

Safety Data Sheet

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**SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION** 

<u>Product Identifier</u> <u>Product Form:</u> Mixture

Product Name: Potassium Chloride By-Product Solution

**Intended Use of the Product** 

Name, Address, and Telephone of the Responsible Party

Manufacturer

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Version: 1.0

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#### **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**Classification of the Substance or Mixture** 

Classification (GHS-US)

Not classified

**Label Elements** 

GHS-US Labeling No labeling applicable

**Other Hazards** 

Other Hazards Not Contributing to the Classification: Not available

Unknown Acute Toxicity (GHS-US) Not available

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS				
Name	Product identifier	% (w/w)	Classification (GHS-US)	
Water	(CAS No) 7732-18-5	60 - 100	Not classified	
Potassium chloride	(CAS No) 7447-40-7	5 – 10, 10 - 30	Not classified	

The specific chemical identity and/or exact percentage of composition have been withheld as a trade secret [29 CFR 1910.1200]. More than one of the ranges of concentration prescribed by the Controlled Products Regulations has been used where necessary, due

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to varying composition.

#### **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

## **Description of First Aid Measures**

**General:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

**Inhalation:** Using proper respiratory protection, immediately move the exposed person to fresh air. Keep at rest and in a position comfortable for breathing. Seek immediate medical advice.

**Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing. Drench affected area with water for at least 15 minutes. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Eye Contact:** Immediately rinse with water for a prolonged period (at least 15 minutes) while holding the eyelids wide open. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Ingestion: If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label. Rinse mouth.

#### Most Important Symptoms and Effects Both Acute and Delayed

General: None expected under normal conditions of use.

Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation. Symptoms may be delayed.

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**Skin Contact:** May cause skin irritation. **Eye Contact:** May cause eye irritation.

**Ingestion:** Ingestion is likely to be harmful or have adverse effects.

Chronic Symptoms: Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause dermatitis and defatting.

Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

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

### **Extinguishing Media**

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: Do not use water jet. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

#### **Special Hazards Arising From the Substance or Mixture**

Fire Hazard: Not flammable.

**Explosion Hazard:** Product is not explosive.

Reactivity: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.

#### **Advice for Firefighters**

Precautionary Measures Fire: Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.

Firefighting Instructions: Do not get water inside containers. Do not apply water stream directly at source of leak.

**Protection During Firefighting:** Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

**Hazardous Combustion Products**: Not available

Other Information: Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

#### **Reference to Other Sections**

Refer to section 9 for flammability properties.

## **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### **Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures**

**General Measures:** Avoid all contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Do not breathe dust. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

# **For Non-Emergency Personnel**

Protective Equipment: Use recommended respiratory protection. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

Emergency Procedures: Stop leak if safe to do so. Eliminate ignition sources. Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

### **For Emergency Personnel**

**Protective Equipment:** Use recommended respiratory protection. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

Emergency Procedures: Stop leak if safe to do so. Eliminate ignition sources. Ventilate area.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

Do not allow to enter drains or water courses. Avoid release to the environment.

#### Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

For Containment: Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams.

Methods for Cleaning Up: Collect spillage. Clear up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely.

### Reference to Other Sections

See heading 8, Exposure Controls and Personal Protection.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### **Precautions for Safe Handling**

**Hygiene Measures:** Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, or smoking and again when leaving work. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures.

#### **Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities**

**Storage Conditions:** Store in original container or corrosive resistant and/or lined container. Store in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store away from other materials.

**Incompatible Materials:** Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizers.

## Specific End Use(s)

For professional use only.

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# SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Control Parameters**

For substances listed in section 3 that are not listed here, there are no established Exposure limits from the manufacturer, supplier, importer, or the appropriate advisory agency including: ACGIH (TLV), NIOSH (REL), OSHA (PEL), Canadian provincial governments, or the Mexican government.

#### **Exposure Controls**

Appropriate Engineering Controls Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Personal Protective Equipment: Gloves. Protective goggles.

Materials for Protective Clothing: Chemically resistant materials and fabrics.

Hand Protection: Wear chemically resistant protective gloves.

Eye Protection: Chemical goggles or safety glasses.

**Skin and Body Protection:** Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory Protection: If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH approved respiratory protection should

be worn.

Other Information: When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

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

#### **Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties**

Physical State : Liquid

Appearance : Clear to white colored solution

Odor : None

Odor Threshold : Not available

**pH** : 5 - 6.5

**Melting Point** Not applicable **Freezing Point** 0 °C (32 °F) **Boiling Point** 100 °C (212 °F) **Flash Point** Not applicable **Auto-ignition Temperature** Not applicable **Decomposition Temperature** Not available Flammability (solid, gas) Not flammable **Lower Flammable Limit** Not applicable **Upper Flammable Limit** Not applicable **Vapor Pressure** Not available Relative Vapor Density at 20 °C Not available **Relative Density** Not available **Specific Gravity** 1.01 - 1.25 Solubility 100%

Partition Coefficient: N-Octanol/Water : Not available
Viscosity : Not available

Explosion Data – Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact : Not expected to present an explosion hazard due to mechanical impact. Explosion Data – Sensitivity to Static Discharge : Not expected to present an explosion hazard due to static discharge.

## **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**Reactivity:** Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.

**Chemical Stability:** Stable at standard temperature and pressure.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Extremely high or low temperatures.

**Incompatible Materials:** Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizers. **Hazardous Decomposition Products:** Potassium oxides. Chlorine oxides.

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## **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# **Information on Toxicological Effects - Product**

Acute Toxicity: Not classified
LD50 and LC50 Data: Not available
Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Not classified
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation: Not classified
Respiratory or Skin Sensitization: Not classified

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Not classified

**Teratogenicity:** Not available **Carcinogenicity:** Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure): Not classified

Reproductive Toxicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure): Not classified

**Aspiration Hazard:** Not classified

Potential Adverse Human Health Effects and Symptoms: Harmful if swallowed.

Symptoms/Injuries After Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation. Symptoms may be delayed.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Skin Contact:** May cause skin irritation. **Symptoms/Injuries After Eye Contact:** May cause eye irritation.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Ingestion:** Ingestion is likely to be harmful or have adverse effects. **Chronic Symptoms:** Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause dermatitis and defatting.

Information on Toxicological Effects - Ingredient(s)

LD50 and LC50 Data:

Potassium chloride (7447-40-7)	
LD50 Oral Rat	2600 mg/kg

## **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **Toxicity Not classified**

Potassium chloride (7447-40-7)	
LC50 Fish 1	1060 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Lepomis macrochirus [static])
EC50 Daphnia 1	825 mg/l (Exposure time: 48 h - Species: Daphnia magna)
LC 50 Fish 2	750 - 1020 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Pimephales promelas [static])

#### **Persistence and Degradability**

Potassium Chloride By-Product Solution	
Persistence and Degradability	Not established.

### **Bioaccumulative Potential**

Potassium Chloride By-Product Solution	
Bioaccumulative Potential	Not established.

Mobility in Soil Not available

Other Adverse Effects Not available

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

**Waste Disposal Recommendations:** Dispose of waste material in accordance with all local, regional, national, provincial, territorial and international regulations.

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

14.1 In Accordance with DOT Not regulated for transport

14.2 In Accordance with IMDG Not regulated for transport

14.3 In Accordance with IATA Not regulated for transport

14.4 In Accordance with TDG Not regulated for transport

## **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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#### Potassium chloride (7447-40-7)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

## **US State Regulations**

## **Canadian Regulations**

Potassium Chloride By-Product Solution		
WHMIS Classification	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria	
Potassium chloride (7447-40-7)		
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)		
WHMIS Classification	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria	

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

# SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OR LAST REVISION

Revision date : 05/01/15
Indication of Changes : Revision date

Other Information : This document has been prepared in accordance with the SDS requirements of the OSHA

Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

#### **GHS Full Text Phrases:**

## Party Responsible for the Preparation of This Document

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