POTASSIUM IODIDE, U.S.P. MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET



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NFPA RATING:

FIRE:

TOXICITY:

REACTIVITY: 0

SPECIAL:

SECTION I - PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: POTASSIUM IODIDE, U.S.P.

DOT CLASS:

Not a hazardous material

PRODUCT NUMBER: 9003

HAZARD CLASS: N/A

N/A

PG: N/A

PREPARED BY: GRA/STACEY COATS

UN NUMBER:

DATE CREATED: 7/29/97 LAST REVISION:

GUIDE NUMBER: N/A

SHIPPING NAME: Feed preparation

SYNONYMS:

SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name

CAS

OSHA PEL

ACGIH TLV

Weight %

Potassium lodide

7681-11-0

None Established

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SECTION III - PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

BOILING POINT: N/A

VAPOR PRESSURE: N/A

EVAPORATION RATE: N/A

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.46 to 1.60

MELTING POINT: N/A

VAPOR DENSITY: N/A

POUNDS PER GALLON: density: 70-80 lbs/cu.f

SOLUBILITY IN WATER:

58.8 % w/w at 25 deg. C.

APPEARANCE AND ODOR:

Colorless or white granules, organoleptic.

SECTION IV - FIRE/EXPLOSION

FLASH POINT: Non-flamm

ESTIMATED EXPLOSIVE LIMIT RANGE LEL: 0.00%

UEL: 0.00%

FLASH POINT METHOD USED: N/A

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:

Water

SPECIAL FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES:

N/A

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:

May emit toxic fumes of iodine and potassium oxides with high heat.

SECTION V - REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY: Stable

CONDITIONS TO AVOID:

N/A

INCOMPATIBILITY:

Oxidizers

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION OR BY PRODUCTS

There are none under normal circumstances

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will Not Occur

CONDITIONS TO AVOID:

N/A

SECTION VI - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS

EYE CONTACT: May cause eye irritation on contact.

INHALATION: Avoid inhalation of dust, could cause irritation.

INGESTION: Moderately toxic if large quantity is ingested.

SKIN CONTACT: May cause skin irritation upon prolonged or repeated contact.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE:

Prolonged exposure to iodides may cause skin rash, running nose, headache and irritation to mucous membranes.

AGGRAVATED MEDICAL CONDITIONS:

N/A

SUPPLEMENTAL HEALTH INFORMATION:

N/A

EMERGENCY FIRST AID PROCEDURES

EYE CONTACT: Flush with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

INHALATION: Remove victim to fresh air.

INGESTION: Moderately toxic if large quantity is ingested. Promptly drink large quantities of water and get medical

attention.

SKIN CONTACT: Flush with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation occurs, get medical attention.

SECTION VII - SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS SPILLED OR RELEASED:

Flush to sewer or dispose of with refuse.

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:

Follow all federal, state and local regulations.

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORING:

Store in a cool, dry place. Protect from light.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS:

THOROUGHLY RINSE ALL MEASURING DEVICES AND STORE OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

SECTION VIII - CONTROL MEASURES

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION (Specify Type)

Recommended, NIOSH/MSHA-approved (or equivalent) respirator, if dust is generated.

VENTILATION:

Use only with adequate ventilation.

PROTECTIVE GLOVES:

Chemically resistant gloves are recommended.

EYE PROTECTION:

Safety glasses with side shields (or goggles) are recommended.

OTHER PROTECTIVE CLOTHING OR EQUIPMENT

N/A

WORK/HYGIENIC PRACTICES:

Use good personal hygiene when handling this product. Wash hands after use, before smoking, or using the toilet.

SECTION IX - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OTHER ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

No information available at this time.

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