Potassium Permanganate
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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Identification
Product form: Substance
Substance name: Potassium Permanganate
CAS-No.: 7722-64-7
Product code: C6550
Formula: KMnO4
Synonyms: permanganate of potash / potassium salt permanganic acid

1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use
Use of the substance/mixture: Oxidant
Bleaching agent
Reagent
Disinfectant
Deodorizer
Algicide
Dyestuff/pigment: component
Medicine
Laboratory chemical
Food industry: additive
Insecticide
Germicide
Recommended use: Laboratory chemicals
Restrictions on use: Not for food, drug or household use

1.3. Supplier
DAWN SCI
121 Liberty street Metuchen, NJ 08840
T: 732-902-6300, F: 973-802-1005
www.dawnsci.com | care@dawnsci.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number
Emergency number: CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300

SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture
GHS-US classification
Oxidizing solids Category 2 Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute Hazard Category 1
Acute toxicity (oral) H272 H302 H400 H410
Category 4 Very toxic to aquatic life

Full text of H statements: see section 16

2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements
GHS-US labeling
Hazard pictograms (GHS-US): GHS03 GHS07 GHS09

Signal word (GHS-US): Danger
Hazard statements (GHS-US): H272 - May intensify fire; oxidizer
H302 - Harmful if swallowed
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Precautionary statements (GHS-US)

- **H410** - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
- **P210** - Keep away from heat, sparks, open flames, hot surfaces. - No smoking.
- **P220** - Keep/Store away from clothing, combustible materials
- **P221** - Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles
- **P264** - Wash exposed skin thoroughly after handling.
- **P270** - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
- **P273** - Avoid release to the environment.
- **P280** - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection.
- **P301+P312** - IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
- **P330** - If swallowed, rinse mouth
- **P391** - Collect spillage.
- **P501** - Dispose of contents/container to comply with local, state and federal regulations

2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

Other hazards not contributing to the classification : None under normal conditions.

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Substance type : Mono-constituent

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<td>(CAS-No.) 7722-64-7</td>
<td>100</td>
<td>Ox. Sol. 2, H272 Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Aquatic Acute 1, H400 Aquatic Chronic 1, H410</td>
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Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First-aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures


First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove the victim into fresh air. Respiratory problems: consult a doctor/medical service.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Wash immediately with lots of water (15 minutes)/shower. Do not apply (chemical) neutralizing agents. Remove clothing while washing. Do not remove clothing if it sticks to the skin. Cover wounds with sterile bandage. Consult a doctor/medical service. If burned surface > 10%: take victim to hospital.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Do not apply neutralizing agents. Take victim to an ophthalmologist.


4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)


Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Tingling/irritation of the skin. May stain the skin. ON CONTINUOUS EXPOSURE/CONTACT: Caustic burns/corrosion of the skin.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Corrosion of the eye tissue. Inflammation/damage of the eye tissue. ON CONTINUOUS EXPOSURE/CONTACT: Permanent eye damage.

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4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary
No additional information available

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media
Suitable extinguishing media: Adapt extinguishing media to the environment. Preferably: quantities of water.
Unsuitable extinguishing media: No unsuitable extinguishing media known.

5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical
Fire hazard: DIRECT FIRE HAZARD. Non combustible. INDIRECT FIRE HAZARD. Promotes combustion. Reactions involving a fire hazard: see "Reactivity Hazard".
Explosion hazard: INDIRECT EXPLOSION HAZARD. Reactions with explosion hazards: see "Reactivity Hazard".
Reactivity: Decomposes on exposure to temperature rise: oxidation which increases fire hazard. Reacts with combustible materials: risk of spontaneous ignition. Violent to explosive reaction with (some) acids: release of toxic and corrosive gases/vapours. Reacts violently with many compounds e.g.: with organic material and with (strong) reducers. With (some) metals. With (increased) risk of fire/explosion.

5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters
Precautionary measures fire: Exposure to fire/heat: keep upwind. Exposure to fire/heat: consider evacuation.
Firefighting instructions: Cool tanks/drums with water spray/remove them into safety. Do not move the load if exposed to heat. Take account of environmentally hazardous firefighting water. Use water moderately and if possible collect or contain it.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel
Measures in case of dust release: In case of dust production: keep upwind. Dust production: have neighbourhood close doors and windows.

6.1.2. For emergency responders
Protective equipment: Equip cleanup crew with proper protection. Do not breathe dust.
Emergency procedures: If a major spill occurs, all personnel should be immediately evacuated and the area ventilated. Stop release. Ventilate area.

6.2. Environmental precautions
Prevent soil and water pollution. Prevent spreading in sewers.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up
For containment: Contain released substance, pump into suitable containers. Consult "Material-handling" to select material of containers. Plug the leak, cut off the supply. Dam up the solid spill. Knock down/dilute dust cloud with water spray. If reacting: dilute toxic gas/vapour with water spray. Take account of toxic/corrosive precipitation water.
Methods for cleaning up: Stop dust cloud by covering with sand/earth. Scoop solid spill into closing containers. Carefully collect the spill/leftovers. Spill must not return in its original container. See "Material-handling" for suitable container materials. Clean contaminated surfaces with an excess of water. Wash clothing and equipment after handling.

6.4. Reference to other sections
No additional information available
SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling: Comply with the legal requirements. Remove contaminated clothing immediately. Clean contaminated clothing. Keep the substance free from contamination. Use corrosion-proof equipment. Thoroughly clean/dry the installation before use. Do not discharge the waste into the drain. Avoid raising dust. Keep away from naked flames/heat. Observe very strict hygiene - avoid contact. Keep container tightly closed. Measure the concentration in the air regularly. Carry operations in the open/under local exhaust/ventilation or with respiratory protection.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Heat-ignition: KEEP SUBSTANCE AWAY FROM: heat sources.


Storage area: Store at ambient temperature. Keep out of direct sunlight. Store in a dry area. Fireproof storeroom. Unauthorized persons are not admitted. Keep only in the original container. Store only in a limited quantity. Meet the legal requirements.

Special rules on packaging: SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: closing, clean, correctly labelled, meet the legal requirements. Secure fragile packagings in solid containers.

Packaging materials: SUITABLE MATERIAL: steel, aluminium, glass, stoneware/porcelain. MATERIAL TO AVOID: wood, cellulosic material.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

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<th>ACGIH TWA (mg/m³)</th>
<th>OSHA PEL (Ceiling) (mg/m³)</th>
<th>IDLH US IDLH (mg/m³)</th>
<th>NIOSH REL (TWa) (mg/m³)</th>
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<td>ACGIH</td>
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<td>0.1 mg/m³ (Manganese, inorganic compounds, as Mn; USA; Time-weighted average exposure limit 8 h; TLV - Adopted Value; Inhalable fraction)</td>
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8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls: Emergency eye wash fountains should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure.

8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

Personal protective equipment:


Materials for protective clothing:

GIVE EXCELLENT RESISTANCE: polyethylene. GIVE GOOD RESISTANCE: butyl rubber. PVC, polyethylene/ethylenevinylalcohol

Hand protection:

Gloves

Eye protection:

Face shield. In case of dust production: protective goggles

Skin and body protection:

Protective clothing. In case of dust production: head/neck protection. In case of dust production: dustproof clothing

Respiratory protection:
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Dust production: dust mask with filter type P3.
High dust production: self-contained breathing apparatus.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

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<td>Boiling point</td>
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<td>Flash point</td>
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<td>Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)</td>
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<td>Vapor pressure</td>
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<td>158.03 g/mol</td>
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<td>-1.73 (Estimated value)</td>
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<td>Auto-ignition temperature</td>
<td>Not applicable</td>
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<td>Decomposition temperature</td>
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<td>Viscosity, kinematic</td>
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<td>Viscosity, dynamic</td>
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<td>Explosion limits</td>
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<td>Oxidizing properties</td>
<td>May intensify fire; oxidiser.</td>
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### 9.2. Other information

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<td>SADT</td>
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<td>VOC content</td>
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<td>Other properties</td>
<td>Opaque. Substance has basic reaction.</td>
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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

Decomposes on exposure to temperature rise: oxidation which increases fire hazard. Reacts with combustible materials: risk of spontaneous ignition. Violent to explosive reaction with (some) acids: release of toxic and corrosive gases/vapours. Reacts violently with many compounds e.g.: with organic material and with (strong) reducers. With (some) metals. With (increased) risk of fire/explosion.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts exothermically with combustible materials: (increased) risk of fire.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Incompatible materials.
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### 10.5. Incompatible materials


### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Manganese.

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**SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Likely routes of exposure: Skin and eye contact; Inhalation

Acute toxicity: Oral: Harmful if swallowed.

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<td>LD50 oral rat (Rat)</td>
<td>1090 mg/kg</td>
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<td>ATE US (oral)</td>
<td>1090 mg/kg body weight</td>
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<td>Skin corrosion/irritation</td>
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<td>pH: 7.0 - 8.5 (1.6 %)</td>
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<td>Serious eye damage/irritation</td>
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<td>pH: 7.0 - 8.5 (1.6 %)</td>
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<td>Respiratory or skin sensitization</td>
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<td>Germ cell mutagenicity</td>
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<td>Carcinogenicity</td>
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<td>Reproductive toxicity</td>
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<td>Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure</td>
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<td>Symptoms/effects after skin contact</td>
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<td>Symptoms/effects after eye contact</td>
<td>Corrosion of the eye tissue. Inflammation/damage of the eye tissue. ON CONTINUOUS EXPOSURE/CONTACT: Permanent eye damage.</td>
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**SECTION 12: Ecological information**

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general: Dangerous for the environment.

Ecology - air: Not classified as dangerous for the ozone layer (Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009). TA-Luft Klasse 5.2.2/III.


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<td>EC50 Daphnia 1</td>
<td>0.235 mg/l (EC50; 24 h)</td>
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<td>LC50 fish 2</td>
<td>1.22 mg/l (LC50; 96 h)</td>
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<td>Threshold limit algae 1</td>
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12.2. Persistence and degradability

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<td>Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)</td>
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| Chemical oxygen demand (COD) | Not applicable |
| ThOD | Not applicable |

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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| Log Pow | -1.73 (Estimated value) |
| Bioaccumulative potential | Bioaccumulation: not applicable |

12.4. Mobility in soil
No additional information available

12.5. Other adverse effects
No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Disposal methods

Waste disposal recommendations:
Remove waste in accordance with local and/or national regulations. Hazardous waste shall not be mixed together with other waste. Different types of hazardous waste shall not be mixed together if this may entail a risk of pollution or create problems for the further management of the waste. Hazardous waste shall be managed responsibly. All entities that store, transport or handle hazardous waste shall take the necessary measures to prevent risks of pollution or damage to people or animals. Recycle/reuse. Immobilize the toxic or harmful components. Remove to an authorized dump (Class I).

Additional information:
LWCA (the Netherlands): KGA category 06. Hazardous waste according to Directive 2008/98/EC.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Transport document description: UN1490 Potassium permanganate, 5.1, II

UN-No.(DOT): UN1490
Proper Shipping Name (DOT): Potassium permanganate
Transport hazard class(es) (DOT): 5.1 - Class 5.1 - Oxidizer 49 CFR 173.128
Packing group (DOT): II - Medium Danger
Hazard labels (DOT): 5.1 - Oxidizer

Dangerous for the environment: Yes
Marine pollutant: Yes

DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx): 212
DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx): 240
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DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102)

IP2 - When IBCs other than metal or rigid plastics IBCs are used, they must be offered for transportation in a closed freight container or a closed transport vehicle.

DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR 173.xxx)

DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger aircraft/rail (49 CFR 173.27)

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft only (49 CFR 175.75)

DOT Vessel Stowage Location

DOT Vessel Stowage Other

Other information

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

Potassium Permanganate (7722-64-7)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

Subject to reporting requirements of United States SARA Section 313

RQ (Reportable quantity, section 304 of EPA's List of Lists) 100 lb

SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes Reactive hazard

All components of this product are listed, or excluded from listing, on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory

Chemical(s) subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 or Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372.

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15.2. International regulations

CANADA

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

EU-Regulations

No additional information available

National regulations

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Listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)

15.3. US State regulations

California Proposition 65 - This product does not contain any substances known to the state of California to cause cancer, developmental and/or reproductive harm
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SECTION 16: Other information

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Full text of H-phrases: see section 16:

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NFPA health hazard : 1 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can cause significant irritation.
NFPA fire hazard : 0 - Materials that will not burn under typical dire conditions, including intrinsically noncombustible materials such as concrete, stone, and sand.
NFPA reactivity : 0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even under fire conditions.
NFPA specific hazard : OX - Materials that posses oxidizing properties.

Hazard Rating
Health : 1 Slight Hazard - Irritation or minor reversible injury possible
Flammability : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that will not burn
Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard - Materials that are normally stable, even under fire conditions, and will NOT react with water, polymerize, decompose, condense, or self-react. Non-Explosives.
Personal protection : F
F - Safety glasses, Gloves, Synthetic apron, Dust respirator

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