

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

## Potassium chloride pouches

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

## 1.1. Product identifier

## Trade name

Potassium chloride pouches

## Product no.

12-9175, 12-9176

## Document number

34-0035

## Other means of identification

EC No.: 231-211-8

CAS No.: 7447-40-7

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

## Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture

Laboratory use

Restricted to professional users.

## Uses advised against

None known.

## 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

## Company and address

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## SDS Version

1.0

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24-0187u01 (2014-06-05), 24-0283u02 (2015-07-06)

## 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Healthcare professionals: Dial 0344 892 0111 to reach The National Poisons Information Service (NPIS) (24 hour service)

General public:

England - Dial 111 to reach NHS 111 (24 hour service)

Scotland - Dial 112 to reach NHS 24 (24 hour service)

Wales - Dial 111 or 0845 4647 to reach NHS Direct (24 hour service)

See section 4 "First aid measures".

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

## 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Not classified according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP) as retained and amended in UK law.

## 2.2. Label elements

## Hazard pictogram(s)

Not applicable.

## Signal word

Not applicable.

Hazard statement(s)

Not applicable.

Precautionary statement(s)

General

-

Prevention

-

Response

-

Storage

-

Disposal

-

Hazardous substances

Does not contain any substances required to report

Additional labelling

Not applicable.

### 2.3. Other hazards

Additional warnings

This mixture/product does not contain any substances known to fulfil the criteria for PBT and vPvB classification.  
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## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1. Substances

| Product/substance  | Identifiers                                                        | % w/w   | Classification | Note |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|----------------|------|
| potassium chloride | CAS No.: 7447-40-7<br>EC No.: 231-211-8<br>UK-REACH:<br>Index No.: | 95-100% |                |      |

### 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable. This product is a substance.

See full text of H-phrases in section 16. Occupational exposure limits are listed in section 8, if these are available.

Other information

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## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

General information

In the case of accident: Contact a doctor or casualty department – take the label or this safety data sheet.  
Contact a doctor if in doubt about the injured person's condition or if the symptoms persist. Never give an unconscious person water or other drink.

Inhalation

In case of discomfort: bring the person into fresh air.

Skin contact

Upon irritation: rinse with water. In the event of continued irritation, seek medical assistance.

Eye contact

Rinse gently with lukewarm water. Remove any contact lenses if this is easy to do. Continue rinsing. In case of persistent eye irritation or discomfort: Seek medical help.

Ingestion

Rinse and flush mouth thoroughly and consume large quantities of water. In case of continued discomfort: seek medical assistance and bring this safety data sheet.

#### Burns

Not applicable.

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

High amounts of dust can cause coughing and general irritation of the respiratory airways.

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

Treat symptomatically.

#### Information to medics

Bring this safety data sheet or the label from this product.

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: Alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, powder, water mist.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: Waterjets should not be used, since they can spread the fire.

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

Fire will result in dense smoke. Exposure to combustion products may harm your health. Closed containers, which are exposed to fire, should be cooled with water. Do not allow fire-extinguishing water to enter the sewage system and nearby surface waters.

If the product is exposed to high temperatures, e.g. in the event of fire, dangerous decomposition compounds are produced. These are:

Halogenated compounds

Some metal oxides

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

No specific requirements.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Contaminated areas may be slippery.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid discharge to lakes, streams, sewers, etc.

Keep unauthorized persons away from the spill

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Collect spills carefully. Moist the material with water in order to prevent the formation and propagation of dust.

Wherever possible cleaning should be performed with normal cleaning agents. Avoid use of solvents.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

See section 13 "Disposal considerations" on handling of waste.

See section 8 "Exposure controls/personal protection" for protective measures.

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Smoking, drinking and consumption of food is not allowed in the work area.

See section 8 "Exposure controls/personal protection" for information on personal protection.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

No special conditions required.

##### Recommended storage material

Always store in containers of the same material as the original container.

##### Storage conditions

No specific requirements.

##### Incompatible materials

Strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents, and strong reducing agents.

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

This product should only be used for applications quoted in section 1.2.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

No substances are listed in the national list of substances with an occupational exposure limit.

## DNEL

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| Duration:                               | Route of exposure: | DNEL:                  |
|-----------------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| Long term – Systemic effects - Workers  | Dermal             | 303 mg/kg bw/day       |
| Short term – Systemic effects - Workers | Dermal             | 910 mg/kg bw/day       |
| Long term – Systemic effects - Workers  | Inhalation         | 1064 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |
| Short term – Systemic effects - Workers | Inhalation         | 5320 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

## PNEC

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| Route of exposure:                | Duration of Exposure: | PNEC:    |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| Freshwater                        |                       | 100 µg/L |
| Intermittent release (freshwater) |                       | 1 mg/L   |
| Marine water                      |                       | 100 µg/L |
| Sewage treatment plant            |                       | 10 mg/L  |

## 8.2. Exposure controls

Apply general control to prevent unnecessary exposure

## General recommendations

Smoking, drinking and consumption of food is not allowed in the work area.

## Exposure scenarios

There are no exposure scenarios implemented for this product.

## Exposure limits

Occupational exposure limits have not been defined for the substances in this product.

## Appropriate technical measures

Apply standard precautions during use of the product. Avoid inhalation of gas or dust.

Airborne gas and dust concentrations must be kept at a minimum. Provide efficient mechanical ventilation. If not possible use suitable respiratory equipment.

## Hygiene measures

Wash hands after use.

## Measures to avoid environmental exposure

No specific requirements.

## Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

## Generally

Use only UKCA marked protective equipment.

## Respiratory Equipment

| Type            | Class | Colour | Standards |
|-----------------|-------|--------|-----------|
| Use in fumehood |       |        |           |

## Skin protection

No specific requirements.

## Hand protection

| Material | Glove thickness (mm) | Breakthrough time (min.) | Standards                 |
|----------|----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| Nitrile  | 0,2                  | > 480                    | EN374-2, EN16523-1, EN388 |



## Eye protection

| Type           | Standards |
|----------------|-----------|
| Safety glasses | EN166     |



## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

### Physical state

Powder

### Colour

White

### Odour / Odour threshold

None

### pH

No data available.

### Density (g/cm<sup>3</sup>)

No data available.

### Kinematic viscosity

Does not apply to solids.

### Particle characteristics

No data available.

## Phase changes

### Melting point/Freezing point (°C)

No data available.

### Softening point/range (°C)

Does not apply to solids.

### Boiling point (°C)

Does not apply to solids.

### Vapour pressure

No data available.

### Relative vapour density

Does not apply to solids.

### Decomposition temperature (°C)

No data available.

## Data on fire and explosion hazards

### Flash point (°C)

Does not apply to solids.

### Flammability (°C)

The material is not combustible.

### Auto-ignition temperature (°C)

No data available.

### Lower and upper explosion limit (% v/v)

Does not apply to solids.

## Solubility

### Solubility in water

Completely soluble

### n-octanol/water coefficient (LogKow)

No data available.

### Solubility in fat (g/L)

No data available.

## 9.2. Other information

### Oxidizing properties

No data available.

### Other physical and chemical parameters

No data available.

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

No data available.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

The product is stable under the conditions, noted in section 7 "Handling and storage".

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None known.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None known.

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents, and strong reducing agents.

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 as retained and amended in UK law

##### Acute toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

##### Skin corrosion/irritation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

##### Serious eye damage/irritation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

##### Respiratory sensitisation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

##### Skin sensitisation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

##### Germ cell mutagenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

##### Carcinogenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

##### Reproductive toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

##### STOT-single exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

##### STOT-repeated exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

##### Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### 11.2. Information on other hazards

##### Long term effects

None known.

##### Endocrine disrupting properties

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This mixture/product does not contain any substances known to have hormone-disrupting properties in relation to health.

##### Other information

None known.

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No data available.

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

This mixture/product does not contain any substances known to fulfil the criteria for PBT and vPvB classification.

#### 12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

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This mixture/product does not contain any substances considered to have endocrine-disrupting properties in relation to the environment.

#### 12.7. Other adverse effects

None known.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

## Waste treatment methods

Product is not covered by regulations on dangerous waste.

Regulation (EU) No 1357/2014 of 18 December 2014 on waste as retained and amended in UK law.

## EWC code

Not applicable.

## Specific labelling

## Contaminated packing

Packaging containing residues of the product must be disposed of similarly to the product.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

|      | 14.1<br>UN / ID | 14.2<br>UN proper shipping name | 14.3<br>Hazard class(es) | 14.4<br>PG* | 14.5<br>Env** | Other<br>information: |
|------|-----------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|---------------|-----------------------|
| ADR  | -               | -                               | -                        | -           | -             | -                     |
| IMDG | -               | -                               | -                        | -           | -             | -                     |
| IATA | -               | -                               | -                        | -           | -             | -                     |

\* Packing group

\*\* Environmental hazards

## Additional information

Not dangerous goods according to ADR, IATA and IMDG.

## 14.6. Special precautions for user

Not applicable.

## 14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

No data available.

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

## Restrictions for application

Restricted to professional users.

## Demands for specific education

No specific requirements.

## Control of Major Accident Hazards (COMAH) - Categories / dangerous substances

Not applicable.

## Additional information

Not applicable.

## Sources

Regulation (EU) No 1357/2014 of 18 December 2014 on waste as retained and amended in UK law.

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (CLP) as retained and amended in UK law.

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) as retained and amended in UK law.

## 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No

## SECTION 16: Other information

## Abbreviations and acronyms

ADN = European Provisions concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterway

ADR = The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

ATE = Acute Toxicity Estimate

BCF = Bioconcentration Factor

CAS = Chemical Abstracts Service  
CE = Conformité Européenne (European conformity)  
CLP = Classification, Labelling and Packaging Regulation [Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008]  
CSA = Chemical Safety Assessment  
CSR = Chemical Safety Report  
DMEL = Derived Minimal Effect Level  
DNEL = Derived No Effect Level  
EINECS = European Inventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances  
ES = Exposure Scenario  
EUH statement = CLP-specific Hazard statement  
EuPCS = European Product Categorisation System  
EWC = European Waste Catalogue  
GHS = Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals  
GWP = Global warming potential  
IARC = International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC)  
IATA = International Air Transport Association  
IBC = Intermediate Bulk Container  
IMDG = International Maritime Dangerous Goods  
LogPow = logarithm of the octanol/water partition coefficient  
MARPOL = International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution From Ships, 1973 as modified by the Protocol of 1978. ("Marpol" = marine pollution)  
OECD = Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development  
PBT = Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic  
PNEC = Predicted No Effect Concentration  
RID = The Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail  
RRN = REACH Registration Number  
SCL = A specific concentration limit  
SVHC = Substances of Very High Concern  
STOT-RE = Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure  
STOT-SE = Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure  
TWA = Time weighted average  
UN = United Nations  
UVBC = Unknown or variable composition, complex reaction products or of biological materials  
VOC = Volatile Organic Compound  
vPvB = Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

#### Additional information

In accordance with UK-REACH, a safety data sheet is not required for this product. This safety data sheet has been created on a voluntary basis to distribute relevant information as required by UK-REACH.

#### The safety data sheet is validated by

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#### Other

A change (in proportion to the last essential change (first cipher in SDS version, see section 1)) is marked with a triangle.

The information in this safety data sheet applies only to this specific product (mentioned in section 1) and is not necessarily correct for use with other chemicals/products.

It is recommended to hand over this safety data sheet to the actual user of the product. Information in this safety data sheet cannot be used as a product specification.

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