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#### 1 Identification

Product identifier

Product name: Potassium pentachlororhodate(III)

Stock number: 40409 **CAS Number:** 65980-75-8 EC number:

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

Identified use: SU24 Scientific research and development

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer/Supplier: Alfa Aesar Thermo Fisher Scientific Chemicals, Inc.

Thermo Fisher Scientific S. 30 Bond Street
Ward Hill, MA 01835-8099
Tel: 800-343-0660
Fax: 800-322-4757
Email: tech @alfa.com www.alfa.com

Information Department: Health, Safety and Environmental Department

Emergency telephone number:

During normal business hours (Monday-Friday, 8am-7pm EST), call (800) 343-0660. After normal business hours, call Carechem 24 at (866) 928-0789.

#### 2 Hazard(s) identification

## Classification of the substance or mixture in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)



Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed. Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation. Eye Irrit. 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation. Hazards not otherwise classified No information known.

#### Label elements

GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS) Hazard pictograms



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Signal word Warning Hazard statements

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements

Precautionary statements
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P362 Take off contaminated clothing.
P301+P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/.../if you feel unwell.
P321 Specific treatment (see on this label).
Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

WHMIS classification

D2B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects



# Classification system HMIS ratings (scale 0-4) (Hazardous Materials Identification System)



Health (acute effects) = 2Flammability = 0 Physical Házard = 1

Other hazards Results of PBT and vPvB assessment PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable

#### 3 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization: Substances CAS# Description: 65980-75-8 Potassium pentachlororhodate(III)

Identification number(s): EC number: 265-989-5

## 4 First-aid measures

#### Description of first aid measures

After inhalation

Arter Innaiauon Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Seek immediate medical advice.

After skin contact

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

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Seek immediate medical advice.

After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

After swallowing Seek medical treatment.

Information for doctor

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No further relevant information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

## 5 Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media
Suitable extinguishing agents Product is not flammable. Use fire-fighting measures that suit the surrounding fire.
Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:
Hydrogen chloride (HCl)
Potassium oxide
Plandium oxide

Rhodium oxide

Advice for firefighters Protective equipment: Wear self-contained respirator.

Wear fully protective impervious suit.

#### 6 Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away

Ensure adequate ventilation

Environmental precautions: Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13.

Reference to other sections
See Section 7 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

# 7 Handling and storage

Handling Precautions for safe handling

Keep container tightly sealed. Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers. Ensure good ventilation at the workplace.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: The product is not flammable

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from oxidizing agents.

Further information about storage conditions:

Keep container tightly sealed.
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.
Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

# 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

Additional information about design of technical systems:

Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

Control parameters

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

65980-75-8 Potassium pentachlororhodate(III) (100.0%)

PEL (USA) Long-term value: 0.001 mg/m³ as Rh

TLV (USA) Long-term value: 0.01 mg/m³ as Rh

#### **Additional information:** No data

Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment
General protective and hygienic measures
The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eves and skin

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.
Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present.
Recommended filter device for short term use:
Use a respirator with type P100 (USA) or P3 (EN 143) cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. Risk assessment should be performed to determine if airpurifying respirators are appropriate. Only use equipment tested and approved under appropriate government standards.
Protection of hands:
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Impervious gloves

Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.
The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on quality. Quality will vary from manufacturer to manufacturer.

Penetration time of glove material (in minutes) Not determined

Eye protection: Safety glasses

Body protection: Protective work clothing.

### 9 Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance: Form:

Solid

Odor: Not determined

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Odor threshold:	Not determined.	
pH-value:	Not applicable.	
Change in condition Melting point/Melting range: Boiling point/Boiling range: Sublimation temperature / start: Flammability (solid, gaseous) Ignition temperature: Decomposition temperature: Auto igniting:	Not determined Not determined Not determined Not determined Not determined Not determined Not determined	
Danger of explosion: Explosion limits: Lower: Upper: Vapor pressure: Density: Relative density Vapor density Evaporation rate Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Not determined.  Not determined Not applicable. Not determined Not determined. Not applicable. Not applicable. Not applicable. Slightly soluble in cold water	
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Viscosity: dynamic: kinematic:		

## 10 Stability and reactivity

Other information

Reactivity No information known. Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications.

No further relevant information available.

Possibility of hazardous reactions Reacts with strong oxidizing agents Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials: Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products: Hydrogen chloride (HCI) Potassium oxide

Rhodium oxide

# 11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects Acute toxicity: Harmful if swallowed. LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data

Skin irritation or corrosion: Causes skin irritation.

Eye irritation or corrosion: Causes skin irritation.

Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.

Germ cell mutagenicity: The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) contains mutation data for this substance.

Carcinogenicity: ACGIH A4: Not classifiable as a human carcinogen: Inadequate data on which to classify the agent in terms of its carcinogenicity in humans and/or animals.

Reproductive toxicity: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure: No effects known.
Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: No effects known.
Aspiration hazard: No effects known.
Subacute to chronic toxicity: No effects known.
Additional toxicological information: To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

# 12 Ecological information

Toxicity
Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.
Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.

Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.

Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.

Additional ecological information:

General notes:

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

Avoid transfer into the environment.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.
Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.

# 13 Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Recommendation Consult state, local or national regulations to ensure proper disposal.

Uncleaned packagings:
Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

## 14 Transport information

**UN-Number** 

DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA Not applicable

UN proper shipping name DOT, ADN, IMDG, IATA

Not applicable

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#### Product name: Potassium pentachlororhodate(III) (Contd. of page 3) Transport hazard class(es) DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA Class Not applicable Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA Not applicable Environmental hazards: Not applicable. Special precautions for user Not applicable. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable. Transport/Additional information: DOT Marine Pollutant (DOT): No UN "Model Regulation":

## 15 Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS) Hazard pictograms



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P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

National regulations

National regulations
All components of this product are listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical substance Inventory.
All components of this product are listed on the Canadian Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL).
SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings) Substance is not listed.
California Proposition 65
Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer Substance is not listed.
Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity Substance is not listed.
Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, female Substance is not listed.
Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male Substance is not listed.
Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically qualified individuals.
Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations.

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Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed.
The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the

market and use must be observed.

Substance is not listed.

Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed.

Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

# Other information

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.

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ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
DOT: US Department of Transportation
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
HMIS: Hazardous Materials Information System (USA)
WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
VPUB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)
OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (USA)
NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA)
IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer
EPA: Environmental Protection Agency (USA)

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