical Name: Not available. Chemical Formula: KCl Formula Weight: 74.55

# SECTION 2: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Composition: Name: Potassium chloride Toxicological Data on Ingredients: Not available.

## **SECTION 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Classification of the substance or mixture: Not a hazardous substance or mixture according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008. Potential Acute Health Effects: Not available. Potential Chronic Health Effects: Not available. Mutagenic Effects: Not available. Teratogenic Effects: Not available. Developmental Toxicity: Not available. Specific target organ toxicity - Not available.

# **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

**Eye Contact:** Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

**Skin Contact:** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. Cover the irritated skin with emollient. Immediate medical attention is required.

Serious Skin Contact: Not available.

**Inhalation:** If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

Serious Inhalation: Not Available.

**Ingestion:** Do Not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. Get medical attention if symptoms appear.

Serious Ingestion: Not available.

### **SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Suitable extinguishing media Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture Hydrogen chloride gas Potassium oxides



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### Not combustible.

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

### Advice for firefighters

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

### SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal precautions and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

### **Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

# Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

#### **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### Precautions for safe handling

Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Storage conditions: Tightly closed. Dry. hygroscopic. Storage class: Not available.

# SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Eye/face protection

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

#### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product.

### **Respiratory protection**

Respiratory protection is not required. If protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

# **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Physical state and appearance	:	Crystalline, powder
Odor	:	Odorless
Color	:	White
Molecular Weight	:	Not available
рН	:	Not available
Boiling Point	:	Not available
Melting Point	:	303- 307 °C
Critical Temperature	:	Not available
Specific Gravity	:	Not available



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Vapor Pressure Vapor Density	:	Not available Not available
Volatility	:	Not available
Odor Threshold	:	Not available
Water/Oil Dist. Coeff.	:	Not available
Ionicity (in Water)	:	Not available
Dispersion Properties	:	Not available
Solubility	:	Not available

### SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY DATA

Stability: The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature).
Instability Temperature: Not available
Conditions of Instability: Not available.
Incompatibility with various substances: Not available.
Special Remarks on Corrosivity: Non-corrosive.
Special Remarks on Reactivity: Not available
Possibility of hazardous reactions: Not available.
Hazardous decomposition products: In event of fire.

### SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION.

Acute Toxicity: LD50 Oral - Rat - 3.250 mg/kg Inhalation: Not available Dermal: Not available Routes of Entry: Not available Toxicity to Animals: Not available Chronic Effects on Humans: Not available Other Toxic Effects on Humans: Not available Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals: Not available Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans: Not available Reproductive toxicity: Not available

# SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity:Toxicity to fishLC50 - Danio rerio (zebra fish) -> 992 mg/l - 96 hToxicity to daphniaEC50 - Daphnia -> 919 mg/l - 48 hand other aquaticinvertebratesToxicity to algaeEC50 - Skeletonema costatum (marine diatom) -> 1.000 mg/l - 72 hBOD and COD: Not availableProducts of Biodegradation:Not availableToxicity of the Products of Biodegradation:Not availableSpecial Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation:Not Available

### **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Waste Disposal:** Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local environmental control regulations.





### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

IMDG:	IATA:
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### **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture This material safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006. Chemical Safety Assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

### **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

References: Full text of H AND R-Statements: Not available. Other Special Considerations: Not available

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