

Safety data sheet
according to UK REACH

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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:** 1479
- **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:**
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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 GB 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.

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SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

- **3.1 Substances**
- **CAS No. Description**
127-08-2 potassium acetate
- **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.

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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.

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	1,265.65 mg/m3
	Long-term - systemic effects, worker	1,265.65 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 section 7.

· **Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

· **General protective and hygienic measures:**

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing

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Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

· **Respiratory protection:** Required when dusts are generated.

· **Recommended filter device for short term use:** Filter P1

· **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.

· **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.

· 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.

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· Bulk density:	~500 kg/m ³
· Vapour density	Not applicable.
· 9.2 Other information	
· Appearance:	
· Form:	Powder
· Important information on protection of health and environment, and on safety.	
· Ignition temperature:	Not determined.
· Explosive properties:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
· Molecular weight	98.15 g/mol
· Change in condition	
· Evaporation rate	Not applicable.
· Information with regard to physical hazard classes	
· Explosives	Void
· 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

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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		3,250 mg/kg (rat)	

· Primary irritant effect:

· **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.

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
EC50/72 h	1,000 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

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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. |
| · 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**
- **Poisons Act**
- **Regulated explosives precursors** Substance is not listed.
- **Regulated poisons** Substance is not listed.
- **Reportable explosives precursors** Substance is not listed.
- **Reportable poisons** Substance is not listed.
- **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.

- **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)

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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 (UK REACH)

PNEC: Predicted No-Effect Concentration (UK 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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