

Safety Data Sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006

**Potassium chromate solution saturated**

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**1.1. Product identifier**

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1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**Use of the substance/mixture**

Use as laboratory reagent

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name:	Waldeck GmbH & Co KG	
Street:	Havixbecker Str. 62	
Place:	D-48161 Münster	
Post-office box:	410180	
	D-48065 Münster	
Telephone:	+49(0)180/2247662	Telefax: +49(0)180/1247662
Responsible Department:	Labor	
	Mo. – Do.: 08.00 – 17.00 Uhr, Fr.: 08.00 – 15.00 Uhr	

1.4. Emergency telephone number:

+49(0)180/2247662

SECTION 2: Hazards identification**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008**

Hazard categories:

Skin corrosion/irritation: Skin Irrit. 2

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Eye Irrit. 2

Respiratory or skin sensitisation: Skin Sens. 1

Germ cell mutagenicity: Muta. 1B

Carcinogenicity: Carc. 1B

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure: STOT SE 3

Hazardous to the aquatic environment: Aquatic Acute 1

Hazardous to the aquatic environment: Aquatic Chronic 1

Hazard Statements:

Causes skin irritation.

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Causes serious eye irritation.

May cause respiratory irritation.

May cause genetic defects.

May cause cancer by inhalation.

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

2.2. Label elements**Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008****Hazard components for labelling**

potassium chromate

Signal word: Danger

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Pictograms:



Hazard statements

H315	Causes skin irritation.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
H340	May cause genetic defects.
H350i	May cause cancer by inhalation.
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statements

P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.
P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P312	Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
P308+P313	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
P403+P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

2.3. Other hazards

No information available.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**3.2. Mixtures****Hazardous components**

CAS No	Chemical name			Quantity
	EC No	Index No	REACH No	
	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]			
7789-00-6	potassium chromate			60 - < 65 %
	232-140-5	024-006-00-8		
	Carc. 1B, Muta. 1B, Eye Irrit. 2, STOT SE 3, Skin Irrit. 2, Skin Sens. 1, Aquatic Acute 1 (M-Factor = 1), Aquatic Chronic 1; H350i H340 H319 H335 H315 H317 H400 H410			

Full text of H and EUH statements: see section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures**4.1. Description of first aid measures****General information**

In case of accident or unwellness, seek medical advice immediately (show directions for use or safety data sheet if possible).

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After inhalation

Provide fresh air.

After contact with skin

After contact with skin, wash immediately with polyethylene glycol, followed by plenty of water. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Medical treatment necessary.

After contact with eyes

After contact with the eyes, rinse with water with the eyelids open for a sufficient length of time, then consult an ophthalmologist immediately.

After ingestion

Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water. Induce vomiting when the affected person is not unconscious. Medical treatment necessary.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No information available.

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

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**5.1. Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing media**

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

In case of fire may be liberated: Hazardous combustion products

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing. Full protection suit.

Additional information

Suppress gases/vapours/mists with water spray jet. Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately.
Do not allow entering drains or surface water.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Do not breathe gas/fumes/vapour/spray. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes. Use personal protection equipment.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Absorb with liquid-binding material (e.g. sand, diatomaceous earth, acid- or universal binding agents). Treat the recovered material as prescribed in the section on waste disposal.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Safe handling: see section 7

Personal protection equipment: see section 8

Disposal: see section 13

SECTION 7: Handling and storage**7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

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Advice on safe handling

If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used. Do not breathe gas/fumes/vapour/spray.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

No special fire protection measures are necessary.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**Requirements for storage rooms and vessels**

Keep container tightly closed. Keep locked up. Store in a place accessible by authorized persons only. Provide adequate ventilation as well as local exhaustion at critical locations.

Advice on storage compatibility

No special measures are necessary.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use as laboratory reagent

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**8.1. Control parameters****Exposure limits (EH40)**

CAS No	Substance	ppm	mg/m ³	fibres/ml	Category	Origin
-	Chromium (VI) compounds (as Cr)	-	0.05		TWA (8 h)	WEL
		-	-		STEL (15 min)	WEL

Biological Monitoring Guidance Values (EH40)

CAS No	Substance	Parameter	Value	Test material	Sampling time
	Chromium VI	chromium	10 µmol/mol	urine	Post shift

8.2. Exposure controls**Appropriate engineering controls**

If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used. Do not breathe gas/fumes/vapour/spray.

Protective and hygiene measures

Remove contaminated, saturated clothing immediately. Draw up and observe skin protection programme.

Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary. When using do not eat or drink.

Eye/face protection

Suitable eye protection: goggles.

Hand protection

When handling with chemical substances, protective gloves must be worn with the CE-label including the four control digits. The quality of the protective gloves resistant to chemicals must be chosen as a function of the specific working place concentration and quantity of hazardous substances. For special purposes, it is

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recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves.

Skin protection

Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection

In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state:	liquid
Colour:	yellow
Odour:	odourless

pH-Value (at 20 °C):

9

Test method**Changes in the physical state**

Melting point:	not determined
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	not determined
Flash point:	not determined

Flammability

Solid:	not applicable
Gas:	not applicable
Lower explosion limits:	not determined
Upper explosion limits:	not determined

Auto-ignition temperature

Solid:	not applicable
Gas:	not applicable
Decomposition temperature:	not determined

Oxidizing properties

Not oxidizing.	
Vapour pressure:	not determined
Density (at 20 °C):	1,97 g/cm ³
Water solubility:	easily soluble

Solubility in other solvents

not determined	
Partition coefficient:	not determined
Vapour density:	not determined
Evaporation rate:	not determined

9.2. Other information

Solid content:	not determined
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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

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10.1. Reactivity

No hazardous reaction when handled and stored according to provisions.

10.2. Chemical stability

The product is stable under storage at normal ambient temperatures.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No known hazardous reactions.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

none

10.5. Incompatible materials

No information available.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No known hazardous decomposition products.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information**11.1. Information on toxicological effects****Additional information on tests**

This mixture is classified as hazardous according to regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture!

SECTION 12: Ecological information**12.1. Toxicity**

Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

CAS No	Chemical name				
	Aquatic toxicity	Dose	[h] [d]	Species	Source
7789-00-6	potassium chromate				
	Acute fish toxicity	LC50	45,6 mg/l	96 h	Pimephales promelas
	Acute crustacea toxicity	EC50	0,18 mg/l	48 h	Daphnia pulex

12.2. Persistence and degradability

The product has not been tested.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

The product has not been tested.

12.4. Mobility in soil

The product has not been tested.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

The product has not been tested.

12.6. Other adverse effects

No information available.

Further information

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**13.1. Waste treatment methods**

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Advice on disposal

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil. Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation.


Contaminated packaging

This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste. Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.

SECTION 14: Transport information**Land transport (ADR/RID)**

14.1. UN number:	UN 3287
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	TOXIC LIQUID, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (potassium chromate)
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	6.1
14.4. Packing group:	II
Hazard label:	6.1 
Classification code:	T4
Special Provisions:	274
Limited quantity:	100 mL
Excepted quantity:	E4
Transport category:	2
Hazard No:	60
Tunnel restriction code:	D/E

Inland waterways transport (ADN)

14.1. UN number:	UN 3287
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	TOXIC LIQUID, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (potassium chromate)
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	6.1
14.4. Packing group:	II
Hazard label:	6.1 
Classification code:	T4
Special Provisions:	274 802
Limited quantity:	100 mL
Excepted quantity:	E4

Marine transport (IMDG)

14.1. UN number:	UN 3287
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	TOXIC LIQUID, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (potassium chromate)
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14.4. Packing group:	II
Hazard label:	6.1

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Special Provisions: 274
 Limited quantity: 100 mL
 Excepted quantity: E4
 EmS: F-A, S-A

Air transport (ICAO)

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14.3. Transport hazard class(es): 6.1
14.4. Packing group: II
 Hazard label: 6.1



Special Provisions: A3 A4 A137
 Limited quantity Passenger: 1 L
 Passenger LQ: Y641
 Excepted quantity: E4
 IATA-packing instructions - Passenger: 654
 IATA-max. quantity - Passenger: 5 L
 IATA-packing instructions - Cargo: 662
 IATA-max. quantity - Cargo: 60 L

14.6. Special precautions for user

No information available.

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information**15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****EU regulatory information****Additional information**

Observe employment restrictions under the Maternity Protection Directive (92/85/EEC) for expectant or nursing mothers. Observe restrictions to employment for juvenils according to the 'juvenile work protection guideline' (94/33/EC).

National regulatory information

Employment restrictions: Observe restrictions to employment for juvenils according to the 'juvenile work protection guideline' (94/33/EC). Observe employment restrictions under the Maternity Protection Directive (92/85/EEC) for expectant or nursing mothers.

Water contaminating class (D): 3 - highly water contaminating

Skin resorption/Sensitization: Causes allergic hypersensitivity reactions.

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15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Chemical safety assessments for substances in this mixture were not carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information**Abbreviations and acronyms**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport 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 Harmonized 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
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50%
LD50: Lethal dose, 50%

Relevant H and EUH statements (number and full text)

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Further Information

The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material.

(The data for the hazardous ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)