

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. Identification

Product Name Potassium fluoride

Cat No. : AC201350000; AC201350010; AC201350025; AC201350250;
AC201352500; AC201355000

CAS-No 7789-23-3
Synonyms No information available

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.
Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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| Acute oral toxicity | Category 3 |
| Acute dermal toxicity | Category 3 |
| Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Dusts and Mists | Category 3 |
| Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation | Category 1 |

Label Elements

Signal Word
Danger

Hazard Statements
Causes serious eye damage
Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

Skin

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell
 Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing
 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

Eyes

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

Ingestion

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
 Rinse mouth

Storage

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

Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

| Component | CAS-No | Weight % |
|--------------------|-----------|----------|
| Potassium fluoride | 7789-23-3 | >95 |

4. First-aid measures

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| Eye Contact | Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required. |
| Skin Contact | Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required. |
| Inhalation | Remove to fresh air. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Immediate medical attention is required. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. |
| Ingestion | Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. |

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| Most important symptoms and effects | Causes eye burns. Causes severe eye damage. |
| Notes to Physician | Treat symptomatically |

5. Fire-fighting measures

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| Suitable Extinguishing Media | Substance is nonflammable; use agent most appropriate to extinguish surrounding fire. |
| Unsuitable Extinguishing Media | No information available |
| Flash Point | No information available |
| Method - | No information available |
| Autoignition Temperature | No information available |
| Explosion Limits | |
| Upper | No data available |
| Lower | No data available |
| Oxidizing Properties | Not oxidising |
| Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact | No information available |
| Sensitivity to Static Discharge | No information available |

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

Hazardous Combustion Products

Hydrogen fluoride.

Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

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| Health | Flammability | Instability | Physical hazards |
|--------|--------------|-------------|------------------|
| 3 | 0 | 1 | N/A |

6. Accidental release measures

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| Personal Precautions | Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid dust formation. |
| Environmental Precautions | Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. |

Methods for Containment and Clean Up Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

7. Handling and storage

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| Handling | Use only under a chemical fume hood. Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid dust formation. Do not breathe (dust, vapor, mist, gas). Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance. |
| Storage | Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. |

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines

| Component | ACGIH TLV | OSHA PEL | NIOSH IDLH | Mexico OEL (TWA) |
|--------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|----------------------------|
| Potassium fluoride | TWA: 2.5 mg/m ³ | (Vacated) TWA: 2.5 mg/m ³ | IDLH: 250 mg/m ³ TWA: 2.5 mg/m ³ | TWA: 2.5 mg/m ³ |

Legend

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Engineering Measures Use only under a chemical fume hood. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Personal Protective Equipment

- Eye/face Protection** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.
- Skin and body protection** Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.
- Respiratory Protection** Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.
- Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. Physical and chemical properties

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| Physical State | Solid |
| Appearance | White |
| Odor | Odorless |
| Odor Threshold | No information available |
| pH | 8-9 @ 20°C 50 g/l aq.sol |
| Melting Point/Range | 860 °C / 1580 °F |
| Boiling Point/Range | 1505 °C / 2741 °F @ 760 mmHg |
| Flash Point | No information available |
| Evaporation Rate | Not applicable |
| Flammability (solid,gas) | No information available |
| Flammability or explosive limits | |
| Upper | No data available |
| Lower | No data available |
| Vapor Pressure | No information available |
| Vapor Density | Not applicable |
| Specific Gravity | 2.48 g/cm ³ @20°C |
| Solubility | Soluble in water |
| Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water | No data available |
| Autoignition Temperature | No information available |
| Decomposition Temperature | No information available |
| Viscosity | Not applicable |
| Molecular Formula | F K |
| Molecular Weight | 58.09 |

10. Stability and reactivity

- Reactive Hazard** None known, based on information available
- Stability** Stable under normal conditions. Hygroscopic.
- Conditions to Avoid** Incompatible products. Excess heat. Avoid dust formation. Exposure to moist air or water.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids, Glass

Hazardous Decomposition Products Hydrogen fluoride

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Hazardous Reactions Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.

11. Toxicological information

Acute Toxicity

Product Information Component Information

| Component | LD50 Oral | LD50 Dermal | LC50 Inhalation |
|--------------------|--------------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| Potassium fluoride | LD50 = 245 mg/kg (Rat) | Not listed | Not listed |

Toxicologically Synergistic Products No information available

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

Irritation Causes eye burns

Sensitization No information available

Carcinogenicity The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

| Component | CAS-No | IARC | NTP | ACGIH | OSHA | Mexico |
|--------------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Potassium fluoride | 7789-23-3 | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed | Not listed |

Mutagenic Effects No information available

Reproductive Effects No information available.

Developmental Effects No information available.

Teratogenicity No information available.

STOT - single exposure None known

STOT - repeated exposure None known

Aspiration hazard No information available

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed No information available

Endocrine Disruptor Information No information available

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

Do not empty into drains.

| Component | Freshwater Algae | Freshwater Fish | Microtox | Water Flea |
|--------------------|------------------|--|------------|------------|
| Potassium fluoride | Not listed | LC50: = 9.3 mg/L, 96h (Ctenopharyngodon idella) | Not listed | Not listed |

Persistence and Degradability Soluble in water Persistence is unlikely based on information available.

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation No information available.

Mobility Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

| Component | log Pow |
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| Potassium fluoride | -0.77 |

13. Disposal considerations

Waste Disposal Methods Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

14. Transport information

DOT

UN-No UN1812
 Proper Shipping Name POTASSIUM FLUORIDE, SOLID
 Hazard Class 6.1
 Packing Group III

TDG

UN-No UN1812
 Proper Shipping Name POTASSIUM FLUORIDE, SOLID
 Hazard Class 6.1
 Packing Group III

IATA

UN-No UN1812
 Proper Shipping Name POTASSIUM FLUORIDE, SOLID
 Hazard Class 6.1
 Packing Group III

IMDG/IMO

UN-No UN1812
 Proper Shipping Name POTASSIUM FLUORIDE, SOLID
 Hazard Class 6.1
 Packing Group III

15. Regulatory information

United States of America Inventory

| Component | CAS-No | TSCA | TSCA Inventory notification - Active/Inactive | TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags |
|--------------------|-----------|------|---|-----------------------------|
| Potassium fluoride | 7789-23-3 | X | ACTIVE | - |

Legend:

TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

X - Listed

'-' - Not Listed

TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export Not applicable

International Inventories

Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Australia (AICS), China (IECSC), Korea (ECL).

| Component | CAS-No | DSL | NDSL | EINECS | PICCS | ENCS | AICS | IECSC | KECL |
|--------------------|-----------|-----|------|-----------|-------|------|------|-------|----------|
| Potassium fluoride | 7789-23-3 | X | - | 232-151-5 | X | X | X | X | KE-29114 |

U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313 Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

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|---|---|
| CWA (Clean Water Act) | Not applicable |
| Clean Air Act | Not applicable |
| OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration | Not applicable |
| CERCLA | Not applicable |
| California Proposition 65 | This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals. |

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

| Component | Massachusetts | New Jersey | Pennsylvania | Illinois | Rhode Island |
|--------------------|---------------|------------|--------------|----------|--------------|
| Potassium fluoride | - | X | - | - | X |

U.S. Department of Transportation

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| Reportable Quantity (RQ): | N |
| DOT Marine Pollutant | N |
| DOT Severe Marine Pollutant | N |

U.S. Department of Homeland Security This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade No information available

16. Other information

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