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## Karl Fischer Composite K5, for volumetric one-component titration, for ketones and aldehydes

### SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

**产品说明:** 卡尔费休试剂  
**Product Description:** Karl Fischer Composite K5, for volumetric one-component titration, for ketones and aldehydes

**Cat No. :** 47153

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**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.  
**Uses advised against** No Information available

### SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

**Physical State**  
Liquid

**Appearance**  
Dark brown

**Odor**  
No information available

#### Emergency Overview

Toxic if inhaled. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Combustible liquid. May damage fertility or the unborn child. Causes damage to organs. May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Moisture sensitive.

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

Flammable liquids.	Category 4
Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Vapors	Category 3
Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Category 1 B
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 1
Reproductive Toxicity	Category 1B
Specific target organ toxicity - (single exposure)	Category 1
Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure)	Category 2

#### Label Elements

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**Signal Word****Danger****Hazard Statements**

H227 - Combustible liquid

H331 - Toxic if inhaled

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H360 - May damage fertility or the unborn child

H370 - Causes damage to organs

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

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

P201 - Obtain special instructions before use

P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking

P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

**Response**

P301 + P330 + P331 - IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting

P303 + P361 + P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower

P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

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 or doctor

P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

P370 + P378 - In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish

**Storage**

P403 + P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

P405 - Store locked up

**Disposal**

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Physical and Chemical Hazards**

Combustible material.

**Health Hazards**

Toxic if inhaled. Harmful if inhaled. Corrosive. Causes skin and eye burns. Causes serious eye damage. May damage fertility or the unborn child. Causes damage to organs. May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

**Environmental hazards**

Contains no substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants. Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility. Spillage unlikely to penetrate soil. The product is insoluble and sinks in water. The product evaporates slowly.

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors. Toxic to terrestrial vertebrates.

**SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	111-90-0	72.0
1-Imidazole	288-32-4	15.0
Sulfur dioxide	7446-09-5	10
Iodine	7553-56-2	3.0

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## SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**General Advice**

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Eye Contact**

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

**Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Inhalation**

If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Remove to fresh air. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Ingestion**

Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

**Most important symptoms and effects**

Causes burns by all exposure routes. Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting: Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation

**Self-Protection of the First Aider**

No special precautions required.

**Notes to Physician**

Treat symptomatically. Symptoms may be delayed.

## SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Powder. Water spray. In case of major fire and large quantities: Evacuate area. Fight fire remotely due to the risk of explosion. Water mist may be used to cool closed containers. CO<sub>2</sub>, dry chemical, dry sand, alcohol-resistant foam.

**Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

No information available.

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Combustible material. Containers may explode when heated.

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

## SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Remove all sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

**Environmental Precautions**

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

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**Methods for Containment and Clean Up**

Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Remove all sources of ignition.

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

**SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE****Handling**

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Use only under a chemical fume hood. Do not breathe mist/vapors/spray. Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance. Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.

**Storage**

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Corrosives area.

**Specific Use(s)**

Use in laboratories

**SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION****Control Parameters**

Component	China	Taiwan	Thailand	Hong Kong
Sulfur dioxide	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 2 ppm TWA: 5.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 5 ppm	TWA: 2 ppm TWA: 5.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 5 ppm STEL: 13 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Iodine	Ceiling: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	-	Ceiling: 0.1 ppm	Ceiling: 0.1 ppm Ceiling: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

Component	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH	The United Kingdom	European Union
Sulfur dioxide	STEL: 0.25 ppm	(Vacated) TWA: 2 ppm (Vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Vacated) STEL: 5 ppm (Vacated) STEL: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 5 ppm TWA: 13 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 100 ppm TWA: 2 ppm TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> STEL: 5 ppm STEL: 13 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL: 1 ppm 15 min STEL: 2.7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min TWA: 0.5 ppm 8 hr TWA: 1.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr	TWA: 1.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (8h) TWA: 0.5 ppm (8h) STEL: 2.7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (15min) STEL: 1 ppm (15min)
Iodine	TWA: 0.001 ppm Skin	Ceiling: 0.1 ppm Ceiling: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Vacated) Ceiling: 0.1 ppm (Vacated) Ceiling: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 2 ppm Ceiling: 0.1 ppm Ceiling: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	STEL: 0.1 ppm 15 min STEL: 1.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min	

Legend

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

NIOSH: NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

**Monitoring methods**

BS EN 14042:2003 Title Identifier: Workplace atmospheres. Guide for the application and use of procedures for the assessment of exposure to chemical and biological agents. MDHS70 General methods for sampling airborne gases and vapours

**Exposure Controls****Engineering Measures**

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None under normal use conditions. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location. .

## Personal protective equipment

**Eye Protection** Goggles (European standard - EN 166)

**Hand Protection** Protective gloves

Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	EU standard	Glove comments
Viton (R)	See manufacturers recommendations	-	EN 374	(minimum requirement)

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

**Skin and body protection** Long sleeved clothing

**Respiratory Protection** No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions.

**Large scale/emergency use** Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced  
**Recommended Filter type:** Particle filter

**Small scale/Laboratory use** Maintain adequate ventilation  
**Recommended half mask:-** Valve filtering: EN405; or; Half mask: EN140; plus filter, EN 141

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Environmental exposure controls** Prevent product from entering drains. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system.

## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Appearance</b>	Dark brown	
<b>Physical State</b>	Liquid	
<b>Odor</b>	No information available	
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	No data available	
<b>pH</b>	Not applicable	
<b>Melting Point/Range</b>	No data available	
<b>Softening Point</b>	No data available	
<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	202 °C / 395.6 °F	
<b>Flash Point</b>	92 °C / 197.6 °F	<b>Method -</b> No information available
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	No data available	
<b>Flammability (solid,gas)</b>	Not applicable	Liquid
<b>Explosion Limits</b>	No data available	
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	23 hPa @ 20 °C	
<b>Vapor Density</b>	No data available	(Air = 1.0)
<b>Specific Gravity / Density</b>	1.1 g/cm3	@ 20 °C
<b>Bulk Density</b>	Not applicable	Liquid
<b>Water Solubility</b>	Immiscible	
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available	
<b>Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>		

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<b>Component</b>	<b>log Pow</b>	
Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	-0.8	
1-Imidazole	-0.02	
Iodine	2.49	
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Viscosity</b>	No data available	
<b>Explosive Properties</b>		explosive air/vapour mixtures possible
<b>Oxidizing Properties</b>	No information available	

## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>Stability</b>	Moisture sensitive.
<b>Hazardous Reactions</b>	None under normal processing.
<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	No information available.
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition.
<b>Materials to avoid</b>	Acids. Reducing Agent. Acid chlorides. Acid anhydrides. Oxidizing agent.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ). Nitrogen oxides (NO <sub>x</sub> ). Sulfur oxides. Hydrogen iodide.

## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## Product Information

(a) acute toxicity;  
Toxicology data for the components

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	6031 mg/kg ( Rat )	9143 mg/kg (Rabbit) 4200 µL/kg ( Rabbit ) 6 mL/kg ( Rat )	LC50 > 5240 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ( Rat ) 4 h
1-Imidazole	970 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
Sulfur dioxide			Per CGA P-20: 2500 ppm/1hr ( Rat )
Iodine	315 mg/kg ( Rat )	1425 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	4.588 mg/L 4h ( Rat )

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; Category 1 B

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; Category 1

## (d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

**Respiratory** No data available  
**Skin** No data available

Component	Test method	Test species	Study result
Iodine 7553-56-2 ( 3.0 )	OECD Test Guideline 429 Local Lymph Node Assay	mouse	non-sensitising

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; No data available

(f) carcinogenicity; No data available

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There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

(g) reproductive toxicity;	Category 1B
(h) STOT-single exposure;	Category 1
(i) STOT-repeated exposure;	Category 2
Target Organs	No information available.
(j) aspiration hazard;	No data available

**Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed** Symptoms of overexposure may be headache, dizziness, tiredness, nausea and vomiting: Product is a corrosive material. Use of gastric lavage or emesis is contraindicated. Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated: Ingestion causes severe swelling, severe damage to the delicate tissue and danger of perforation

## SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity effects** The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the environment. Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Component	Freshwater Fish	Water Flea	Freshwater Algae	Microtox
Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	LC50: 11600 - 16700 mg/L, 96h flow-through (Pimephales promelas) LC50: 11400 - 15700 mg/L, 96h flow-through (Oncorhynchus mykiss) LC50: 19100 - 23900 mg/L, 96h flow-through (Lepomis macrochirus) LC50: = 10000 mg/L, 96h static (Lepomis macrochirus)	EC50: 3940 - 4670 mg/L, 48h (Daphnia magna)		
1-Imidazole		EC50: = 341.5 mg/L, 48h (Daphnia magna)	EC50: = 82 mg/L, 96h (Desmodesmus subspicatus) EC50: = 130 mg/L, 72h (Desmodesmus subspicatus)	= 1200 mg/L EC50 Pseudomonas putida 17 h = 231 mg/L EC50 Photobacterium phosphoreum 30 min
Iodine	LC50 = 1.67 mg/L 96h	EC50 = 0.55 mg/L 48h	EC50 = 0.13 mg/L 72h	EC50 = 280 mg/L 3h

**Persistence and Degradability****Persistence****Degradation in sewage treatment plant**

Immiscible with water, May persist, based on information available.  
Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants.

**Bioaccumulative Potential**

May have some potential to bioaccumulate

Component	log Pow	Bioconcentration factor (BCF)
Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	-0.8	No data available
1-Imidazole	-0.02	No data available
Iodine	2.49	No data available

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**Mobility in soil** Spillage unlikely to penetrate soil The product is insoluble and sinks in water The product evaporates slowly Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water solubility  
Spillage unlikely to penetrate soil

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors  
**Persistent Organic Pollutant** This product does not contain any known or suspected substance  
**Ozone Depletion Potential** This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

## SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Waste from Residues/Unused Products** Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging** Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

**Other Information** Do not flush to sewer. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Do not empty into drains. Large amounts will affect pH and harm aquatic organisms.

## SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Road and Rail Transport

**UN-No** UN3267  
**Proper Shipping Name** Corrosive liquid, basic, organic, n.o.s.  
**Technical Shipping Name** (Imidazole)  
**Hazard Class** 8  
**Packing Group** III

IMDG/IMO

**UN-No** UN3267  
**Proper Shipping Name** Corrosive liquid, basic, organic, n.o.s.  
**Technical Shipping Name** (Imidazole)  
**Hazard Class** 8  
**Packing Group** III

IATA

**UN-No** UN3267  
**Proper Shipping Name** Corrosive liquid, basic, organic, n.o.s.  
**Technical Shipping Name** (Imidazole)  
**Hazard Class** 8  
**Packing Group** III

**Special Precautions for User** No special precautions required

## SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**International Inventories**

China, X = listed, Australia, U.S.A. (TSCA), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Australia (AICS), Korea (KECL), China (IECSC), Japan (ENCS), Philippines (PICCS), Taiwan (TCSI), Japan (ISHL), New Zealand (NZIoC), Japan (ISHL).

Component	The Inventory of Hazardous Chemicals (2015 Edition)	List of dangerous goods GB 12268 - 2012	TCSI	IECSC	EINECS	TSCA	DSL	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	AICS	KECL



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Diethylene glycol monoethyl ether	-	-	X	X	203-919-7	X	X	X	X	X	X	KE-10467
1-Imidazole	-	-	X	X	206-019-2	X	X	X	X	X	X	KE-20937
Sulfur dioxide	X	X	X	X	231-195-2	X	X	X	X	X	X	KE-32567
Iodine	-	X	X	X	231-442-4	X	X	X	X		X	KE-21023

## National Regulations

## SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

**Prepared By** Health, Safety and Environmental Department  
**Revision Date** 17-Jun-2024  
**Revision Summary** New emergency telephone response service provider.

## Training Advice

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene.

Legend

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**WEL** - Workplace Exposure Limit

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

**RPE** - Respiratory Protective Equipment

**LC50** - Lethal Concentration 50%

**NOEC** - No Observed Effect Concentration

**PBT** - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

**TWA** - Time Weighted Average

**IARC** - International Agency for Research on Cancer

**PNEC** - Predicted No Effect Concentration

**LD50** - Lethal Dose 50%

**EC50** - Effective Concentration 50%

**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

**vPvB** - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

**ICAO/IATA** - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

**ADR** - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

**IMO/IMDG** - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

**MARPOL** - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

**ATE** - Acute Toxicity Estimate

**VOC** - (Volatile Organic Compound)

## Key literature references and sources for data

<https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals>

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

**Physical hazards** On basis of test data  
**Health Hazards** Calculation method  
**Environmental hazards** Calculation method

## Disclaimer

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materials or in any process, unless specified in the text

**End of Safety Data Sheet**