



# Potassium Monopersulfate

## 1. Chemical Product and Supplier Identification

### Product Name

☞ Potassium Monopersulfate

### Synonyms

☞ Potassium Peroxymonosulfate

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### MSDS Number

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## 2. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Ingredients	Chemical Formula	CAS No.	Percentage
Potassium Monopersulfate	KHSO <sub>5</sub>	10058-23-8	43.0
Potassium Bisulfate	KHSO <sub>4</sub>	7646-93-7	23.0
Potassium Sulfate	K <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	7778-80-5	32.0

## 3. Hazards Identification

### Emergency Overview

- ☞ Oxidizing agent, contact with other material may cause fire
- ☞ May be harmful or fatal if swallowed
- ☞ May cause severe eye and respiratory tract irritation or burns
- ☞ May cause skin irritation
- ☞ Does not present any significant hazard for the environment

### Potential Health Effects

- ☞ General..... Irritating to mucous membrane, eyes, and skin.
- ☞ Inhalation..... Irritating to the respiratory tract. Coughing, sneezing, difficulty breathing and sore throat. May cause nosebleeds.
- ☞ Eye contact..... May cause irritation to the eyes, including pain, redness and reversible damage.
- ☞ Skin contact..... May cause skin burns, ulceration, or temporary body hair loss.
- ☞ Ingestion..... May cause gastritis possibly progressing to necrosis or hemorrhage



#### 4. First-aid Measures

- ☞ Inhalation..... Remove affected person to fresh air. Seek medical attention if effects persist.
- ☞ Eye contact..... Flush eyes with running water for at least 15 minutes with eyelids held open. Seek specialist advice.
- ☞ Skin contact..... Wash affected skin with soap and mild detergent and large amounts of water.
- ☞ Ingestion..... If the person is conscious and not convulsing, give 2-4 cupfuls of water to dilute the chemical and seek medical attention immediately. Do not inducing vomiting.

#### 5. Fire Fighting Measure

##### Flash Point

- ☞ Not applicable

##### Flammability

- ☞ Not applicable

##### Ignition Temperature

- ☞ Not applicable

##### Danger of Explosion

- ☞ Non-explosive

##### Extinguishing Media

- ☞ Water

##### Fire Hazards

- ☞ Oxidizer. Storage vessels involved in a fire may vent gas or rupture due to internal pressure. Damp material may decompose exothermically and ignite combustibles. Oxygen release due to exothermic decomposition may support combustion. May ignite other combustible materials. Avoid contact with incompatible materials such as heavy metals, reducing agents, acids, bases, combustibles (wood, papers, cloths etc.). Thermal decomposition releases oxygen and heat. Pressure bursts may occur due to gas evolution. Pressurization if confined when heated or decomposing. Containers may burst violently.

##### Fire-Fighting Measures

- ☞ Evacuate all non-essential personnel
- ☞ Wear protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus
- ☞ Remain upwind of fire to avoid hazardous vapors and decomposition products
- ☞ Use water spray to cool fire-exposed containers

#### 6. Accidental Release Measures

##### Spill Clean-up Procedures

- ☞ Oxidizer. Eliminate all sources of ignition. Evacuate unprotected personnel from equipment recommendations found in Section 8. Never exceed any occupational exposure limit.
- ☞ Shovel or sweep material into plastic bags or vented containers for disposal. Do not return



spilled or contaminated material to inventory.

- ☞ Flush remaining area with water to remove trace residue and dispose of properly. Avoid direct discharge to sewers and surface waters. Notify authorities if entry occurs.
- ☞ Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Keep away from combustibles (wood, paper, oils, etc.). Do not return any product to container because of the risk of contamination.

## 7. Handling and Storage

### Storage

- ☞ Potassium monopersulfate should be stored in cool, dry areas, away from combustible chemicals, and sources of heat such as space heaters and light fixtures.
- ☞ Prolonged storage at ambient temperatures of greater than 32 degree C should be avoided.
- ☞ Pallets of 25 kg bags can be stacked if there are 2-3 in of air space between them; however, pallets should be stacked no more than two high unless local fire codes permit higher stacking. Torn bags and product spillage must be thoroughly cleaned up and removed from the area.
- ☞ Potassium monopersulfate decomposition will be accelerated on contact with moisture. Product packaging includes a water-resistant liner, but storage conditions should also include provisions for prevention of contact with water, including high airborne humidity.

### Handling

- ☞ Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Use with adequate ventilation.
- ☞ Do not swallow. Avoid breathing vapors, mists, or dust. Do not eat, drink, or smoke in work area.
- ☞ Prevent contact with combustible or organic materials.
- ☞ Label containers and keep them tightly closed when not in use.
- ☞ Wash thoroughly after handling.

## 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

### Engineering Controls

- ☞ General room ventilation is required. Local exhaust ventilation, process enclosures or other engineers controls may be needed to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. Avoid creating dust or mist. Maintain adequate ventilation. Do not use in closed or confined spaces. Keep levels below exposure limits. To determine exposure levels, monitoring should be performed regularly.

### Respiratory Protection

- ☞ For many conditions, no respiratory protection may be needed; however, in dusty or unknown atmospheres or when exposures exceed limit values, wear a NIOSH approved respirator.

### Eye/Face Protection

- ☞ Wear chemical safety goggles and a full face shield while handling this product.

### Skin Protection

- ☞ Prevent contact with this product. Wear gloves and protective clothing depending on condition of use. Protective gloves: Chemical-resistant (Recommended materials: PVC,



neoprene or rubber)

#### Other Protective Equipment

- ☞ Eye-wash station
- ☞ Safety shower
- ☞ Impervious clothing
- ☞ Rubber boots

#### General Hygiene Considerations

- ☞ Wash with soap and water before meal times and at the end of each work shift. Good manufacturing practices require gross amounts of any chemical be removed from skin as soon as practical, especially before eating or smoking.

### 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance	White granular solid, free-flowing
Odor	None
Active Oxygen, %	Min. 4.5
Active Component (KHSO <sub>5</sub> ), %	Min. 42.0
Bulk Density, g/L	Min. 800
Solubility, g/l (20°C water)	256
Moisture, %	Max. 0.5%

### 10. Stability and Reactivity

#### Stability

- ☞ Stable under normal conditions

#### Conditions to Avoid

- ☞ Water
- ☞ Acids
- ☞ Cyanides, compound containing halides or active halogens
- ☞ Salts of heavy metals
- ☞ Reducing agents
- ☞ Organic materials
- ☞ Flammable substances

#### Hazardous Decomposition Products

- ☞ Oxygen. Contamination with many substances will cause decomposition. The rate of decomposition increases with increasing temperature and may be very vigorous with rapid generation of large volume of oxygen and steam.

### 11. Toxicological Information

- ☞ LD<sub>50</sub> Oral: 2000 mg/kg, rat
- ☞ LD<sub>50</sub> Dermal: >11000 mg/kg, rabbit

### 12. Ecological Information



### Ecotoxicological Information

- ☞ No data available

### Chemical Fate Information

- ☞ No data available

## 13. Disposal Considerations

### Waste Treatment

- ☞ Dispose of in an approved waste facility operated by an authorized contractor in compliance with local regulations.

### Package Treatment

- ☞ The empty and clean containers are to be recycled or disposed of in conformity with local regulations.

## 14. Transport Information

- ☞ Proper Shipping Name: Corrosive solid, n.o.s., (Monopersulfate Compound)
- ☞ UN Number: UN3260
- ☞ Hazard Class: 8
- ☞ Packing Group: II

## 15. Regulatory Information

SARA Section.....	Yes
SARA (313) Chemicals.....	No
EPA TSCA Inventory.....	Appears
Canadian WHMIS Classification.....	C, D2B
Canadian DSL.....	Appears
EINECS Inventory.....	Appears

## 16. Other Information

### Disclaimer

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