

Occupational Safety and Health (Classification, Labelling and Safety Data Sheet of Hazardous Chemicals) Regulations 2013

SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING
Product Identifier

Perihalan Produk: **Potassium hexacyanoferrate (II)**
 Product Description: **Potassium hexacyanoferrate (II)**
 Cat No. : P/4920/53, P/4920/70
 Synonyms Potassium hexacyanoferrate(II)
 CAS No 14459-95-1
 Molecular Formula C₆ Fe K₄ N₆ . 3 H₂ O

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.
 Uses advised against No Information available

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SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION
Classification of the substance or mixture

Chronic aquatic toxicity	Category 3 (H412)
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Label Elements
Hazard Statements

H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

Precautionary Statements
Storage

P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place

Disposal

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

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Other Hazards

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS No	Weight %
Potassium ferrocyanide trihydrate	14459-95-1	>95
Ferrate(4-), hexakis(cyano-C)-, tetrapotassium, (OC-6-11)-	13943-58-3	-

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

Eye Contact

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

Skin Contact

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

Ingestion

Do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention.

Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

Self-Protection of the First Aider

No special precautions required.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Substance is nonflammable; use agent most appropriate to extinguish surrounding fire.

Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Non-combustible, substance itself does not burn but may decompose upon heating to produce corrosive and/or toxic fumes. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

Hazardous Combustion Products

Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid), Heavy metal oxides.

Advice for fire-fighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full

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protective gear.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Should not be released into the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Collect spillage.

Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

Reference to Other Sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Protect from direct sunlight.

Specific End Uses

Use in laboratories.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control Parameters

Component	Malaysia	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL
Potassium ferrocyanide trihydrate		TWA: 1 mg/m ³	(Vacated) TWA: 1 mg/m ³ (Vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m ³
Ferrate(4-), hexakis(cyano-C)-, tetrapotassium, (OC-6-11)-		TWA: 1 mg/m ³	(Vacated) TWA: 1 mg/m ³ (Vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m ³

Component	European Union	The United Kingdom	Germany
Potassium ferrocyanide trihydrate		STEL: 15 mg/m ³ 15 min TWA: 5 mg/m ³ 8 hr Skin STEL: 2 mg/m ³ 15 min TWA: 1 mg/m ³ 8 hr	TWA: 2 mg/m ³ (8 Stunden). MAK Höhepunkt: 2 mg/m ³ Haut
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Exposure Controls

Engineering Measures

None under normal use conditions.

Personal protective equipment

Eye Protection

Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles)

Hand Protection

Protective gloves

Skin and body protection

Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

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.

Respiratory Protection

No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions

Recommended Filter type:

Particle filter

Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice

Environmental exposure controls

Prevent product from entering drains

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Yellow	
Physical State	Powder Solid	
Odor	Odorless	
Odor Threshold	No data available	
pH	9.5 @ 25°C	100g/l aq.sol
Melting Point/Range	70 °C / 158 °F	
Softening Point	No data available	
Boiling Point/Range	No information available	
Flash Point	No information available	Method - No information available
Evaporation Rate	Not applicable	Solid
Flammability (solid,gas)	No information available	
Explosion Limits	No data available	
Vapor Pressure	negligible	
Vapor Density	Not applicable	Solid
Specific Gravity / Density	1.850	
Bulk Density	No data available	
Water Solubility	270 g/L (12°C)	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available	

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Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Autoignition Temperature	Not applicable	
Decomposition Temperature	> 70°C	
Viscosity	Not applicable	Solid
Explosive Properties	No information available	
Oxidizing Properties	No information available	

Molecular Formula	C6 Fe K4 N6 . 3 H2 O
Molecular Weight	422.4

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

None known, based on information available.

Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions. Light sensitive.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Hazardous Polymerization	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
Hazardous Reactions	Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas.

Conditions to Avoid

Avoid dust formation. Incompatible products. Excess heat. Exposure to light.

Incompatible Materials

Acids. Strong oxidizing agents. Strong acids.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid). Heavy metal oxides.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on Toxicological Effects

Product Information

(a) acute toxicity;

Oral	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Dermal	No data available
Inhalation	No data available

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Ferrate(4-), hexakis(cyano-C)-,	LD50 = 3613 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-

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tetrapotassium, (OC-6-11)-			
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(b) skin corrosion/irritation; No data available

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; No data available

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

Respiratory No data available

Skin No data available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; No data available

(f) carcinogenicity; No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

(g) reproductive toxicity; No data available

(h) STOT-single exposure; No data available

(i) STOT-repeated exposure; No data available

Target Organs No information available.

(j) aspiration hazard; Not applicable
Solid

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

Symptoms / effects, both acute and delayed No information available.

Endocrine Disrupting Properties Assess endocrine disrupting properties for human health. This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity effects

This product contains the following substance(s) which are hazardous for the environment. May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the environment.

Component	Freshwater Fish	Water Flea	Freshwater Algae	Microtox
Ferrate(4-), hexakis(cyano-C)-, tetrapotassium, (OC-6-11)-	LC50: > 100 mg/L, 96h (Pimephales promelas) LC50: = 19 mg/L, 96h static (Poecilia reticulata)			

Persistence and degradability Not readily biodegradable Product contains heavy metals. Discharge into the environment

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Persistence
Degradability
Degradation in sewage treatment plant

must be avoided. Special pre-treatment is necessary
May persist, based on information available.
Not relevant for inorganic substances.
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

Mobility in soil

The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems. Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility. Highly mobile in soils.

Endocrine Disruptor Information

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

Other adverse effects

No information available

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods
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 let this chemical enter the environment Do not empty into drains

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IMDG/IMO

Not regulated

Road and Rail Transport

Not regulated

IATA

Not regulated

Special Precautions for User

No special precautions required

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

International Inventories

X = listed

Component	EINECS	TSCA	DSL	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	IECSC	AICS	KECL
Potassium ferrocyanide trihydrate	-	-	-	X	-		X	X	-
Ferrate(4-), hexakis(cyano-C)-, tetrapotassium, (OC-6-11)-	237-722-2	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	KE-33660

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Component	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements	Rotterdam Convention (PIC)	Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste)
Potassium ferrocyanide trihydrate				Annex I - Y33
Ferrate(4-), hexakis(cyano-C)-, tetrapotassium, (OC-6-11)-				Annex I - Y33

National Regulations

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

Component	Persistent Organic Pollutant	Ozone Depletion Potential	Pesticides Act 1974
Ferrate(4-), hexakis(cyano-C)-, tetrapotassium, (OC-6-11)-			X

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

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

RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment

LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50%

POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50%

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

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

OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

BCF - Bioconcentration factor

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

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

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Revision Summary

Not applicable.

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relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process, unless specified in the text

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