

Safety data sheet
according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- **1.1 Product identifier**
 - **Trade name:** potassium acetate
 - **Article number:** A4279
 - **CAS Number:**
127-08-2
 - **EC number:**
204-822-2
 - **Application of the substance / the mixture** Laboratory chemicals
 - **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
 - **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
AppliChem GmbH
Ottoweg 4
D-64291 Darmstadt
 - **Further information obtainable from:** Dept. Compliance
 - **1.4 Emergency telephone number:** +49(0)6151 93570 (Inside normal business hours)
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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
The substance is not classified, according to the CLP regulation.
- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008** Void
- **Hazard pictograms** Void
- **Signal word** Void
- **Hazard statements** Void
- **2.3 Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

- **3.1 Substances**
- **CAS No. Description**
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- **Identification number(s)**
- **EC number:** 204-822-2

SECTION 4: First aid measures

- **4.1 Description of first aid measures**
 - **General information:** No special measures required.
 - **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
 - **After skin contact:**
Immediately rinse with water.
If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.
 - **After eye contact:**
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
Seek medical treatment.
 - **After swallowing:**
Rinse out mouth.
If symptoms persist consult doctor.
- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**
No further relevant information available.
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- **5.1 Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
Water, CO₂, foam, powder.
Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.
- **5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**
Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.
In case of fire, the following can be released:
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
Non-combustible.
- **5.3 Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.
- **Additional information**
Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Avoid formation of dust.
Do not inhale dust.
Ensure adequate ventilation
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Pick up mechanically.
Avoid formation of dust.
Clean up affected area.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.

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SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling** Provide suction extractors if dust is formed.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** The product is not flammable.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep container sealed.
- **Recommended storage temperature:** Room Temperature
- **Storage class:** 13
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:** Not required.

· DNELs

Oral	Acute - systemic effects, general population	43.07 mg/kg
	Long-term - systemic effects, general population	6 mg/kg
Dermal	Acute - systemic effects, worker	86.14 mg/kg
	Long-term - systemic effects, worker	14.36 mg/kg
Inhalative	Acute - systemic effects, general population	43.07 mg/kg
	Long term - systemic effects, general population	7.18 mg/kg
	Acute - systemic effects, worker	1265.65 mg/m3
	Long-term - systemic effects, worker	1265.65 mg/m3
	Acute - systemic effects, general population	624.2 mg/m3
	Long-term - systemic effects, general population	624.2 mg/m3

· PNECs

Aquatic compartment - freshwater	0.46 mg/L
Aquatic compartment - marine water	0.046 mg/L
Aquatic compartment - sediment in freshwater	0.00185 mg/kg
Aquatic compartment - sediment in marine water	0.000185 mg/kg
Sewage treatment plant	862 mg/L
Ground	0.00185 mg/kg

- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

· 8.2 Exposure controls

- **Appropriate engineering controls** No further data; see item 7.
- **Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
- **Respiratory protection:**
Filter P1
Required when dusts are generated.
- **Hand protection**
The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation
- **Material of gloves**
The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

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- **Penetration time of glove material**
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **For the permanent contact gloves made of the following materials are suitable:**
Nitrile rubber, NBR
Recommended thickness of the material: ≥ 0.11 mm
Value for the permeation: Level ≥ 480 min
- **As protection from splashes gloves made of the following materials are suitable:**
Nitrile rubber, NBR
Recommended thickness of the material: ≥ 0.11 mm
Value for the permeation: Level ≥ 480 min
- **Eye/face protection** Safety glasses
- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

· 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

- **General Information**
- **Physical state** Solid
- **Colour:** White
- **Odour:** Characteristic
- **Odour threshold:** Not determined.
- **Melting point/freezing point:** 292 °C
- **Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range** 392 °C
- **Flammability** Product is not flammable.
- **Lower and upper explosion limit**
- **Lower:** Not determined.
- **Upper:** Not determined.
- **Flash point:** Not applicable.
- **Auto-ignition temperature:** Not determined.
- **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.
- **pH** 7.5-8.5 (5%)
- **Viscosity:**
- **Kinematic viscosity** Not applicable.
- **Dynamic:** Not applicable.
- **Solubility**
- **water at 20 °C:** 2530 g/l
- **Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)** -3.72125
- **Vapour pressure:** Not applicable.
- **Density and/or relative density**
- **Density at 20 °C:** 1.8 g/cm³
- **Relative density** Not determined.
- **Bulk density:** ~500 kg/m³
- **Vapour density** Not applicable.

· 9.2 Other information

- **Appearance:**
- **Form:** Powder
- **Important information on protection of health and environment, and on safety.**
- **Explosive properties:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.
- **Change in condition**
- **Evaporation rate** Not applicable.

· Information with regard to physical hazard classes

- **Explosives** Void

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· Flammable gases	Void
· Aerosols	Void
· Oxidising gases	Void
· Gases under pressure	Void
· Flammable liquids	Void
· Flammable solids	Void
· Self-reactive substances and mixtures	Void
· Pyrophoric liquids	Void
· Pyrophoric solids	Void
· Self-heating substances and mixtures	Void
· Substances and mixtures, which emit flammable gases in contact with water	Void
· Oxidising liquids	Void
· Oxidising solids	Void
· Organic peroxides	Void
· Corrosive to metals	Void
· Desensitised explosives	Void
· Other safety characteristics	
· Acid/alkaline reserve	4.756

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**
Heating.
Moisture
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**
Violent reactions possible with:
strong oxidants
acids
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** In the event of fire: See chapter 5
- **Additional information:** sensitive to moisture.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:**
Quantitative data on the toxicological effect of this product are not available.

Components	Type	Value	Species
Oral LD50		3250 mg/kg (rat)	

- **Skin corrosion/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **After inhalation:** No irritant effect.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT-repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

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- **11.2 Information on other hazards**
- **Endocrine disrupting properties** Substance is not listed.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.

Type of test	Effective concentration	Method	Assessment
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EC50/72 h	1000 mg/l	(Algae)	
EC50/48 h	919 mg/l	(Aquatic Invertebrata)	
LC50/96 h	992.7 mg/l	(fish)	

- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** -3.72 log Pow
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties**
The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.
- **12.7 Other adverse effects**
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Assessment by list): slightly hazardous for water

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Chemicals must be disposed of in compliance with the respective national regulations.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:**
Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
Packagings that may not be cleansed are to be disposed of in the same manner as the product.
- **Recommended cleansing agents:** Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

SECTION 14: Transport information

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| · 14.1 UN number or ID number | |
| · ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.2 UN proper shipping name | |
| · ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) | |
| · ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | |
| · Class | Void |
| · 14.4 Packing group | |
| · ADR, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.5 Environmental hazards: | Not applicable. |
| · 14.6 Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |

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| · 14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments | Not applicable. |
| · UN "Model Regulation": | Void |

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- **Directive 2012/18/EU**
- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** Substance is not listed.
- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- **Department issuing SDS:** Dept. Compliance
- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**
 - ADR: Accord relatif au transport international 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 Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
 - EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
 - CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
 - DNEL: Derived No-Effect Level (REACH)
 - PNEC: Predicted No-Effect Concentration (REACH)
 - LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
 - LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
 - PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
 - vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
- *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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