Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate

Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Identification

Product form	:	Substance
Substance name	:	Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate
CAS-No.	:	877-24-7
Product code	:	LC18690
Formula	:	C8H6O4K
Synonyms	:	Potassium Acid Phthalate

1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture	:	For laboratory and manufacturing use only.

1.3. Supplier

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number	:	CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 or +1-703-741-5970

SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS US classification

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2B	H320	Causes eye irritation

Full text of H statements : see section 16

2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

GHS US labeling

Signal word (GHS US)	:	Warning
Hazard statements (GHS US)	:	H320 - Causes eye irritation
Precautionary statements (GHS US)	:	P264 - Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling. 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 which do not result in classification

Other hazards not contributing to the classification	:	None.

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Substance type : Mono-constituent

Name	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate (Main constituent)	CAS-No.: 877-24-7	100	Eye Irrit. 2B, H320

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First-aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

First-aid measures after inhalation : Allow affected person to breathe fresh air. Allow the victim to rest.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Remove affected clothing and wash all exposed skin area with mild soap and water, followed by warm water rinse.

First-aid measures after eye contact : IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : None under normal use.

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : No data available.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes eye irritation.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Nausea.

Chronic symptoms : Not available.

4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Obtain medical assistance.

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

No additional information available

5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment.

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Safety glasses.
Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.
Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers. Minimize generation of dust. Store away from other materials.

6.4. Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of vapor.
Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from : incompatible materials. Keep container closed when not in use.
Incompatible products : Strong bases. Strong acids.
Incompatible materials : None known.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

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No additional information available

8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Emergency eye wash fountains should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure.

8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

Personal protective equipment:
Safety glasses. Gloves.

Hand protection:
Wear protective gloves.

Eye protection:
Chemical goggles or safety glasses

Respiratory protection:
None necessary.

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



Other information:
Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	:	Solid
Appearance	:	Colorless crystalline solid or powder.
Color	:	Colorless
Odor	:	Odorless
Odor threshold	:	No data available
pH	:	4 – 4.02 0.05M solution at 25°C
Melting point	:	295 – 300 °C
Freezing point	:	No data available
Boiling point	:	No data available
Flash point	:	No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	:	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	:	Non flammable.
Vapor pressure	:	No data available
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	:	No data available
Relative density	:	No data available
Density	:	1.64 g/cm³
Molecular mass	:	204.23 g/mol
Solubility	:	Soluble in water.
Log Pow	:	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	:	No data available
Decomposition temperature	:	No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	:	No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	:	No data available
Explosion limits	:	No data available
Explosive properties	:	Not applicable.
Oxidizing properties	:	None.

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Not established.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Extremely high or low temperatures.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Strong oxidizers.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate (877-24-7)	
LD50 oral rat	≥ 3200 mg/kg
ATE US (oral)	3200 mg/kg body weight

Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified
pH: 4 – 4.02 0.05M solution at 25°C
Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes eye irritation.
pH: 4 – 4.02 0.05M solution at 25°C
Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified
Carcinogenicity : Not classified
Reproductive toxicity : Not classified
STOT-single exposure : Not classified
STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified
Aspiration hazard : Not classified
Viscosity, kinematic : No data available
Likely routes of exposure : Skin and eye contact. Inhalation.
Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Symptoms/effects after inhalation : None under normal use.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact : No data available.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Causes eye irritation.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Nausea.
Chronic symptoms : Not available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

No additional information available

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate (877-24-7)	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate (877-24-7)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.

12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

12.5. Other adverse effects

Other information : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Disposal methods

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.
Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1. UN number

Not regulated for transport

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (TDG) : Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : Not applicable

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

DOT
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TDG
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IMDG
Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG) : Not applicable

IATA
Transport hazard class(es) (IATA) : Not applicable

14.4. Packing group

Packing group (DOT)	:	Not applicable
Packing group	:	Not applicable
Packing group (IMDG)	:	Not applicable
Packing group (IATA)	:	Not applicable

14.5. Environmental hazards

Other information : No supplementary information available.

14.6. Special precautions for user

DOT
No data available

TDG
No data available

IMDG
No data available

IATA
No data available

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

Potassium Hydrogen Phthalate (877-24-7)	
SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Health hazard - Serious eye damage or eye irritation

All components of this product are present and listed as Active on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory

15.2. International regulations

CANADA

No additional information available

EU-Regulations

No additional information available

National regulations

No additional information available

15.3. US State regulations

California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain any substances known to the state of California to cause cancer, developmental and/or reproductive harm

SECTION 16: Other information

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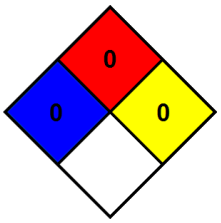
Other information : None.

Full text of H- and EUH-statements: see section 16	
H320	Causes eye irritation

NFPA health hazard : 0 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, would offer no hazard beyond that of ordinary combustible materials.

NFPA fire hazard : 0 - Materials that will not burn under typical fire conditions, including intrinsically noncombustible materials such as concrete, stone, and sand.

NFPA reactivity : 0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even under fire conditions.



Hazard Rating

Health : 0 Minimal Hazard - No significant risk to health

Flammability : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that will not burn

Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that are normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will NOT react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-Explosives.

Personal protection : A - Safety glasses

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