# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

Product identifier

Product Name POTASSIUM PERCHLORATE

**Product Code(s)** 000000053972

Other means of identification

UN number 1489

**CAS No.** 7778-74-7

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use**General chemical. Industrial applications.

**Uses advised against** No information available.

<u>Supplier</u>

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## Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number 1 800 033 111 (ALL HOURS)

Please ensure you refer to the limitations of this Safety Data Sheet as set out in the "Other Information" section at the end of this Data Sheet.

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## GHS Classification

Classified as dangerous goods in accordance with the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (ADG).

Classified as a hazardous chemical in accordance with the criteria of Safe Work Australia - Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

Oxidizing solids	Category 1
Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2

#### SIGNAL WORD

Danger

#### Label elements



#### **Hazard statements**

H271 - May cause fire or explosion; strong oxidizer

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

## **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

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

Keep/Store away from clothing/ combustible materials

Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles

Wash hands thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Wear eye/face protection

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 ON CLOTHING: Rinse immediately contaminated clothing and skin with plenty of water before removing clothes

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth

In case of fire: Use extinguishing media as outlined in Section 5 of this Safety Data Sheet for extinction.

In case of major fire and large quantities: Evacuate area. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion

#### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

No storage statements

## **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations as applicable

# Other hazards which do not result in classification Poisons Schedule (SUSMP) None allocated

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### Substance

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Potassium Perchlorate	7778-74-7	90-100

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### **Description of first aid measures**

**General advice** Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Emergency telephone number Poisons Information Center, Australia: 13 11 26

Poisons Information Center, New Zealand: 0800 764 766

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If breathing is

difficult, (trained personnel should) give oxygen. If breathing is irregular or stopped,

administer artificial respiration. Call a physician if symptoms occur.

Eye contact Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids.

Consult a physician.

**Skin contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water. Call a physician if symptoms occur.

Ingestion Clean mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give

anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

#### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Irritation.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** 

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Flood fire area with water from a distance.

Unsuitable extinguishing media No information available.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

Promotes the combustion (oxidizer). Can cause fire and explosion when in contact with flammable substances. Any material contaminated with the product (e.g. clothes) ignites easily and burns vigorously - increased fire hazard.

#### Special protective actions for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout

gear. Use personal protection equipment.

Hazchem code 1Y

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Avoid contact with skin, eyes and inhalation of vapors. Ensure adequate ventilation. Do not

touch or walk through spilled material. Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use personal protective equipment as required. Wash thoroughly

after handling.

**Environmental precautions** 

**Environmental precautions** See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up

Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE). Carefully shovel or sweep up spilled

material and place in suitable container. Avoid generating dust. Use non-sparking tools.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

## Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Avoid generation of dust. Do not breathe dust.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Use personal protection equipment.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

## Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Protect from

moisture. Store away from sources of heat or ignition. Keep container closed when not in

use.

Aluminium. Charcoal. Fluorine. Magnesium. Combustible material. Reducing agents. Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Alcohols.

Poisons Schedule (SUSMP) None allocated

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Control parameters**

**Exposure Limits** No value assigned for this specific material by Safe Work Australia. However, Workplace

Exposure Standard(s) for particulates:

Dusts not otherwise classified: 8hr TWA = 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

As published by Safe Work Australia Workplace Exposure Standards for Airborne Contaminants.

TWA - The time-weighted average airborne concentration of a particular substance when calculated over an eight-hour working day, for a five-day working week.

These Workplace Exposure Standards are guides to be used in the control of occupational health hazards. All atmospheric contamination should be kept to as low a level as is workable. These workplace exposure standards should not be used as fine dividing lines between safe and dangerous concentrations of chemicals. They are not a measure of relative toxicity.

#### **Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering controls** Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

> If in the handling and application of this material, safe exposure levels could be exceeded, the use of engineering controls such as local exhaust ventilation must be considered and the results documented. If achieving safe exposure levels does not require engineering controls, then a detailed and documented risk assessment using the relevant Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) (refer to PPE section below) as a basis must be carried out to

determine the minimum PPE requirements.

## Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

The selection of PPE is dependent on a detailed risk assessment. The risk assessment should consider the work situation, the physical form of the chemical, the handling methods, and environmental factors.

OVERALLS, SAFETY SHOES, CHEMICAL GOGGLES, GLOVES, DUST MASK.











Eye/face protection Goggles.

**Skin and body protection** Overalls. Wear suitable protective clothing. Boots.

Hand protection Impervious gloves.

Respiratory protection If determined by a risk assessment an inhalation risk exists, wear a dust mask/respirator

meeting the requirements of AS/NZS 1715 and AS/NZS 1716.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Solid

**Appearance** No information available.

Color White Odor Odourless

Odor threshold No information available.

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

No data available pН None known 400°C Melting point / freezing point None known Boiling point / boiling range None known No data available Flash point No data available None known **Evaporation rate** No data available None known Flammability (solid, gas) No data available None known Flammability Limit in Air None known

Upper flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Lower flammability or explosive No data available

limits

No data available Vapor pressure None known Vapor density 4.8 (air=1) None known Relative density 2.52 None known Water solubility 15 g/L None known No data available Solubility(ies) None known None known **Partition coefficient** No data available **Autoignition temperature** No data available None known **Decomposition temperature** No data available None known No data available Kinematic viscosity None known Dynamic viscosity No data available None known

Other information

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

**Reactivity** Oxidizer. Hygroscopic.

**Chemical stability** 

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact Yes.

Sensitivity to static discharge None.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions Non-combustible, substance itself does not burn but may react upon heating to produce

corrosive and/or toxic fumes.

**Hazardous polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Conditions to avoid

**Conditions to avoid** Heat, flames and sparks. Protect from moisture.

**Incompatible materials** 

Incompatible materials Aluminium. Charcoal. Fluorine. Magnesium. Combustible material. Reducing agents.

Strong acids. Alcohols.

**Hazardous decomposition products** 

Hazardous decomposition products Potassium oxides. Chlorine. Hydrogen chloride.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Acute toxicity**

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

**Product Information**No adverse health effects expected if the chemical is handled in accordance with this

Safety Data Sheet and the chemical label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the

chemical is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

**Inhalation** May cause irritation.

**Eye contact** Causes serious eye irritation.

**Skin contact** May cause irritation.

**Ingestion** Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

Symptoms Irritation.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

No information available.

## Numerical measures of toxicity - Component Information

See section 16 for terms and abbreviations

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Skin corrosion/irritation** No information available.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Causes serious eye irritation.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization** No information available.

Germ cell mutagenicity No information available.

**Carcinogenicity** No information available.

Reproductive toxicity No information available.

**STOT - single exposure** No information available.

**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available.

**Aspiration hazard** No information available.

**Chronic effects:** Long term overexposure to perchlorates may result in anaemia.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity** 

**Ecotoxicity** Keep out of waterways.

Persistence and degradability

**Persistence and degradability** No information available.

Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** 

Mobility in soil No information available.

Other adverse effects

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with

environmental legislation.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

#### ADG

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for Transport by Road and Rail; DANGEROUS GOODS.

UN number 1489

Proper shipping name POTASSIUM PERCHLORATE

Hazard class 5.1
Packing group II
Hazchem code 1Y

### **IATA**

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air; DANGEROUS GOODS.

UN number 1489

UN proper shipping name POTASSIUM PERCHLORATE

Transport hazard class(es) 5.1
Packing group

#### <u>IMDG</u>

Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea; DANGEROUS GOODS.

UN number 1489

UN proper shipping name POTASSIUM PERCHLORATE

Transport hazard class(es) 5.1
Packing group

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

## **National regulations**

#### Australia

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Classified as a hazardous chemical in accordance with the criteria of Safe Work Australia - Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

See section 8 for national exposure control parameters

Poisons Schedule (SUSMP) None allocated

## International Inventories

AICS This material is listed on the Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals.

#### Legend:

- Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals

### **International Regulations**

The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer Not applicable

The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants Not applicable

The Rotterdam Convention Not applicable

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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#### **Revision Note:**

The symbol (\*) in the margin of this SDS indicates that this line has been revised.

#### Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value \* Skin designation

C Carcinogen

#### Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)

World Health Organization

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