

# **VOLUNTARY PURCHASING GROUPS, INC.**

## Safety Data Sheet Hi-Yield Muriate of Potash

### **SECTION 1: Identification**

**Product identifier** 

Product name Hi-Yield Muriate of Potash

Substance name Potassium Chloride

Supplier's details

Name Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc.

Address 230 FM 87

Bonham, TX 75418

USA

Telephone 855-270-4776

**Emergency phone number(s)** 

In the event or a medical or chemical emergency contact ChemTel, Inc. North American 1-800-255-3924 or worldwide Intl. + 01-813-248-0585

### **SECTION 2: Hazard identification**

#### Classification of the substance or mixture

- Skin corrosion/irritation (chapter 3.2), Cat. 1
- Eye damage/irritation (chapter 3.3), Cat. 1

### GHS label elements, including precautionary statements

**Pictogram** 



Signal word Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H335 May cause respiratory irritation
H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction

H303+H313 May be harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin

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#### Other hazards which do not result in classification

### **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

#### **Substances**

Substance name Potassium Chloride

Formula KCI

Other names / synonyms Potassium chloride (KCI)

**Hazardous components** 

1. POTASSIUM CHLORIDE

Concentration 95 - 98 % (Weight)

CAS no. 7447-40-7

#### **SECTION 4: First-aid measures**

### Description of necessary first-aid measures

General advice In case of persisting adverse effects consult a physician.

If inhaled Remove to fresh air.

In case of skin contact In case of irritation, remove clothing. Wipe excess from skin. Wash with

soap and water for at least 5 minutes.

In case of eye contact Flush eyes with plenty of water, lifting lower and upper eyelids occasionally.

If swallowed Induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth (oral) to an

unconscious person.

### **SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures**

### Suitable extinguishing media

Any mean suitable for extinguishing surrounding fire. Spray water for small fires. For large fires flood with abundant water.

### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment (Section 8).

#### **Environmental precautions**

Do not discharge into drains. Avoid surface and ground water contamination.

### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up the product mechanically and store in a normal container for recovery or disposal.

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### **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### Precautions for safe handling

Minimize dust generation. Avoid contact with eyes and skin.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Special Requirements: Keep the product in the original containers.

Storage Conditions : Keep containers closed in well ventilated and cool place.

### **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

#### **Body protection**

Personal Protective Equipment:

Wear nitrile rubber gloves (over 0.11 mm thickness, > 480 min breakthrough time), and chemical safety goggles.

#### Hygiene Measures:

Do not drink, eat or smoke during product manipulation. Keep away from foodstuffs and beverages. Wash hands before breaks and after work.

### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance/form Granular Solid
Odor Odorless

Odor threshold No data available.

pH 5.5-8.0 Melting point/freezing point 1575 °C

Initial boiling point and boiling range

No data available.

No data available.

Evaporation rate

Flammability (solid, gas)
Upper/lower flammability limits
Upper/lower explosive limits

Vapor pressure Vapor density Relative density Solubility(ies)

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

Auto-ignition temperature Decomposition temperature

Viscosity

Explosive properties
Oxidizing properties

Water: 357 g/L (25 °C ) (only for crystalline material)

### **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

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### **Chemical stability**

Stable under normal use and storage conditions.

#### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Contact with strong acid may produce hydrogen chlorine gas.

### **Hazardous decomposition products**

None.

### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### Information on toxicological effects

#### **Acute toxicity**

No toxicity data are availlable for the mixture. Individual components data are presented. None of the components has been listed as a carcinogenic agent.

Compound Accute oral toxicity (DL50, rat)

KCI 2600 mg/Kg

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Can cause skin and eye irritation.

### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### **Toxicity**

General

Do not discharge into drains and water or public depositories.

### **Environmental Fate**

In aquatic compartiments, ions are mobile. Bioaacumulation is not expected. Sodium and Potassium binds to clay particles in the soil.

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### Disposal of the product

Contact your local permitted disposal site. Always contact a licensed waste disposal service to assure compliance with all regulations.

### Disposal of contaminated packaging

Empty containers may be reused after appropriate cleansing. Packaging that can not be cleaned should be disposed in agreement with the regional waste disposal company.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

DOT (US)

Proper Shipping Name: None

Non-Hazardous for Transport: This substance is considered to be non-hazardous for transport.

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## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

**SARA 302 Components** 

None.

### **NFPA Rating**



### **SECTION 16: Other information**

No data available.