

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. Identification

Product Name Potassium ferricyanide

Cat No. : C6380, C6390

Synonyms Potassium prussiate; Everitt's salt; Prussiate of potash (Crystalline/Certified ACS)

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals

Uses advised against No Information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Skin Corrosion/irritation Category 2
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Category 3

Target Organs - Respiratory system.

Label Elements

Signal Word Warning

Hazard Statements

Causes skin irritation
Causes serious eye irritation
May cause respiratory irritation



Precautionary Statements

Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

Inhalation

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Skin

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

Eyes

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

Storage

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

Store locked up

Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas

3. Composition / information on ingredients

Haz/Non-haz

Component	CAS-No	Weight %
Potassium ferricyanide	13746-66-2	>95

4. First-aid measures

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain

medical attention.

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention

immediately if symptoms occur.

Inhalation Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Obtain medical attention.

Ingestion Do not induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention.

Most important symptoms/effectsNo information availableNotes to PhysicianTreat symptomatically.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available.

Flash Point No information available.

Method - No information available

Autoignition Temperature

Explosion Limits

No information available.

Upper No data available Lower No data available

Sensitivity to Mechanical No information available

Impact

Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

Hazardous Combustion Products Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Heavy metal 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

Flammability Instability **Physical hazards** Health 2 N/A

6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid

contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Environmental Precautions Avoid release to the environment. See Section 12 for additional ecological Information.

Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Avoid dust

Methods for Containment and Clean

formation.

7. Handling and storage

Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid Handling

contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from direct Storage

sunlight.

8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines

Component	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Potassium ferricyanide	TWA: 1 mg/m ³	(Vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m ³	IDLH: 25 mg/m ³
-	_	(Vacated) TWA: 1 mg/m ³	TWA: 1 mg/m ³

Component	Quebec	Mexico OEL (TWA)	Ontario TWAEV
Potassium ferricyanide	TWA: 1.0 mg/m ³ Ceiling: 10 ppm Ceiling: 11 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 mg/m ³ TWA: 1 mg/m ³ STEL: 2 mg/m ³	TWA: 1 mg/m ³
	Skin		

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

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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

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

Physical StatePowder SolidAppearanceOrange - RedOdorOdorless

Odor Threshold No information available.

pH ~ 6 5% aq. sol.

Melting Point/Range No data available

Boiling Point/Range
No information available.

Flash Point
No information available.
No information available.

Evaporation Rate
No information available.
No information available.
No information available.

Flammability or explosive limits

UpperNo data availableLowerNo data available

Vapor Pressure negligible No information available.

Relative Density

Solubility

Partly soluble in water

Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water

Autoignition Temperature

No information available

No information available.

Decomposition temperature > 200°C

Viscosity No information available.

Molecular FormulaC6 Fe K3 N6Molecular Weight329.26

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive HazardNone known, based on information available.

Stability Stable under normal conditions. Sensitivity to light.

Conditions to Avoid Avoid dust formation. Incompatible products. Excess heat. Exposure to light.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizing agents, Acids

Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Heavy metal oxides

Hazardous PolymerizationHazardous polymerization does not occur.Hazardous ReactionsContact with acids liberates very toxic gas..

11. Toxicological information

Acute Toxicity

Product Information No acute toxicity information is available for this product

Component Information

Toxicologically Synergistic

No information available.

Products

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

Irritation Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

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
Potassium ferricyanide	13746-66-2	Not listed				

Mutagenic Effects No information available.

Reproductive Effects No information available.

Developmental Effects No information available.

Teratogenicity No information available.

STOT - single exposure Respiratory system.

STOT - repeated exposure None known.

Aspiration hazard No information available.

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed

No information available

Endocrine Disruptor Information

Component	EU - Endocrine Disrupters	EU - Endocrine Disruptors -	Japan - Endocrine Disruptor	
	Candidate List	Evaluated Substances	Information	
Potassium ferricyanide	Group III Chemical	Not applicable	Not applicable	

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.. See actual entry in RTECS for

complete information.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

Do not empty into drains.

Component	Freshwater Algae	Freshwater Fish	Microtox	Water Flea
Potassium ferricyanide	Not listed	Onchorchynchus mykiss:	Not listed	Daphnia magna: EC50: 549
-		LC50: 869 mg/L/96		mg/L/48h
		Pimephales promelas: LC50:		
		>100 mg/L/96h		

Persistence and Degradability No information available.

Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation No information available

Mobility No information available

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

DOTNot regulatedTDGNot regulatedIATANot regulatedIMDG/IMONot regulated

15. Regulatory information

International Inventories

Component	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	PICCS	ENCS	AICS	IECSC	KECL
Potassium ferricyanide	X	X		237-323-3	-		X	X	Х	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 %
Potassium ferricyanide	13746-66-2	>95	1.0

SARA 311/312 Hazardous Categorization

Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire Hazard	No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	No

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Reactive Hazard

No

Clean Water Act

Component	CWA - Hazardous Substances	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants
Potassium ferricyanide	-	-	X	X

Clean Air Act

Component	HAPS Data	Class 1 Ozone Depletors	Class 2 Ozone Depletors
Potassium ferricyanide	X		-

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration Not applicable

CERCLA

Not applicable

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

State Right-to-Know

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Potassium ferricyanide	-	X	X	Х	Χ

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

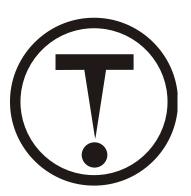
Mexico - Grade No information available

Canada

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

WHMIS Hazard Class

D2B Toxic materials



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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