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# **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

## POTASSIUM FERROCYANIDE 98% Extra Pure [Potassium Hexa cyanoferrate (II)] MSDS CAS: 14459-95-1

## Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification

Section 1: Chemical Product Product Name: POTASSIUM FERROCYANIDE CAS#: 14459-95-1 Synonym: Potassium hexacyanoferrate (II) trihydrate Chemical Name: Potassium Ferrocyanide Chemical Formula: K4[Fe(CN)6].3H2O

**Brand:** OXFORD

#### **Details Of The Supplier Of The Safety Data Sheet :**

#### <u>Company identification</u>: OXFORD LAB FINE CHEM LLP Unit. No. 12, 1st Floor, Neminath Industrial Estate No. 6, Navghar, Vasai (East). Palghar - 401 210. Mumbai, Maharashtra, INDIA. Tel: 91-250-2390989 Tel/Fax: 91-250-2390032

## Section 2: Composition and Information on Ingredients

#### **Composition:**

Name	CAS #	% by Weight
Potassium Ferrocyanide	14459-95-1	100

<u>Toxicological Data on Ingredients:</u> Potassium ferrocyanide trihydrate: ORAL (LD50): Acute: 6400 mg/kg [Rat]. 5000 mg/kg [Mouse].

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## **Section 3: Hazards Identification**

<u>Potential Acute Health Effects:</u> Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation. Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (permeator).

**Potential Chronic Health Effects:** CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Mutagenic for bacteria and/or yeast. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Not available. Repeated or prolonged exposure is not known to aggravate medical condition.

# Section 4: First Aid Measures

Eye Contact: Check for and remove any contact lenses. Do not use an eye ointment. Seek medical attention.

**Skin Contact:** After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water. Gently and thoroughly wash the contaminated skin with running water and non-abrasive soap. Be particularly careful to clean folds, crevices, creases and groin. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

<u>Serious Skin Contact</u>: Wash with a disinfectant soap and cover the contaminated skin with an antibacterial cream. Seek immediate medical attention.

**Inhalation:** Allow the victim to rest in a well ventilated area. Seek immediate medical attention.

Serious Inhalation: Not available.

**<u>Ingestion:</u>** Do not induce vomiting. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Seek immediate medical attention.

Serious Ingestion: Not available.

# Section 5: Fire and Explosion Data

Flammability of the Product: Non-flammable.

Auto-Ignition Temperature: Not applicable.

Flash Points: Not applicable.

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# Section 5: Fire and Explosion Data (Continued)

Flammable Limits: Not available.

**Products of Combustion:** Not available.

Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances: Not applicable.

#### **Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:**

Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: Not available. Risks of explosion of the product in presence of static discharge: Not available.

Fire Fighting Media and Instructions: Not applicable.

Special Remarks on Fire Hazards: Not available.

Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards: Not available.

# Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

**Small Spill:** Use appropriate tools to put the spilled solid in a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and dispose of according to local and regional authority requirements.

Large Spill: Use a shovel to put the material into a convenient waste disposal container.

# Section 7: Handling and Storage

<u>Precautions</u>: Do not ingest. Do not breathe dust. Wear suitable protective clothing In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment If ingested, seek medical advice immediately and show the container or the label. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

**<u>Storage</u>**: No specific storage is required. Use shelves or cabinets sturdy enough to bear the weight of the chemicals. Be sure that it is not necessary to strain to reach materials, and that shelves are not overloaded.

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# Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

<u>Engineering Controls:</u> Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

<u>Personal Protection</u>: Splash goggles. Lab coat. Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Gloves.

<u>Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill:</u> Splash goggles. Full suit. Dust respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self-contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.

Exposure Limits: Not Available.

# **Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

**Physical state and appearance** : Solid. **Odor** Taste **Molecular Weight** Color pH (1% soln/water) **Boiling Point Melting Point Critical Temperature Specific Gravity Vapor Pressure** Vapor Density Volatility **Odor Threshold** Water/Oil Dist. Coeff. **Ionicity (in Water) Dispersion Properties Solubility** 

: Odourless.
: Not Available.
: 422.39 g/mole
: Pale yellow crystalline.
: 8 - 10 at 211 g/l at 25 °C.
: Not Available.
: 70°C
: Not applicable.
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# Section 10: Stability and Reactivity Data

**<u>Stability:</u>** The product is stable.

**Instability Temperature:** Not available.

**<u>Conditions of Instability:</u>** Not available.

Incompatibility with various substances: Reactive with acids.

**<u>Corrosivity:</u>** Non-corrosive in presence of glass.

Special Remarks on Reactivity: Not available.

Special Remarks on Corrosivity: Not available.

**Polymerization:** No.

# Section 11: Toxicological Information

Routes of Entry: Eye contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

Toxicity to Animals: Acute oral toxicity (LD50): 5000 mg/kg [Mouse].

Chronic Effects on Humans: The substance is toxic to lungs, mucous membranes.

**<u>Other Toxic Effects on Humans:</u>** Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation. Slightly hazardous in case of skin contact (permeator).

Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals: Not available.

Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans: Not available.

Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans: Not available.

# Section 12: Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: Not available.

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#### **BOD5 and COD:** Not available.

<u>Products of Biodegradation</u>: Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.

**Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation:** The products of degradation are more toxic.

Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation: Not available.

# Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal:

## **Section 14: Transport Information**

#### Land transport (ADR-RID)

General information: Not regulated.

Sea transport (IMDG) [English only]

General information: Not regulated.

Air transport (ICAO-IATA) [English only]

General information: Not regulated.

# **Section 15: Other Regulatory Information**

Federal and State Regulations: TSCA 8(b) inventory: Potassium ferrocyanide trihydrate

#### **Other Regulations:**

**OSHA:** Hazardous by definition of Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).

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# Section 15: Other Regulatory Information (Continued)

#### **Other Classifications:**

WHMIS (Canada): CLASS D-2A: Material causing other toxic effects (VERY TOXIC). DSCL (EEC): R36/38- Irritating to eyes and skin.

<u>HMIS (U.S.A.):</u> Health Hazard: 2 Fire Hazard: 0 Reactivity: 0 Personal Protection: E

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.): Health: 2 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0 Specific hazard:

<u>Protective Equipment:</u> Gloves. Lab coat. Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Splash goggles.

# **Section 16 - Additional Information**

**<u>References</u>**: Not available.

**Other Special Considerations:** Not available.

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