# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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# 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Potassium iodide

Product Number : AR610 Brand : Alpha CAS-No. : 7681-11-0

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Alpha Resources Inc.

3090 Johnson Rd. Stevensville, MI 49127

Telephone : 269-465-5559

Email : sales@alpharesources.com

1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : 800-424-8300

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

- 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture
- 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements
- 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS none

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances

Formula : IK

Molecular weight : 166.00 g/mol CAS-No. : 7681-11-0 EC-No. : 231-659-4

**Hazardous components** 

Component	Classification	Concentration
Potassium iodide		
	Acute Tox. 4; Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2A; H302, H315, H319	<= 100 %

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# 4.1 Description of first aid measures

### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

### In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

# **5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

# 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hydrogen iodide, Potassium oxides

# 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

### 5.4 Further information

No data available

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

# 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust.

For personal protection see section 8.

# 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

For precautions see section 2.2.

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

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Air, light, and moisture sensitive. Store under inert gas.

# 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Potassium iodide	7681-11-0	TWA	0.010000 mg/m3	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
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# 8.2 Exposure controls

# **Appropriate engineering controls**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

### Personal protective equipment

### Eye/face protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

### **Body Protection**

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

### Respiratory protection

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

# Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: powder Colour: white

b) Odourc) Odour Thresholddata availableNo data available

d) pH 6.0 - 9 at 166 g/l at 25 °C (77 °F)

e) Melting point/freezing 681 °C

point

681 °C (1,258 °F)

f) Initial boiling point and

1,330 °C (2,426 °F)

boiling range

g) Flash point

No data available

h) Evaporation rate No data available

i) Flammability (solid, gas) No data available

j) Upper/lower No data available

flammability or explosive limits

1 hPa (1 mmHg) at 745 °C (1,373 °F) Vapour pressure

Vapour density No data available m) Relative density 3.130 g/cm3

Water solubility No data available No data available

Partition coefficient: noctanol/water

No data available

Auto-ignition temperature

No data available

Decomposition temperature

r) Viscosity No data available Explosive properties No data available No data available Oxidizing properties

9.2 Other safety information

> **Bulk density** 1,700 kg/m3

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

#### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available

### Incompatible materials

Strong reducing agents, Nickel, Strong acids, and its alloys, Steel (all types and surface treatments), Aluminum, Alkali metals, Brass, Magnesium, Zinc, cadmium, Copper

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Mouse - 1,000 mg/kg

Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available

No data available

### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: Irritating to skin.

# Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Irritating to eyes. - 24 h

(Draize Test)

# Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause allergic reactions in certain sensitive individuals.

### Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

### Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a

known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a

carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

### Reproductive toxicity

Exposure to excessive amounts of iodine during pregnancy is capable of producing fetal hypothyroidism. Iodine-containing drugs have been associated with fetal goiter.

No data available

# Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

### **Additional Information**

RTECS: Not available

Prolonged exposure to iodides may produce iodism in sensitive individuals. Symptoms of exposure include: skin rash, running nose, headache and irritation of the mucous membrane. For severe cases the skin may show pimples, boils, hives, blisters and black and blue spots. Iodides are readily diffused across the placenta. Neonatal deaths from respiratory distress secondary to goiter have been reported. Iodides have been known to cause drug-induced fevers, which are usually of short duration.

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### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 2,190 mg/l - 96 h

Toxicity to daphnia and EC

EC50 - Daphnia (water flea) - 2.7 mg/l - 24 h

other aquatic invertebrates

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

### **Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

### **IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

### IATA

Not dangerous goods

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### **SARA 302 Components**

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

### **SARA 313 Components**

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

# **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

### Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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**New Jersey Right To Know Components** 

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# California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

Acute Tox. Acute toxicity Eye Irrit. Eye irritation

H302 Harmful if swallowed.
H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Skin Irrit. Skin irritation

### **HMIS Rating**

Health hazard: 2 Chronic Health Hazard: \* Flammability: 0
Physical Hazard 0

NFPA Rating
Health hazard: 2
Fire Hazard: 0
Reactivity Hazard: 0