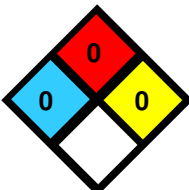


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2. Composition/Information On Ingredients			
	Ingredient Name	CAS Number	Percent Of Total Weight
	Potassium Hexachloro Iridate (IV)	16920-56-2	99.9

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

To the best of our knowledge the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Avoid elevated temperature. Product incompatible with strong reducing agents. Can decompose chlorine vapors.

Hazards Identification (Pictograms) 

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3. Hazards Identification

Primary Routes(s) Of Entry

Eye Contact
Skin Contact
Inhalation
Ingestion - possible, but considered unlikely.

Eye Hazards

Irritation

Skin Hazards

Maybe harmful if absorbed through skin
Irritation

Ingestion Hazards

May cause gastrointestinal irritation; poisoning is unlikely on a single exposure.

Inhalation Hazards

Maybe harmful if inhaled
Causes respiratory tract irritation.
Irritation

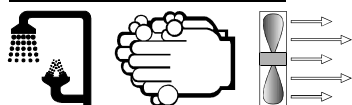
Conditions Aggravated By Exposure

May cause irritation of the respiratory system. Maintain housekeeping and personal hygiene to minimize exposure and prevent sensitization.

Conditions Aggravated By Overexposure

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, the physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

First Aid (Pictograms)



4. First Aid Measures

Eye

Flush for 15 minutes with plenty of water. If discomfort occurs or persists, contact a physician.

Skin

Flush area for 15 minutes with water and wash with soap and water. If discomfort occurs or persists, contact a physician. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes and wash before reuse.

Ingestion

Not expected to be a problem in industry. However if swallowed and discomfort occurs, contact a physician. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious victim.

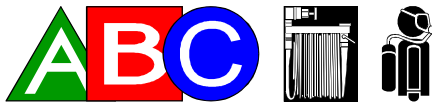
Inhalation

If not breathing, give artificial respiration
Remove the victim from the contaminated area while protecting yourself from exposure by wearing an appropriate respirator. Put a similar respirator on the victim if possible.
Remove to fresh air immediately. If discomfort occurs or persists, contact a physician.

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Fire Fighting (Pictograms)



5. Fire Fighting Measures

Flash Point Method: NA

Flammability Class: NA

Fire And Explosion Hazards

Use proper safety equipment. Can decompose to emit toxic ammonia and chlorine gases.

Extinguishing Media

Water spray, CO₂, foam or medium to fight primary source

In case of fire, use water fog, dry chemical, CO₂, or "alcohol" foam & Large quantities of water

Solid Streams of water may be ineffective.

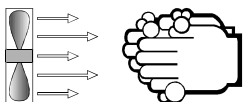
Fire Fighting Instructions

Use NIOSH/MSHA approved self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Soak or sweep up and place in a sealed container. Person protected with full face shield and proper respirator for chlorine gas.

Handling & Storage (Pictograms)



7. Handling And Storage

Handling And Storage Precautions

Avoid contact with eyes, prolonged or repeated contact with skin. Use compatible chemical resistant gloves.

Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Handling Precautions

Avoid breathing dust or vapor.

Avoid contact with eyes.

Avoid contact with skin and clothing.

Storage Precautions

Keep container tightly closed and in a dry well ventilated area.

Work/Hygienic Practices

Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

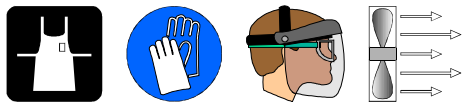
Other Precautions

0.01 ppm high efficiency particular respirator/supplied air respirator/self-contained breathing apparatus; 0.2 ppm same as above with full face piece; 1 ppm powdered air purifying respirator with high efficiency filter/type C supplied air respirator operated in pressure demand mode. Store in a sealed container, plastic or plastic liner, in a cool, well ventilated, dry area away from volatile acids.

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Protective Clothing (Pictograms)



8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Engineering Controls

Ventilation: Local Exhaust: Required in handling area
Mechanical: Desirable to insure concentration of material below TLV/TWA levels
Other: NA

Eye/Face Protection

ANSI approved safety glasses/goggles

Skin Protection

Rubber/Neoprene (use compatible chemical-resistant gloves).

Respiratory Protection

Chemical cartridge respirator for dust/mist/fume/radionuclide or self-contained breathing apparatus with full face shield.

Other/General Protection

Lab coat/apron, flame and chemical resistant protective clothing, eye wash, safety shower, and hygiene facilities for washing.

9. Physical And Chemical Properties

Appearance

Dark red/black crystals

Chemical Type: Mixture

Physical State: Solid

Melting Point: Decomposes >385 °C

Boiling Point: NA °C

Specific Gravity: NE

Molecular Weight: 483.45

Vapor Pressure: NA

Vapor Density: NA

pH Factor: NA

Solubility: 0.6 mg/100 ml

Evaporation Rate: NA

10. Stability And Reactivity

Stability: Stable

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

Conditions To Avoid (Stability)

Elevated temperature

Incompatible Materials

Strong reducing agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Chlorine vapors

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11. Toxicological Information

No Data Available...

12. Ecological Information

No Data Available...

13. Disposal Considerations

Place in sealed container. Consult Federal EPA, State and local regulations for proper disposal/recycle/reclamation

NOTE: Chemical additions, processing, or otherwise altering this material may make the waste management information presented above incomplete, inaccurate, or otherwise inappropriate.

14. Transport Information

Proper Shipping Name

Potassium Hexochloro Iridate (IV)
Not a hazardous substance

Additional Shipping Paper Description

Not a Hazardous Substance

15. Regulatory Information

SARA Hazard Classes

Acute Health Hazard

SARA Section 313 Notification

This product does not contain any ingredients regulated under Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act of 1986 or 40 CFR 372.

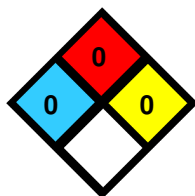
Canadian Regulatory Information

All ingredients of this product comply with the New Substances Notification requirements of the Canadian Environmental Protection Act (CEPA).

European Union (EU) Regulatory Information

R36/37/38 - Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

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16. Other Information

Precautionary Label

Irritant

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16. Other Information - Continued

Reference Documentation

The following were the primary references used in the creation of this MSDS:
CAMEO, ERG, On Site Chemists

Disclaimer

In compliance with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 C.F.R 1910.1200, we are providing you with a Materials Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for the hazardous material you are purchasing.

It is your responsibility to educate your employees on the safe use of the hazardous material. With this in mind, a copy should be forwarded to the supervisor of the user or to the user themselves, and copy should be retained in your files for future reference.

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