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#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Potassium persulfate

CAS-No. : 7727-21-1 Chemical nature : Persulfate, Solid

Manufacturer or supplier's details

Company : Dalian Hefu Trading Co., Ltd.

Address : Room 1003 Yihua Building, No. 215 Huanghai Xisi Road, Dalian

F.T.Z., Liaoning, China

Telephone : +86 0411 39552835

Emergency telephone number : +86 0411 39552835

E-mail address : great@dlwawoo.com

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Oxidizing agents

polymerization initiators

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### **Emergency Overview**

Appearance : solid Colour : white

Odour : not significant

May intensify fire; oxidizer. Harmful if swallowed. Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Causes serious eye irritation. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. May cause respiratory irritation.

### **GHS Classification**

Oxidizing solids : Category 3

Acute toxicity (Oral) : Category 4

Skin corrosion/irritation : Category 2

Serious eye damage/eye irritation : Category 2A

Respiratory sensitization : Category 1

Skin sensitization : Category 1

Specific target organ toxicity - : Category 3 (Respiratory system)

single exposure

#### **GHS Label element**

Hazard pictograms







Signal word : Danger

Hazard statements : H272 May intensify fire; oxidizer.

H302 Harmful if swallowed. H315 Causes skin irritation.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

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Precautionary statements : Prevention:

P210 Keep away from heat.

P220 Keep/Store away from clothing/ combustible materials.

P221 Take any precaution to avoid mixing with combustibles.

P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.

P284 Wear respiratory protection.

### Response:

P301 + P312 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.

P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.

P304 + P340 + P312 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P333 + P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.

P337 + P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.

P342 + P311 If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

P362 + P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.

#### Storage:

P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

P405 Store locked up.

### Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

## Physical and chemical hazards

May intensify fire; oxidizer.

### **Health hazards**

Harmful if swallowed. Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. May cause an allergic skin reaction. May cause respiratory irritation.

#### **Environmental hazards**

Not classified based on available information.

## Other hazards which do not result in classification

None known.

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Substance

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**Hazardous components** 

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)	
Potassium persulfate	7727-21-1	>= 99 - <= 100	

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice : Move out of dangerous area.

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Do not leave the victim unattended.

Symptoms of poisoning may appear several hours later.

Call a physician immediately.

If inhaled : Call a physician or poison control centre immediately.

If unconscious place in recovery position and seek medical advice.

Keep respiratory tract clear.

If breathed in, move person into fresh air.

In case of skin contact : In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least

15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes.

Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

If on skin, rinse well with water.
If on clothes, remove clothes.
If symptoms persist, call a physician.

In case of eye contact : In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and

seek medical advice. Remove contact lenses. Protect unharmed eye.

Keep eye wide open while rinsing.

If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

If swallowed : Keep respiratory tract clear.

Call a physician immediately.
Rinse mouth thoroughly with water.

Most important : symptoms and effects,

Harmful if swallowed. Cause skin irritation.

both acute and

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

delayed

Cause serious eve irritation.

May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

May cause respiratory irritation.

Protection of first-aiders

First Aid responders should pay attention to self-protection and use the

recommended protective clothing.

Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically and supportively.

#### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray

Foam

Unsuitable extinguishing media : High volume water jet

Specific hazards during fire-

fighting

: Contact with incompatible materials or exposure to temperatures

exceeding SADT may result in a self-accelerating decomposition reaction with release of flammable vapors which may auto-ignite.

Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray.

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Specific extinguishing methods : Collect contaminated f

Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This must

not be discharged into drains.

Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be

disposed of in accordance with local regulations.

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local

circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire. Remove undamaged containers from fire area if it is safe to do so.

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapours/mists with a water spray jet.

Special protective equipment

for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if

necessary.

Use personal protective equipment.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Use personal protective equipment.

Avoid dust formation.

Avoid breathing dust.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Remove all sources of ignition.

Follow safe handling advice and personal protective equipment

recommendations.

Never return spills in original containers for re-use.

Treat recovered material as described in the section "Disposal

considerations".

Environmental precautions

Prevent product from entering drains.

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

If the product contaminates rivers and lakes or drains inform

respective authorities.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning

up

below SADT.

Clear spills immediately.

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapours/mists with a water spray jet. To clean the floor and all objects contaminated by this material, use

Contact with incompatible substances can cause decomposition at or

plenty of water.

Soak up with inert absorbent material. Isolate waste and do not reuse.

Non-sparking tools should be used.

Local or national regulations may apply to releases and disposal of

this material, as well as those materials and items employed in the cleanup of releases. You will need to determine which regulations are

applicable.

Prevention of secondary hazards

Never return spills in original containers for re-use.

Treat recovered material as described in the section "Disposal

considerations".

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Handling

Technical measures : See Engineering measures under EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL

PROTECTION section.

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Advice on protection against fire and explosion

: Avoid dust formation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places

where dust is formed. Keep away from combustible material.

Advice on safe handling : Do not swallow.

Do not breathe vapours/dust.

Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

Never return any product to the container from which it was originally

removed.

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms.

Avoid confinement.

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other

ignition sources. No smoking.

Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area.

Wash thoroughly after handling. For personal protection see section 8.

Persons susceptible to skin sensitization problems or asthma, allergies, chronic or recurrent respiratory disease should not be employed in any

process in which this mixture is being used.

Protect from contamination. Protect from moisture.

Avoidance of contact : Accelerators, strong acids and bases, heavy metals and

heavy metal salts, reducing agents

Storage

Conditions for safe storage : Avoid impurities (e.g. rust, dust, ash), risk of decomposition.

Electrical installations / working materials must comply with the

technological safety standards.

Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept

upright to prevent leakage. Store in original container.

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

Keep in a dry place.

Store in accordance with the particular national regulations.

Materials to avoid : Keep away from strong acids, bases, heavy metal salts and other

reducing substances.

Recommended storage

temperature

< 30 °C

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
Potassium persulfate	7727-27-1	TWA	0.1 mg/m3 (Persulfate)	ACGIH

**Engineering measures**: Minimize workplace exposure concentrations.

### Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : In the case of dust or aerosol formation use respirator with an approved filter.

Filter type : Filter type P

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Eye/face protection : Tightly fitting safety goggles

Please wear suitable protective goggles. Also wear face protection if there is

a splash hazard.

Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the

workstation location.

Skin and body protection Hand protection Select appropriate protective clothing based on chemical resistance data and

an assessment of the local exposure potential.

Material : butyl-rubber
Break through time : >= 480 min
Glove thickness : 0.5 mm

Remarks : Choose gloves to protect hands against chemicals depending on the

concentration and quantity of the hazardous substance and specific to place of work. For special applications, we recommend clarifying the resistance to

chemicals of the aforementioned protective gloves with the glove manufacturer. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Hygiene measures : Keep away from food and drink.

When using do not eat or drink. When using do not smoke.

Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : solid

Colour : white

Odour : not significant

Odour Threshold : No data available

pH : 4, Concentration: ca. 10 g/l

Melting point/freezing point : Decomposition: Decomposes below the melting point.

Initial boiling point and boiling range : Not applicable

Flash point : Not applicable

Evaporation rate : Not applicable

Flammability (solid, gas) : Not applicable

Upper explosion limit : No data available

Lower explosion limit : No data available

Vapour pressure : No data available

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Bulk density : 1,100 kg/m3

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility : 60 g/l (25 °C)

soluble

Partition coefficient: noctanol/water : Not applicable

Viscosity

Viscosity, dynamic : Not applicable

Viscosity, kinematic : Not applicable

Explosive properties : Not explosive

Oxidizing properties : The substance or mixture is classified as oxidizing with the

category 3.

Self-Accelerating decomposition

temperature (SADT)

170 °C

Method: UN-Test H.4

SADT-Self Accelerating Decomposition Temperature. Lowest temperature at which the tested package size will undergo a

self-accelerating decomposition reaction.

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity : Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Chemical stability : Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

Avoid moisture.

Even small amounts of moisture or impurities can noticeably reduce the self-accelerating decomposition temperature (SADT).

Conditions to avoid : Contact with incompatible substances can cause decomposition at

or below SADT.

Even small amounts of moisture or impurities can noticeably reduce the self-accelerating decomposition temperature (SADT).

Incompatible materials : Accelerators, strong acids and bases, heavy metals and heavy

metal salts, reducing agents.

Hazardous decomposition

products

Irritant, caustic, flammable, noxious/toxic gases and vapours can

develop in the case of fire and decomposition.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Acute toxicity**

Harmful if swallowed.

**Product:** 

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): 1,130 mg/kg

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Components:

Potassium persulfate:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat, male): 742 mg/kg

Method: OECD Test Guideline 401

Assessment: The component/mixture is moderately toxic after single

ingestion.

Remarks: Based on test data

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): > 5.1 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Test atmosphere: dust/mist

Method: OECD Test Guideline 403

Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute inhalation toxicity.

Remarks: Expert judgement

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 2,000 mg/kg

Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute dermal toxicity.

Remarks: Expert judgement

Skin corrosion/irritation

Causes skin irritation.

**Product:** 

Remarks: May cause skin irritation and/or dermatitis.

**Components:** 

Potassium persulfate: Result: Skin irritation

Serious eve damage/eye irritation

Causes serious eve irritation.

**Product:** 

Remarks: May cause irreversible eye damage.

**Components:** 

Potassium persulfate:

Species: Rabbit Result: Eye irritation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 405

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Skin sensitization: May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Respiratory sensitization: May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if in-haled.

Product:

Assessment: May cause sensitization by skin contact.

Assessment: Probability of respiratory sensitization in humans based on animal testing

Remarks: Causes sensitization.

**Components:** 

Potassium persulfate:

Exposure routes: Skin contact

Species: Guinea pig

Method: OECD Test Guideline 406

Result: May cause sensitization by skin contact. Exposure routes: inhalation (dust/mist/fume) Result: May cause sensitization by inhalation.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified based on available information.

**Components:** 

Potassium persulfate:

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Genotoxicity in vitro : Test Type: Bacterial reverse mutation assay (AMES)

Result: negative

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Genotoxicity in vivo : Test Type: Mammalian erythrocyte micronucleus test (in vivo cytogenetic

assay)

Species: Mouse

Application Route: Intraperitoneal injection

Result: negative

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

### Carcinogenicity

Not classified based on available information.

Components:

Potassium persulfate:

Species: Mouse

Application Route: Skin contact

Exposure time: 52 weeks

Method: OECD Test Guideline 451

Result: negative

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

## Reproductive toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

## **Components:**

Potassium persulfate:

Effects on fertility : Species: Rat

Application Route: Ingestion
Method: OECD Test Guideline 421

Result: negative

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Effects on foetal development Species: Rat

Application Route: Ingestion Method: OECD Test Guideline 421

Result: negative

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

## STOT - single exposure

May cause respiratory irritation.

Product:

Assessment: May cause respiratory irritation.

### **Components:**

Potassium persulfate:

Assessment: May cause respiratory irritation.

## STOT - repeated exposure

Not classified based on available information.

Repeated dose toxicity

## Components:

Potassium persulfate:

Species: Rat

NOAEL: 1,000 mg/kg LOAEL: 3,000 mg/kg Application Route: Ingestion

Exposure time: 90 d

Method: OECD Test Guideline 408

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**Aspiration toxicity** 

Not classified based on available information.

**Further information** 

Product:

Remarks: No data available

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Ecotoxicity**

**Components:** 

Potassium persulfate:

Toxicity to fish : LC50 (Scophthalmus maximus (turbot)): 107.6 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

Method: OECD Test Guideline 203

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Toxicity to daphnia and other

aquatic invertebrates

: EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 120 mg/l

Exposure time: 48 h

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Toxicity to algae : EC50 (Phaeodactylum): 320 mg/l

Exposure time: 72 h

Method: OECD Test Guideline 201

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

NOEC (Phaeodactylum): 32 mg/l

Exposure time: 72 h

Method: OECD Test Guideline 201

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Toxicity to bacteria : EC10 (Pseudomonas putida): 36 mg/l

Exposure time: 18 h

Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Persistence and degradability

No data available

**Bioaccumulative potential** 

Components:

Potassium persulfate:

Partition coefficient: : Remarks: Not applicable

noctanol/water

Mobility in soil
No data available

Other adverse effects

**Product:** 

Additional ecological information : No data available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

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Waste from residues : The product should not be allowed to enter drains, water courses or the soil.

Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used

container.

Dispose of wastes in an approved waste disposal facility.

Contaminated packaging

Empty remaining contents.
Dispose of as unused product.
Do not re-use empty containers.

Do not burn, or use a cutting torch on, the empty drum. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

## International Regulation

**UNRTDG** 

UN number : UN 1492

Proper shipping name : POTASSIUM PERSULFATE

Class : 5.1
Packing group : III
Labels : 5.1

IATA-DGR

UN/ID No. : UN 1492

Proper shipping name : Potassium persulfate

Class : 5.1
Packing group : III
Labels : Oxidizer
Packing instruction (cargo : 563

aircraft)

Packing instruction (passenger aircraft) : 559

IMDG-Code

UN number : UN 1492

Proper shipping name : POTASSIUM PERSULFATE

Class : 5.1
Packing group : III
Labels : 5.1
EmS Code : F-A, S-Q
Marine pollutant : no

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

Not applicable for product as supplied.

**National Regulations** 

GB 6944/12268

UN number : UN 1492

Proper shipping name : POTASSIUM PERSULFATE

Class : 5.1
Packing group : III
Labels : 5.1

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#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**National regulatory information** 

Law on the Prevention and Control of Occupational Diseases

The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:

CH INV (CH) : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

TSCA (US) : On TSCA Inventory

DSL (CA) All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL AICS (AU) On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory NZIoC (NZ) On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory ENCS (JP) On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory ISHL (JP) On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory KECI (KR) On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory PICCS (PH) On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory IECSC (CN) On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventor

#### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

#### Full text of other abbreviations

(Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; ANTT - National Agency for Transport by Land of Brazil; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CPR -Controlled Products Regulations; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; ECx-Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISO- International Organisation for Standardization; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; Nch - Chilean Norm; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NOM - Official Mexican Norm; NTP - National Toxicology Program; OECD - Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods; UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB -Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative; WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; GLP -Good Laboratory Practice

#### **Further information**

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