

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY

Catalogue No. : P 71217

Product Name : POTASSIUM BROMIDE A.R.

Manufacturer/supplier identification

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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CAS-No : 7758-02-3 Ec-Index No. :

Molar Mass : 119.01 EC-No. : 231-830-3

Molecular formula : BrK

3. Hazards Index

According to the evaluative data available, a classification according to categories of danger as specified in Directive 67/548/EEC and laid down in the legislation of the country concerned is not required.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

After inhalation: Fresh air. Consult doctor if feeling unwell.

After skin contact: Wash off with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing.

After eye contact: Rinse out with water.

After swallowing: Make victim drink plenty of water induce vomiting.

Summon doctor.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media: In adaption to materials stored in the

immediate neighbourhood.

Special risks: Non-combustible. Development of hazardous combustion gases or

vapours possible in the event of fire.

The following may develop in event of fire : Bromine

Special protective equipment for fire fighting: Do not stay in dangerous zone without suitable chemical protection clothing & self-contained breathing apparatus

Other information : Contain escaping vapours with water. Prevent fire-fighting

water from entering surface water or ground water.



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6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Person-related precautionary measures: Avoid generation of dusts;

do not inhale dusts.

Procedures for cleaning/absorption: Take up dry. Forward for disposal.

Clean up affected area.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling - No further requirement. Storage - Tightly closed. Dry.

Storage temperature: No restrictions.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/ PERSONAL PROTECTION

Respiratory protection: Required when dusts are generated.

Eye Protection : Required Hand Protection : Required

Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the working place, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled. The resistance of the protective clothing to chemicals should be ascertained with the respective supplier.

Industrial hygiene : Change contaminated clothing.

Wash hands and face after working with substance.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form : Solid

Colour : Colourless to white

upper : Not available density : Not available

Relative vapour density : Not available Density (20° C) : 2.75 g/cm^3

Bulk density : $\sim 900 - 1000 \text{ Kg/m}^3$

Solubility in Water (20 $^{\circ}$ C) : 650 gm/lt.

Ethanol (20° C) : Slightly soluble



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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Conditions to be avoided: no information available

Substances to be avoided: acids, halogen-halogen compounds.

Hazardous decomposition products: in the event of fire:

bromine, hydrogen bromide.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity: LD_{50} (oral, rat): > 3070 mg/kg.

Further toxicological information. : The data available to us do not suffice to

permit any industrial-toxicological assessment.

The following supplies to inorganic bromides in general : the update of large quantities as a result of misuse or improper handling leads to tiredness,

agitation, spasms.

Further data: However, when the product is handled appropriately, hazardous effects are unlikely to occur.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxic effects:

Quantitative data on the ecological effect of this product are not available. Further ecologic date: No ecological problems are to be expected when the product is handled and used with due care and attention.

13. DISPOSAL METHOD

Disposal in compliance with official regulations. Handle contaminated packaging in the same way as the substance itself. If not officially specified differently, non-contaminated packaging may be treated like house-hold waste or recycled.

There are no uniform EC Regulations for the disposal of chemicals or residues. Chemical residues generally count as special waste. Approved waste disposal companies which will advise you on how to dispose of special waste.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

No subject to transport regulations.



15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Labeling according to EC Directives

Symbol : ---

R-phrases: ---

S-phrases: ---

Water pollution class: 1 (slightly polluting substance) (own classification)

16. OTHER INFORMATION

The information contained herein is based on the present state of our knowledge. It characterises the product with regard to the appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent a guarantee of the properties of the product.