



Potassium Carbonate

Safety Data Sheet

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Product identifier

Product code: CG6016
Product Name: Potassium Carbonate

Other means of identification

Synonyms: No information available
CAS #: Mixture
RTECS # Not available
CI#: Not available

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use: No information available.
Uses advised against No information available

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

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

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2A

Label elements

Warning**Hazard statements**

Causes skin irritation

Causes serious eye irritation



Not Applicable

Other hazards

Not available

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Wear protective gloves

Wear eye/face protection

Precautionary Statements - Response

Specific treatment (see .? on this label)

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 SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No.	Weight %	Trade Secret
Water 7732-18-5	7732-18-5	93	*
Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous 584-08-7	584-08-7	7	*

4. FIRST AID MEASURES**First aid measures****General Advice:**

Poison information centers in each State capital city can provide additional assistance for scheduled poisons (13 1126)

Skin Contact:

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

Eye Contact:

Flush eye with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.

Inhalation:

Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Consult a physician if necessary.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Causes serious eye irritation. Causes skin irritation.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician: Treat symptomatically

Protection of first-aiders

First-Aid Providers: Avoid exposure to blood or body fluids. Wear gloves and other necessary protective clothing. Dispose of contaminated clothing and equipment as bio-hazardous waste

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media: The product is not flammable.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: No information available.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Hazardous Combustion Products: No information available.

Specific hazards: No information available.

Special Protective Actions for Firefighters

Specific Methods: No information available.

Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters: As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions: Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Remove all sources of ignition.

Environmental precautions Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Stop leak if you can do it without risk. In case of large spill, dike if needed. Dike far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal.

Methods for cleaning up Absorb spill with inert material (e.g. vermiculite, dry sand or earth). Use appropriate tools to put the spilled material in a suitable chemical waste disposal container.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

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Technical Measures/Precautions:

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Keep away from incompatible materials.

Safe Handling Advice:

Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Do not ingest. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical Measures/Storage Conditions:

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature in the original container. Store away from incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials:

Acids. Metals. Oxidizing agents. Chlorine trifluoride. Calcium oxide. Magnesium.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

National occupational exposure limits

United States

Components	OSHA	NIOSH	ACGIH	AIHA WHEEL
Water - 7732-18-5	None	None	None	None
Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous - 584-08-7	None	None	None	None

Canada

Components	Alberta	British Columbia	Ontario	Quebec
Water - 7732-18-5	None	None	None	None
Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous - 584-08-7	None	None	None	None

Australia and Mexico

Components	Australia	Mexico
Water 7732-18-5	None	None
Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous 584-08-7	None	None

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering measures to reduce exposure:

Ensure adequate ventilation. Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors and mist below their respective threshold limit value.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye protection: Goggles. Safety glasses with side-shields.

Chemical resistant apron. Gloves. Long sleeved clothing.

Respiratory protection: Vapor respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent.

Hygiene measures: Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state:

Liquid

Appearance:

No information available

Color:

Clear. Colorless.

Odor:

No information available

Taste

No information available

Molecular/Formula weight:

No information available

Formula:

No information available

Flash point (°C):

No data available

Flashpoint (°C/°F):

No information available.

Flash Point Tested according to:

Not available

Lower Explosion Limit (%):

No information available

Upper Explosion Limit (%):

No information available

Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F):

No information available

pH:

No information available

Melting point/range(°C/°F):

No information available

Boiling point/range(°C/°F):

The lowest known value is 100°C/212°F (water)

Decomposition temperature(°C/°F):

No information available

Bulk density:

No information available

Specific gravity:

Weighted average: 1.04

Density (g/cm3):

No information available

Vapor pressure @ 20°C (kPa):

The highest known value is 2.3 (water)

Evaporation rate:

No information available

Vapor density:

The highest known value is 0.62 (water)

VOC content (g/L):

No information available

Odor threshold (ppm):

No information available

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):

No information available

Viscosity:

No information available

Miscibility:

No information available

Solubility:

Easily soluble in cold water
Easily soluble in hot water

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Reactive with acids
Reactive with metals
Reactive with oxidizing agents

Chemical stability

Stability: Stable under recommended storage conditions

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization does not occur

Conditions to avoid: Heat. Ignition sources. Incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials: Acids. Metals. Oxidizing agents. Chlorine trifluoride. Calcium oxide. Magnesium.

Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon oxides.

Corrosivity: No information available

Special Remarks on Corrosivity: No information available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Principal Routes of Exposure:

Eyes. Ingestion. Skin.

Acute Toxicity

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

ATEmix (oral) 26714mg/kg

Component Information

Water - 7732-18-5

LD50/oral/rat = > 90 mL/kg Oral LD50 Rat

LD50/oral/mouse = No information available

LD50/dermal/rat = No information available

LD50/dermal/rabbit = No information available

LC50/inhalation/rat = No information available

LC50/inhalation/mouse = No information available

Other LD50 or LC50 information = No information available

Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous - 584-08-7

LD50/oral/rat = = 1870 mg/kg Oral LD50 Rat

LD50/oral/mouse = 2570 mg/kg

LD50/dermal/rat = No information available

LD50/dermal/rabbit = No information available

LC50/inhalation/rat = No information available

LC50/inhalation/mouse = No information available

Other LD50 or LC50 information = No information available

Product Information

LD50/oral/rat =

VALUE- Acute Tox Oral = No information available

LD50/oral/mouse =

Value - Acute Tox Oral = No information available

LD50/dermal/rabbit

VALUE-Acute Tox Dermal = No information available

LD50/dermal/rat

VALUE -Acute Tox Dermal = No information available

LC50/inhalation/rat

VALUE-Vapor = No information available

No information available

VALUE-Dust/Mist = No information available

LC50/Inhalation/mouse

VALUE-Vapor = No information available

VALUE - Gas = No information available

VALUE - Dust/Mist = No information available

Symptoms

Skin Contact: Causes skin irritation.

Eye Contact: Causes serious eye irritation.

Inhalation May cause respiratory tract irritation.

Ingestion May cause digestive (gastrointestinal) tract irritation.

Aspiration hazard No information available

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

Chronic Toxicity No information available

Sensitization: No information available

Mutagenic Effects: May affect genetic material

Carcinogenic effects: Not considered carcinogenic

Components	ACGIH - Carcinogens	IARC	NTP	OSHA HCS - Carcinogens	Australia - Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances	Australia - Notifiable Carcinogenic Substances
Water	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed
Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

Reproductive toxicity No data is available

Reproductive Effects: No information available

Developmental Effects: No information available

Teratogenic Effects: No information available

Specific Target Organ Toxicity

STOT - single exposure No information available

STOT - repeated exposure No information available

Target Organs: No information available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Ecotoxicity effects: No data available.

No information available

Bioaccumulative potential: No information available

Mobility: No information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Methods

Waste from residues / unused products:

Waste must be disposed of in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulation.

Contaminated packaging:

Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal

Components	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Water	None	None	None	None
Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous	None	None	None	None

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: None
ERG No: No information available
Marine Pollutant: No data available
DOT RQ (lbs): No information available

TDG (Canada)

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
Description: No information available

ADR

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Classification Code: No information available
Description: No information available
CEFIC Tremcard No: No information available

IMO / IMDG

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UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
Description: No information available
IMDG Page: No information available
Marine Pollutant No information available
MFAG: No information available
Maximum Quantity: No information available

RID

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
Classification Code: No information available
Description: No information available

ICAO

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
Description: No information available

IATA

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
Description: No information available

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

Components	U.S. TSCA	KOREA KECL	Philippines (PICCS)	Japan ENCS	CHINA	Australia (AICS)	EINECS-No.
<i>Water</i>	Present	Present KE-35400	Present	Not present	Present	Present	Present 231-791-2
<i>Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous</i>	Present	Present KE-29083	Present	Present (1)-153	Present	Present	Present 209-529-3

U.S. Regulations

Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous

FDA - Food Additives Generally Recognized as Safe (GRAS): 21 CFR 184.1619

FDA - Direct Food Additives 21 CFR 173.310

FDA - 21 CFR - Total Food Additives 163.110 163.111 163.112 172.560 173.310 184.1619 73.85

California Prop. 65: Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986.

Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Cancer:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

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Components	Carcinogen	Developmental Toxicity	Male Reproductive Toxicity	Female Reproductive Toxicity:
Water	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed
Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

CERCLA/SARA

Components	CERCLA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and TPQs	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and RQs	Section 313 - Chemical Category	Section 313 - Reporting <i>de minimis</i>
Water	None	None	None	None	None
Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous	None	None	None	None	None

U.S. TSCA

Components	TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
Water	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

Canada

WHMIS hazard class:

Non-controlled

Water

Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria

Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous

D2B E

Canada Controlled Products Regulation:

This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the CPR (Controlled Products Regulation) and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

Components	WHMIS Ingredient Disclosure List -
Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous	1 %

Inventory

Components	Canada (DSL)	Canada (NDSL)
Water	Present	Not Listed
Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous	Present	Not Listed

Components	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject to Mandatory Reporting
Water	Not listed	Not listed
Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous	Not listed	Not listed

EU Classification

not determined (not applicable)

S -phrase(s)

none

Components	Classification	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
Water		No information	
Potassium Carbonate, Anhydrous		No information	

The product is classified in accordance with Annex VI to Directive 67/548/EEC

Indication of danger:

None.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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