

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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1. Identification

Product Name Sodium potassium tartrate tetrahydrate

Cat No.: \$386-12; \$386-212; \$386-500; \$387-3; \$387-10; \$387-500

**CAS-No** 6381-59-5

Synonyms Seignette salt; Rochelle salt; Potassium sodium tartrate tetrahydrate; Tartaric acid sodium

potassium salt (Crystalline/Powder/USP/Certified ACS)

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against Not for food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Company

Fisher Scientific One Reagent Lane Fair Lawn, NJ 07410 Tel: (201) 796-7100

### **Emergency Telephone Number**

CHEMTREC®, Inside the USA: 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA: 001-703-527-3887

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

Classification under 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

### Label Elements

None required

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

# 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS-No	Weight %		
Potassium sodium tartrate tetrahydrate	6381-59-5	>95		
Potassium sodium tartrate	304-59-6	-		

### 4. First-aid measures

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get

medical attention if symptoms occur.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention if symptoms

occur.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention.

Most important symptoms and

effects

No information available.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** 

**Explosion Limits** 

Upper No data available
Lower No data available
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available
Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

#### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Sodium oxides

### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

**NFPA** 

HealthFlammabilityInstabilityPhysical hazards110N/A

# 6. Accidental release measures

**Personal Precautions**Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation.

Avoid release to the environment.

**Methods for Containment and Clean** Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Avoid dust **Up** formation.

## 7. Handling and storage

Handling Wear personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with skin,

eyes and clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation.

Storage Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

# 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

**Exposure Guidelines** This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure

limitsestablished by the region specific regulatory bodies.

None under normal use conditions. **Engineering Measures** 

**Personal Protective Equipment** 

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by **Eye/face Protection** 

OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard

EN166.

Skin and body protection Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. **Respiratory Protection** 

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. **Hygiene Measures** 

### Physical and chemical properties

Powder Solid **Physical State** White **Appearance** Odor Odorless

**Odor Threshold** No information available

5.5-8.5 @ 20°C 5% ag.solution Melting Point/Range 70 - 80 °C / 158 - 176 °F **Boiling Point/Range** No information available **Flash Point** No information available

**Evaporation Rate** Not applicable

No information available Flammability (solid,gas)

Flammability or explosive limits

No data available Upper Lower No data available **Vapor Pressure** No information available

**Vapor Density** Not applicable **Specific Gravity** No information available

Solubility Soluble in water No data available

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

**Autoignition Temperature** 

**Decomposition Temperature** > 100°C Not applicable **Viscosity** 

C4 H4 K Na O6 . 4 H2 O Molecular Formula

**Molecular Weight** 282.22

### 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactive Hazard** None known, based on information available

Stability Stable under normal conditions.

**Conditions to Avoid** Incompatible products. Excess heat. Avoid dust formation.

**Incompatible Materials** Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous Decomposition Products Sodium oxides

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing.

# 11. Toxicological information

**Acute Toxicity** 

**Product Information** No acute toxicity information is available for this product

Based on ATE data, the classification criteria are not met. ATE > 2000 mg/kg. Oral LD50 Based on ATE data, the classification criteria are not met. ATE > 2000 mg/kg. **Dermal LD50** Mist LC50 Based on ATE data, the classification criteria are not met. ATE > 5 mg/l.

**Component Information** 

**Toxicologically Synergistic** 

No information available

**Products** 

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Irritation No information available

Sensitization No information available

Carcinogenicity The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component	CAS-No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
Potassium sodium	6381-59-5	Not listed				
tartrate tetrahydrate						
Potassium sodium	304-59-6	Not listed				
tartrate						

**Mutagenic Effects** No information available

**Reproductive Effects** No information available.

**Developmental Effects** No information available.

No information available. **Teratogenicity** 

STOT - single exposure None known STOT - repeated exposure None known

No information available **Aspiration hazard** 

Symptoms / effects,both acute and No information available

delayed

No information available **Endocrine Disruptor Information** 

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated. See actual entry in RTECS for

complete information.

# 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

Do not empty into drains.

Soluble in water Persistence is unlikely based on information available. Persistence and Degradability

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

### Disposal considerations

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a **Waste Disposal Methods** 

hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

14. Transport information

DOT<br/>TDGNot regulatedIATANot regulatedIMDG/IMONot regulated

# 15. Regulatory information

#### International Inventories

Component	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	PICCS	ENCS	AICS	IECSC	KECL
Potassium sodium tartrate tetrahydrate	ı	ı	-	-	ı		Х	ı	Х	Х	ı
Potassium sodium tartrate	Χ	Χ	-	206-156-8	1		Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ

### Legend:

- X Listed
- E Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
- F Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
- N Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
- P Indicates a commenced PMN substance
- R Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.
- S Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
- T Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
- XU Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B).
- Y1 Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
- Y2 Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

### U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

SARA 313 Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

CWA (Clean Water Act) Not applicable

Clean Air Act Not applicable

**OSHA** Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Not applicable

CERCLA Not applicable

California Proposition 65 This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

U.S. State Right-to-Know Not applicable

Regulations

#### **U.S.** Department of Transportation

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N
DOT Marine Pollutant N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

#### **U.S. Department of Homeland Security**

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

### Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade No information available

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replacing the current legislation under 29 CFR 1910.1200 to align with the Globally

Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS).

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