

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. Identification

Product Name Chromium potassium sulfate dodecahydrate

Cat No. : AC222520000; AC222520025; AC222520050; AC222521000;
AC222525000

CAS-No 7788-99-0
Synonyms Chrome alum

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against Not for 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 not considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Label Elements

None required

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

| Component | CAS-No | Weight % |
|---|-----------|----------|
| Chromium (III) potassium sulfate, dodecahydrate | 7788-99-0 | >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. Get medical attention. |
| Skin Contact | Obtain medical attention. Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. |
| Inhalation | Move to fresh air. Obtain medical attention. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. |
| Ingestion | Do not induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention. |
| Most important symptoms and effects | No information available. |
| Notes to Physician | Treat symptomatically |

5. Fire-fighting measures

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| Suitable Extinguishing Media | Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO ₂). Dry chemical. Chemical foam. |
| Unsuitable Extinguishing Media | No information available |
| Flash Point | No information available |
| Method - | No information available |
| Autoignition Temperature | |
| Explosion Limits | |
| Upper | No data available |
| Lower | No data available |
| 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. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

Hazardous Combustion Products

Highly toxic fumes Sulfur oxides

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.

NFPA

Health
2

Flammability
0

Instability
0

Physical hazards
N/A

6. Accidental release measures

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| Personal Precautions | Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. |
| Environmental Precautions | See Section 12 for additional ecological information. |

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| Methods for Containment and Clean Up | Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Avoid dust formation. |
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7. Handling and storage

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| Handling | Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust. Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. |
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Storage Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines

| Component | ACGIH TLV | OSHA PEL | NIOSH IDLH | Mexico OEL (TWA) |
|---|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|
| Chromium (III) potassium sulfate, dodecahydrate | TWA: 0.5 mg/m ³ | (Vacated) TWA: 0.5 mg/m ³ | IDLH: 25 mg/m ³ TWA: 0.5 mg/m ³ | TWA: 0.5 mg/m ³ |

Legend

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

NIOSH IDLH: The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

Engineering Measures Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

Personal Protective Equipment

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|---------------------------------|---|
| 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 | Purple |
| Odor | Odorless |
| Odor Threshold | No information available |
| pH | 3 - 50 g/l aq.sol (20°C) |
| Melting Point/Range | 89 °C / 192.2 °F |
| Boiling Point/Range | No information available |
| 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 | 1.830 |
| Solubility | No information available |
| Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water | No data available |
| Autoignition Temperature | |
| Decomposition Temperature | No information available |
| Viscosity | Not applicable |
| Molecular Formula | Cr K O ₈ S ₂ · 12 H ₂ O |
| Molecular Weight | 499.39 |

10. Stability and reactivity

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| Reactive Hazard | None known, based on information available |
| Stability | Stable under normal conditions. |
| Conditions to Avoid | Incompatible products. |
| Incompatible Materials | Strong oxidizing agents, Strong acids, Strong bases |
| Hazardous Decomposition Products | Highly toxic fumes, Sulfur oxides |
| Hazardous Polymerization | Hazardous polymerization does not occur. |
| Hazardous Reactions | None under normal processing. |

11. Toxicological information

Acute Toxicity

Product Information No acute toxicity information is available for this product

Component Information
Toxicologically Synergistic Products No information available

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

Irritation No information available

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 |
|---|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Chromium (III) potassium sulfate, dodecahydrate | 7788-99-0 | 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

| Component | Freshwater Algae | Freshwater Fish | Microtox | Water Flea |
|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------|
| Chromium (III) potassium | Not listed | Not listed | = 10.7 mg/L EC50 | Not listed |

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| sulfate, dodecahydrate | | | Photobacterium phosphoreum 5 min as Cr3+ = 12.6 mg/L EC50 Photobacterium phosphoreum 10 min as Cr3+ = 15.3 mg/L EC50 Photobacterium phosphoreum 15 min as Cr3+ = 15.8 mg/L EC50 Photobacterium phosphoreum 20 min as Cr3+ = 16.0 mg/L EC50 Photobacterium phosphoreum 30 min as Cr3+ | |
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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.

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 Not regulated
TDG Not regulated
IATA Not regulated
IMDG/IMO Not regulated

15. Regulatory information

International Inventories

| Component | TSCA | DSL | NDSL | EINECS | ELINCS | NLP | PICCS | ENCS | AICS | IECSC | KECL |
|---|------|-----|------|--------|--------|-----|-------|------|------|-------|------|
| Chromium (III) potassium sulfate, dodecahydrate | - | - | - | - | - | | X | X | X | X | - |

Legend:

X - Listed

E - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.

F - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.

N - Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.

P - Indicates a commenced PMN substance

R - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.

S - Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule

T - Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.

XU - Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B)).

Y1 - Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.

Y2 - Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

SARA 313

| Component | CAS-No | Weight % | SARA 313 - Threshold Values % |
|---|-----------|----------|-------------------------------|
| Chromium (III) potassium sulfate, dodecahydrate | 7788-99-0 | >95 | 1.0 |

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

CWA (Clean Water Act)

| Component | CWA - Hazardous Substances | CWA - Reportable Quantities | CWA - Toxic Pollutants | CWA - Priority Pollutants |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Chromium (III) potassium sulfate, dodecahydrate | - | - | X | - |

Clean Air Act

| Component | HAPS Data | Class 1 Ozone Depletors | Class 2 Ozone Depletors |
|---|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Chromium (III) potassium sulfate, dodecahydrate | X | | - |

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 |
|---|---------------|------------|--------------|----------|--------------|
| Chromium (III) potassium sulfate, dodecahydrate | - | X | X | X | X |

U.S. Department of Transportation

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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Revision Summary This document has been updated to comply with the US OSHA HazCom 2012 Standard replacing the current legislation under 29 CFR 1910.1200 to align with the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS).

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