



SAFETY DATA SHEET

[Required under safety and health regulations for shipping and handling]

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SECTION 1. ----- PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION-----

Product Name Potassium bicarbonate
Product Code(s) PT1195
Recommended Use For Laboratory Research Use Only
Not for Human or Animal Drug Use

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SECTION 2. ----- HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION -----

Classification of the substance or mixture

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

SECTION 3. ----- COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS -----

Chemical Name	EC No.	CAS-No	Weight %
Potassium hydrogen carbonate	206-059-0	298-14-6	<100

No components need to be disclosed according to the applicable regulations.

SECTION 4. ----- FIRST-AID MEASURES-----

Description of first aid measures

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2) and/or in section 11

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data 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

Carbon oxides, Potassium oxides

Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

Further information

No data available

SECTION 6. ----- ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES-----

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas.

Environmental precautions

No special environmental precautions required.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

SECTION 7. ----- HANDLING AND STORAGE-----

Precautions for safe handling

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Storage class (TRGS 510): 13: Non Combustible Solids

Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1 no other specific uses are stipulated

SECTION 8. ----- EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION-----

Appropriate engineering controls

General industrial hygiene practice.

Personal protective equipment

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. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

Splash contact
Material: Nitrile rubber
Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm
Break through time: 480 min
Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method: EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

Body Protection

Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) 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).

Control of environmental exposure

No special environmental precautions required.

SECTION 9. - - - - - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES - - - - -

Appearance

Form	granular
Colour	white

Safety data

pH	8.2 at 10.01 g/l
Melting point/freezing point	Decomposes before melting.
Boiling point	no data available
Flash point	no data available
Ignition temperature	no data available
Auto-ignition temperature	no data available
Lower explosion limit	no data available
Upper explosion limit	no data available
Relative density	2.17 g/cm ³ at 20 °C (68 °F)
Vapour pressure	no data available
Density	no data available
Water solubility	362 g/l at 25 °C (77 °F)
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	no data available

Relative vapour density no data available
Odour Odourless
Decomposition Temp. 100 °C (212 °F) - Decomposes before melting.
Evaporation rate no data available

SECTION 10. ----- STABILITY AND REACTIVITY -----

Reactivity

No data available

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

Conditions to avoid

No data available

Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids

Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Potassium oxides

Other decomposition products - No data available In the event of fire: see section 5

SECTION 11. ----- TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION -----

Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - > 2,000 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 401)

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - > 2,000 mg/kg

(OECD Test Guideline 402)

No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: No skin irritation

(Patch Test 24 Hrs.)

Remarks: No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Mild eye irritation

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Buehler Test - Guinea pig

Result: Did not cause sensitisation on laboratory animals.

(OECD Test Guideline 406)

Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

Reproductive toxicity

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure No data available

Aspiration hazard
No data available

Additional Information
RTECS: Not available

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

SECTION 12. ----- ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION -----

Toxicity

Toxicity to fish flow-through test LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 1,300 mg/l - 96 h

Toxicity to daphnia static test EC50 - Daphnia (water flea) - 630 mg/l- 48 h
and other aquatic
invertebrates

Persistence and degradability

The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

Bioaccumulative potential

Does not bioaccumulate.

Mobility in soil

No data available

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

Other adverse effects

No data available

SECTION 13. ----- DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS -----

Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

SECTION 14. ----- TRANSPORT INFORMATION -----

DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

IMDG

Not dangerous goods

IATA

Not dangerous goods

SECTION 15. ----- REGULATORY INFORMATION -----

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Hazardous Products

Regulations (HPR) and the SDS contains all the information required by the HPR.

SECTION 16. ----- OTHER INFORMATION-----

Further information: no limited for paper copy, just for internal uses.
For research use only. Not intended for human or animal diagnostic or therapeutic uses.

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