# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), Annex II (COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) No 2015/830)

Version 1

Product Name Potassium sorbate

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# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance /mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product Name Potassium sorbate

CAS No 24634-61-5

REACH registration number 01-2119950315-41-\*\*\*\*

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended Use Food/feed additive, preservative also in Pharma/chemical/cosmetics field

Uses advised against No information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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## 1.4. Emergency telephone number

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# SECTION 2. Hazards identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2 - (H315)

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2 - (H319)

## 2.2. Label elements

## Symbols/Pictograms



Signal word

Hazard Statements H315 - Causes skin irritation

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

**Precautionary Statements** 

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

P302 + P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water P332 + P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P337 + P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

#### 2.3. Other hazards

No information available

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1 Substances

Chemical Name	EC No	CAS No	Weight %	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
Potassium sorbate	246-376-1	24634-61-5	>98	Skin Irrit. 2
				Eye Irrit. 2

# SECTION 4: First aid measures

# 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### General advice

Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

#### Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove viction to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Get medical advice/attention if you fee! unwell.

#### **Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Wash contaminated clothes and shoes. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.

# Eye contact

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.

#### Ingestion

Rinse mouth Get medical attention Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person

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

Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

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# **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Water (spray - not splash)

Dry extinguishing powder Alcohol resistant foam Carbon dioxide

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Do not use water jet.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors

# 5.3. Advice for firefighters

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

Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. Do not allow entering d ains or surface water.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

# 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Evacuate personnel to safe areas

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas

ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area)

Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing

Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace

Avoid generation of dust

Do not breathe dust

Use personal protection recommended in Section 8

Wash thoroughly after handling

## 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment

# 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Use protective equipment while cleaning if necessary.

Avoid dust formation. Dust formation that cannot be avoided must be collected regularly.

Use a tested industrial vacuum cleaner or suction device.

Do not raise dust while cleaning.

Use of a blower for cleaning is not permitted. Use protective equipment while cleaning if necessary.

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## 6.4. Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for more information

See section 8 for more information

See section 13 for more information

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Take care to maintain clean working place.

Do not leave container open.

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Sufficient ventilation must be guaranteed for refilling, transfer, or open use.

Avoid spillage.

Fill only into labelled container.

Avoid rising dust.

# 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Do not use any food containers - risk of mistake.

Containers have to be labelled clearly and permanently.

Store in the original container as much as possible.

Keep container tightly closed.

Recommended storage at room temperature.

Store in a dry place.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in SECTION 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

No data available.

#### **Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)**

No information available.

## **Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)**

No information available.

# 8.2. Exposure controls

#### **Engineering Controls**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Showers. Eyewash stations. Remove all sources of ignition.

#### Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Sufficient eye protection must be worn.

Wear glasses with side protection.

Hand Protection Use protective gloves. The glove material must be sufficiently impermeable and

esistant to the substance. Check the tightness before wear. Gloves should be well cleaned before being removed, then stored in a well ventilated location.

Pay attention to skin care.

Skin protection cremes do not protect sufficiently against the substance.

Textile or leather gloves are completely unsuitable.

The following information is valid for aqueous, saturated solutions of the salt. The following materials are suitable for protective gloves (Permeation time >= 8

hours):

Natural rubber/Natural latex - NR (0.5 mm) (use non-powdered and allergen

free products)

Polychloroprene - CR (0.5 mm)

Nitrile rubber/Nitrile latex - NBR (0.35 mm)

Butyl rubber - Butyl (0.5 mm)

Fluoro carbon rubber - FKM (0.4 mm) Polyvinyl chloride - PVC (0.5 mm)

Skin and body protection Depending on the risk, wear a tight protective clothing or a suitable chemical

protection suit.

Respiratory protection In an emergency (e.g.: unintentional release of the substance) respiratory

protection must be worn. Consider the maximum period for wear.

Respiratory protection: Particle filter P2 or P3, colour code white. Use insulating device for concentrations above the usage limits for filter devices, for oxygen concentrations below 17% volume, or in circumstances which are unclear.

#### **Environmental exposure controls**

Low hazard to waters. Inform the responsible authorities when very large quantities get into water, drainage, sewer, or the ground.

# SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

# 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

AppearanceSolidColorWhiteOdorOdourlessOdor ThresholdNot determined

pH 8 -  $11(20 \,^{\circ}\text{C}, 1400 \,\text{g/L})$ Melting point/freezing point >=  $205 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$ 

Boiling point / boiling range >= 205 °C(1013.3 hPa

Flash point

Evaporation rate
Flammability (solid)
Flammability Limit in Air
Vapor Pressure
Vapor density

Density

Not determined

Density
Relative density
Specific gravity
Water solubility
1.36 g/cm³(20 °C)
1.36 (20 °C)
Not determined
1400 g/L(20 °C)
Partition coefficient (LogPow)
Not determined

Autoignition temperature

> 150 °C

> 270 °C

> 270 °C

Not determined

Not determined

Not determined

Dynamic viscosity

Explosive properties

Oxidizing properties

Not determined

Not an explosive

Not determined

# 9.2. Other information

No information available

# SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

## 10.1. Reactivity

No information available.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal processing.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks. Incompatible materials.

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Aluminium

Zinc

Tin

# 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide Metal oxide fume

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

# 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity** 

Acute oral toxicity (LD50): 3800 mg/kg [Mouse]

# Skin corrosion/irritation

Causes skin irritation.

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Causes serious eye irritation.

#### Sensitization

No sensitization responses were observed.

## 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.

# SECTION 12: Ecological information

# 12.1. Toxicity

No data available.

# 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No information available.

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No information available

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#### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment information is not available as chemical safety assessment not conducted.

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

No information available

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

products

Contaminated packaging

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local

laws and regulations

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# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

14.1 UN Number Not regulated

14.2 Proper shipping name Not regulated

14.3 Hazard Class Not regulated

14.4 Packing Group Not regulated

14.5 Environmental hazards Non-marine pollutant

14.6 Special precautions No information available

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II c Not applicable

MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

14.8 IMDG/IMO

This product is not hazardous under the applicable

DOT, ICAO/IATA, or IMDG regulations.

# SECTION 15: Regulatory information

# 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture European Union

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

Not regulated

Take note of Directive 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work

Take note of Directive 92/85/EC on the protection of pregnant and breastfeeding women at work

#### International Inventories

Component	TSCA	DSL/NDS L	EINECS/E LINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
Potassium sorbate 590-00-1 ( >98% )	Х	X	-	Х	X	Х	X	-

<sup>&</sup>quot;-" Not Listed

<sup>&</sup>quot;X" Listed

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#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No information available

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

# This material safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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

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

Ceiling - Maximum limit value

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

#### Full text of H-Statements referred to under section 3

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

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