

# **Potassium Phosphate Dibasic**

# **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

<b>Product Identifier</b>	Potassium Phosphate Dibasic
Other Means of Identification	DKP, Dipotassium hydrogen phosphate
Product Code(s)	PO6810
Product Family	Inorganic Solid
Recommended Use	Laboratory and industrial use.
<b>Restrictions on Use</b>	None known.
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# **SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION**

#### Classification

Not classified under any hazard class.

Label Elements

Not applicable

Other Hazards

None known.

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

### Substance:

Chemical Name	CAS No.	%	Other Identifiers
Dipotassium phosphate	7758-11-4		DKP, Dipotassium hydrogen phosphate

# **SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES**

### First-aid Measures

## Inhalation

Move to fresh air. Get medical advice or attention if you feel unwell.

### Skin Contact

Rinse with lukewarm, gently flowing water for 5 minutes. If skin irritation occurs, get medical advice or attention.

## Eye Contact

Rinse the contaminated eye(s) with lukewarm, gently flowing water for 5 minutes, while holding the eyelid(s) open. If eye irritation persists, get medical advice or attention.

### Ingestion

Rinse mouth with water. Get medical advice or attention if you feel unwell or are concerned.

### **First-aid Comments**

All first aid procedures should be periodically reviewed by a doctor familiar with the material and its condition of use in the workplace. Get medical advice or attention if you feel unwell or are concerned.

### Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

None known.

### **Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment**

#### Special Instructions

#### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

# **SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### **Extinguishing Media**

#### Suitable Extinguishing Media

Not combustible. Use extinguishing agent suitable for surrounding fire. Use water to keep non-leaking, fire-exposed containers cool.

#### Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

None known.

#### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Product**

Does not burn. Heating increases the release of toxic vapour. Closed containers may rupture violently when heated releasing contents.

In a fire, the following hazardous materials may be generated: phosphorus oxides.

### **Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-fighters**

Does not burn or support combustion. Move containers from fire area if it can be done without risk. Otherwise, use water in flooding quantities as a spray or fog to keep fire-exposed containers cool and absorb heat. Knock down vapours or gases with water fog or fine water spray. Apply water from as far a distance as possible. Chemical protective clothing (e.g. chemical splash suit) and positive pressure SCBA may be necessary.

# SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment, and Emergency Procedures

Use the personal protective equipment recommended in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Increase ventilation to area or move leaking container to a well-ventilated and secure area. Remove or isolate incompatible materials as well as other hazardous materials.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any waterway.

### Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

Avoid generating dust. Collect using shovel/scoop or approved HEPA vacuum and place in a suitable container for disposal. Flush spill area.

# **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### Precautions for Safe Handling

Wear personal protective equipment to avoid direct contact with this chemical. Avoid generating dusts. Only use where there is adequate ventilation. Prevent uncontrolled release of product. Do not dry sweep. Wet the product or use explosion-proof HEPA vacuum. Prevent accidental contact with incompatible chemicals.

### Conditions for Safe Storage

Store in an area that is: well-ventilated, separate from incompatible materials (see Section 10: Stability and Reactivity). Store in the original, labelled, shipping container. Protect from conditions listed in Conditions to Avoid in Section 10 (Stability and Reactivity).

# SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### **Control Parameters**

	ACGIH	ACGIH TLV®		OSHA PEL		AIHA WEEL	
Chemical Name	TWA	STEL	TWA	Ceiling	8-hr TWA	TWA	
Dipotassium phosphate	Not established		Not established				

# Appropriate Engineering Controls

Use local exhaust ventilation and enclosure, if necessary, to control amount in the air.

### Individual Protection Measures

### **Eye/Face Protection**

Not required but it is good practice to wear safety glasses or chemical safety goggles.

### **Skin Protection**

No specific requirement, but it is good practice to prevent skin contact.

## **Respiratory Protection**

Wear a NIOSH approved air-purifying respirator with an appropriate cartridge.

# **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

<b>Basic Physical and Chemical</b>	Properties
Appearance	Colourless white powder.
Odour	Odourless
Odour Threshold	Not available
рН	8.8 (1% solution)
Melting Point/Freezing Point	Not applicable (melting); Not available (freezing)
Initial Boiling Point/Range	Not available
Flash Point	Not applicable
Evaporation Rate	Not applicable
Flammability (solid, gas)	Will not burn.
Upper/Lower Flammability or Explosive Limit	Not applicable (upper); Not applicable (lower)
Vapour Pressure	Not available
Vapour Density (air = 1)	Not applicable
Relative Density (water = 1)	Not available
Solubility	Very soluble in water; Mildly soluble in alcohols (e.g. ethanol).
Partition Coefficient, n-Octanol/Water (Log Kow)	Not available
Auto-ignition Temperature	Not applicable
Decomposition Temperature	Not available
Viscosity	Not available (kinematic); Not available (dynamic)
Other Information	
Physical State	Solid
Molecular Weight	174.18

# SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity None known. Chemical Stability Normally stable. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

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Hazardous polymerization does not occur. Conditions to Avoid Heat. Generation of dust. Incompatible Materials Strong acids (e.g. hydrochloric acid). Hazardous Decomposition Products

None known.

# SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## Likely Routes of Exposure

Inhalation; skin contact; eye contact; ingestion.

### Acute Toxicity

Chemical Name	LC50	LD50 (oral)	LD50 (dermal)
Dipotassium phosphate	Not available	> 2000 mg/kg (female rat)	> 5000 mg/kg (rabbit)

### Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Animal tests show very mild irritation.

### Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

Animal tests show very mild irritation.

### STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Single Exposure

## Inhalation

May cause nose and throat irritation.

# Ingestion

If small amounts are swallowed not harmful Ingestion is not a typical route of occupational exposure.

### **Aspiration Hazard**

No information was located.

## STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Repeated Exposure

No information was located.

### Respiratory and/or Skin Sensitization

### No information was located.

## Carcinogenicity

Chemical Name	IARC	ACGIH®	NTP	OSHA
Dipotassium phosphate	Not evaluated	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

# Reproductive Toxicity

## Development of Offspring

Not known to harm the unborn child.

## **Sexual Function and Fertility**

Not known to cause effects on sexual function or fertility.

### Effects on or via Lactation

No information was located.

## Germ Cell Mutagenicity

## Not known to be a mutagen.

## Interactive Effects

No information was located.

# **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

This section is not required by WHMIS. This section is not required by OSHA HCS 2012.

# **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

### **Disposal Methods**

Bury in a licensed landfill according to federal, provincial/state, and local regulations.

# **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Not regulated under Canadian TDG regulations. Not regulated under US DOT Regulations.

### Special Precautions Not applicable

# Transport in Bulk According to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

# **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

## Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations

## Canada

**Domestic Substances List (DSL) / Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)** Listed on the DSL.

### USA

# Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 8(b)

Listed on the TSCA Inventory.

# **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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