

### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Trade name : DIPOTASSIUM HYDROGEN ORTHOPHOSPHATE  
 IUPAC name : dipotassium hydrogenorthophosphate  
 EC-No. : 231-834-5  
 CAS-No. : 7758-11-4  
 Product code : 116135xxx  
 Formula : K<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub>

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

Recommended uses and restrictions : For laboratory use only

#### 1.3. Supplier's details

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#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : +27 11 452 1116

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

##### Classification according to the United Nations GHS

Hazardous to the aquatic environment -  
 Acute Hazard Not classified  
 Full text of H statements : see section 16

#### 2.2. Label elements

##### Labelling according to the United Nations GHS

No labelling applicable

#### 2.3. Other hazards

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects : To our knowledge, this product does not present any particular risk, provided it is handled in accordance with good occupational hygiene and safety practice

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

IUPAC name : dipotassium hydrogenorthophosphate

Substance identification codes: See section 1.1

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to the United Nations GHS
dipotassium hydrogenorthophosphate (Main constituent)	(CAS-No.) 7758-11-4	≥ 98	Aquatic Acute Not classified

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.  
 First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash skin with plenty of water.  
 First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse eyes with water as a precaution.  
 First-aid measures after ingestion : Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No additional information available

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

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### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Dry powder. Foam.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

No additional information available

##### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area.

##### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Mechanically recover the product.

Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Wear personal protective equipment.

Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

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

Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available

#### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

Environmental exposure controls : Avoid release to the environment.

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

Hand protection : Protective gloves

Eye protection : Safety glasses

Skin and body protection : Wear suitable protective clothing

Respiratory protection : In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Dust production: dust mask with filter type P1

#### Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



#### 8.4. Exposure limit values for the other components

No additional information available

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Solid

Appearance : Powder.

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Molecular mass	: 174.176 g/mol
Colour	: white.
Odour	: Odourless.
Odour threshold	: No data available
pH	: No data available
pH solution	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (ether=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: > 449.85 °C Decomposition: 'no' Sublimation: 'no'
Freezing point	: Not applicable
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature	: Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Non flammable.
Vapour pressure	: No data available
Vapour pressure at 50 °C	: No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: 2.45 Type: 'relative density' Temp.: 20,5 °C
Relative density of saturated gas/air mixture	: No data available
Density	: No data available
Relative gas density	: No data available
Solubility	: Water: 149.25 g/100ml (at 20°C)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	: No data available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidising properties	: No data available
Explosive limits	: Not applicable
Lower explosive limit (LEL)	: No data available
Upper explosive limit (UEL)	: No data available

### 9.2. Other information

No additional information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	: Not classified

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DI POTASSIUM HYDROGEN ORTHOPHOSPHATE (7758-11-4)	
LD50 oral rat	> 2000 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Animal sex: female, Guideline: OECD Guideline 420 (Acute Oral Toxicity - Fixed Dose Method), Guideline: EU Method B.1 bis (Acute Oral Toxicity - Fixed Dose Procedure)
LD50 dermal rat	> 2000 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 402 (Acute Dermal Toxicity), Guideline: EPA OPPTS 870.1200 (Acute Dermal Toxicity), Guideline: EU Method B.3 (Acute Toxicity (Dermal))
LC50 inhalation rat (mg/l)	> 0.83 mg/l air - Animal: rat, Guideline: EPA OPP 81-3 (Acute inhalation toxicity), Guideline: other:U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Health Effects Test Guidelines, October 1984 (PB82-232984) Acute Inhalation Toxicity Study, Guideline: OECD Guideline 403 (Acute Inhalation Toxicity), Guideline: EU Method B.2 (Acute Toxicity (Inhalation)), Guideline: other:FMC Acute Inhalation Toxicity Protocol Number 27

Skin corrosion/irritation	: Not classified
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Not classified
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
STOT-single exposure	: Not classified
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified

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NOAEL (oral, rat, 90 days)	1000 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 422 (Combined Repeated Dose Toxicity Study with the Reproduction / Developmental Toxicity Screening Test)

Aspiration hazard	: Not classified
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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general	: The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms nor to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute)	: Not classified.
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic)	: Not classified

DI POTASSIUM HYDROGEN ORTHOPHOSPHATE (7758-11-4)	
LC50 fish 1	> 100 mg/l Test organisms (species): Oncorhynchus mykiss (previous name: Salmo gairdneri)
EC50 Daphnia 1	> 100 mg/l Test organisms (species): Daphnia magna
EC50 72h algae (1)	> 100 mg/l Test organisms (species): Desmodesmus subspicatus (previous name: Scenedesmus subspicatus)

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

DI POTASSIUM HYDROGEN ORTHOPHOSPHATE (7758-11-4)	
Persistence and degradability	No additional information available

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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Bioaccumulative potential	No additional information available

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

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Mobility in soil	No additional information available

### 12.5. Other adverse effects

Ozone	: Not classified
Other adverse effects	: No additional information available

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Disposal methods

Waste treatment methods	: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.
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## SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with SANS / IMDG / IATA

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SANS	IMDG	IATA
<b>14.1. UN number</b>		
Not regulated for transport		
<b>14.2. Proper Shipping Name</b>		
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b>		
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
<b>14.4. Packing group</b>		
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
<b>14.5. Environmental hazards</b>		
Dangerous for the environment : No	Dangerous for the environment : No :	Dangerous for the environment : No
No supplementary information available		

### 14.6. Special precautions for user

#### - SANS

No data available

#### - IMDG

No data available

#### - IATA

No data available

### 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. Safety, health, and environmental national regulations specific for the product

Regulatory reference : SANS 10234:2008; SANS 11014:2010; SANS 10228:2012;SANS 10229:2010; SANS 10232(1,2,4), SANS 10231:2018; Occupational Health and Safety Act 85 of 1993; National Road Traffic Act 93 of 1996.

## SECTION 16: Other information

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