

Safety data sheet

according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Potassium dichromate, solution 1/6 mol/l (1 N)
- **Article number:** PO0231
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the preparation:** Laboratory reagent
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
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GHS06 skull and crossbones		
Acute Tox. 2	H330	Fatal if inhaled.
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GHS08 health hazard		
Resp. Sens. 1	H334	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
Muta. 1B	H340	May cause genetic defects.
Carc. 1B	H350	May cause cancer.
Repr. 1B	H360FD	May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.
STOT RE 2	H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
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GHS05 corrosion		
Eye Dam. 1	H318	Causes serious eye damage.

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GHS09 environment

Aquatic Chronic 2 H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.



GHS07

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

Skin Sens. 1 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

• 2.2 Label elements

• Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

The product is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.

• Hazard pictograms



GHS05



GHS06



GHS08



GHS09

• Signal word Danger

• Hazard-determining components of labelling:

potassium dichromate

• Hazard statements

H330 Fatal if inhaled.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

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H360FD May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.

H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

• Precautionary statements

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

P320 Specific treatment is urgent (see on this label).

P362+P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

• 2.3 Other hazards

• Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

• PBT: Not applicable.

• vPvB: Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

• 3.2 Chemical characterisation: Mixtures

• Description: Aqueous solution

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• Dangerous components:

CAS: 7778-50-9

EINECS: 231-906-6

Reg.nr.: 01-2119454792-32-

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potassium dichromate

1-5%

⚠ Ox. Sol. 2, H272; ⚠ Acute Tox. 3, H301; Acute Tox. 2, H330; ⚠ Resp. Sens. 1, H334; Muta. 1B, H340; Carc. 1B, H350; Repr. 1B, H360FD; STOT RE 1, H372; ⚠ Skin Corr. 1B, H314; ⚠ Aquatic Acute 1, H400; Aquatic Chronic 1, H410; ⚠ Acute Tox. 4, H312; Skin Sens. 1, H317

• SVHC

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• Additional information: For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

• 4.1 Description of first aid measures**• General information:**

Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

Remove breathing equipment only after contaminated clothing have been completely removed.

In case of irregular breathing or respiratory arrest provide artificial respiration.

• After inhalation:

Supply fresh air or oxygen; call for doctor.

In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

• After skin contact: Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.**• After eye contact:**

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

• After swallowing: Call for a doctor immediately.**• 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

No further relevant information available.

• 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

• 5.1 Extinguishing media**• Suitable extinguishing agents:**CO₂, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.**• 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

No further relevant information available.

• 5.3 Advice for firefighters**• Protective equipment:** Mouth respiratory protective device.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

• 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Not required.**• 6.2 Environmental precautions:**

Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.

Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

• 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

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6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Open and handle receptacle with care.
Prevent formation of aerosols.

- Information about fire - and explosion protection:** Keep respiratory protective device available.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**Storage:**

- Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- Further information about storage conditions:** Keep container tightly sealed.
- 7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

- Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.
- Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

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WEL Long-term value: 0.01 0.025* mg/m³
as Cr; Carc, Sen, BMGV; *process generated

- Ingredients with biological limit values:**

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BMGV 10 µmol/mol creatinine
Medium: urine
Sampling time: post shift
Parameter: chromium

- Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

8.2 Exposure controls**Personal protective equipment:****General protective and hygienic measures:**

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Store protective clothing separately.

Respiratory protection:

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.

Protection of hands:

Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

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Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

- **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

- **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

- **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

- **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

- **General Information**

- **Appearance:**

Form:

Fluid

Colour:

Orange

- **Odour:**

Odourless

- **Odour threshold:**

Not determined.

- **pH-value:**

Not determined.

- **Change in condition**

Melting point/freezing point:

0 °C

Initial boiling point and boiling range:

100 °C

- **Flash point:**

Not applicable.

- **Flammability (solid, gas):**

Not applicable.

- **Decomposition temperature:**

Not determined.

- **Auto-ignition temperature:**

Product is not selfigniting.

- **Explosive properties:**

Product does not present an explosion hazard.

- **Explosion limits:**

Lower:

Not determined.

Upper:

Not determined.

- **Vapour pressure at 20 °C:**

23 hPa

- **Density at 20 °C:**

1.0821 g/cm³

- **Relative density**

Not determined.

- **Vapour density**

Not determined.

- **Evaporation rate**

Not determined.

- **Solubility in / Miscibility with water:**

Not miscible or difficult to mix.

- **Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:**

Not determined.

- **Viscosity:**

Dynamic:

Not determined.

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| Kinematic: | Not determined. |
| • Solvent content: | |
| Water: | 95.1 % |
| Solids content: | 4.9 % |
| • 9.2 Other information | No further relevant information available. |

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**
No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity**
Fatal if inhaled.
- **LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:**
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Oral LD50 190 mg/kg (mouse)
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**
Causes skin irritation.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation**
Causes serious eye damage.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation**
May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
May cause an allergic skin reaction.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
- **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)**
- **Germ cell mutagenicity**
May cause genetic defects.
- **Carcinogenicity**
May cause cancer.
- **Reproductive toxicity**
May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure**
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.

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- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Ecotoxicological effects:**
- **Remark:** Toxic for fish
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Water hazard class 3 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): extremely hazardous for water
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system, even in small quantities.
Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground.
Also poisonous for fish and plankton in water bodies.
Toxic for aquatic organisms
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

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| • 14.1 UN-Number | UN3287 |
| • ADR, IMDG, IATA | |
| • 14.2 UN proper shipping name | |
| • ADR | 3287 TOXIC LIQUID, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (potassium dichromate), ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS |
| • IMDG | TOXIC LIQUID, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (potassium dichromate), MARINE POLLUTANT |
| • IATA | TOXIC LIQUID, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (potassium dichromate) |
| • 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) | |
| • ADR, IMDG | |
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| • Class | 6.1 Toxic substances. |
| • Label | 6.1 |
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| • IATA | |
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| • Class | 6.1 Toxic substances. |
| • Label | 6.1 |

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- **14.4 Packing group** III
 - **ADR, IMDG, IATA** Product contains environmentally hazardous substances: potassium dichromate
 - **14.5 Environmental hazards:** Yes
 - **Marine pollutant:** Symbol (fish and tree)
 - **Special marking (ADR):** Symbol (fish and tree)
 - **14.6 Special precautions for user** Warning: Toxic substances.
 - **Hazard identification number (Kemler code):** 90
 - **EMS Number:** F-A,S-F
 - **Stowage Category** A
 - **Stowage Code** SW2 Clear of living quarters.
 - **14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code** Not applicable.
 - **Transport/Additional information:**
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- **ADR**
 - **Limited quantities (LQ)** 5L
 - **Transport category** 2
 - **Tunnel restriction code** E
 - **UN "Model Regulation":** UN 3287 TOXIC LIQUID, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (POTASSIUM DICHROMATE), 6.1, III, ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Directive 2012/18/EU**
- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** None of the ingredients is listed.
- **Seveso category**
- **H2 ACUTE TOXIC**
- **E2 Hazardous to the Aquatic Environment**
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of lower-tier requirements** 50 t
- **Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the application of upper-tier requirements** 200 t
- **LIST OF SUBSTANCES SUBJECT TO AUTHORISATION (ANNEX XIV)**
- 7778-50-9 potassium dichromate: Sunset date: 2017-09-21
- **REGULATION (EC) No 1907/2006 ANNEX XVII** Conditions of restriction: 3, 28, 29, 30, 47, 72
- **DIRECTIVE 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment – Annex II**
- 7778-50-9 potassium dichromate
- **National regulations:**
- **Information about limitation of use:**
- Workers are not allowed to be exposed to the hazardous carcinogenic materials contained in this preparation. Exceptions can be made by the authorities in certain cases.
- **Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations**
- **Substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to REACH, Article 57**
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- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

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SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

• **Relevant phrases**

- H272 May intensify fire; oxidiser.
- H301 Toxic if swallowed.
- H312 Harmful in contact with skin.
- H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
- H330 Fatal if inhaled.
- H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
- H340 May cause genetic defects.
- H350 May cause cancer.
- H360FD May damage fertility. May damage the unborn child.
- H372 Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
- H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.
- H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

• **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

The classification of the mixture is generally based on the calculation method using substance data according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.

• **Department issuing SDS:** product safety department

• **Contact:** msds@scharlab.com

• **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)
ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation
ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
Ox. Sol. 2: Oxidizing solids – Category 2
Acute Tox. 3: Acute toxicity – Category 3
Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4
Acute Tox. 2: Acute toxicity – Category 2
Skin Corr. 1B: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 1B
Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2
Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1
Resp. Sens. 1: Respiratory sensitisation – Category 1
Skin Sens. 1: Skin sensitisation – Category 1
Muta. 1B: Germ cell mutagenicity – Category 1B
Carc. 1B: Carcinogenicity – Category 1B
Repr. 1B: Reproductive toxicity – Category 1B
STOT RE 1: Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) – Category 1
STOT RE 2: Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) – Category 2
Aquatic Acute 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - acute aquatic hazard – Category 1
Aquatic Chronic 1: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - long-term aquatic hazard – Category 1
Aquatic Chronic 2: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - long-term aquatic hazard – Category 2