

Material Safety Data Sheet

Potassium Methoxide Solution (RXSOL-19-9521-200)



1. Product and Company Identification

Product Name Potassium Methoxide Liquid
Part Number RXSOL-19-9521-200

Company Details:

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2. Composition / information on ingredients

Chemical Name	Cas No	EC No	Weight	Formula
Potassium methoxide solution	865-33-8	212-736-1	>= 30 - 50%	CH ₃ KO
	67-56-1	200-659-6	>= 70 - 90 %	

3. Hazards Identification

Signal Word	Danger
Hazard Statements	H226 Flammable liquid and vapor. H301 + H311 + H331 Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled. H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. H370 Causes damage to organs (Eyes, Central nervous system).
Precautionary statements	P210 Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. P233 Keep container tightly closed. P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection. P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water. P304 + P340 + P310 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor. P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
Classification of the substance or mixture	No data available
Supplemental Hazard Statements	No data available
Other hazards	This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher

4. First Aid Measures

General advice	First aiders need to protect themselves. Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
If inhaled	After inhalation fresh air. Immediately call in physician. If breathing stops: immediately apply artificial respiration, if necessary also oxygen.
Eye Contact	After eye contact rinse out with plenty of water. Immediately call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.

Swallowed	After swallowing fresh air. Make victim drink ethanol (e.g. 1 drinking glass of a 40% alcoholic beverage). Call a doctor immediately (mention methanol ingestion). Only in exceptional cases, if no medical care is available within one hour, induce vomiting (only in fully conscious persons) and make victim drink ethanol again (approx. 0.3 ml of a 40% alcoholic beverage/kg body weight/hour). Do not attempt to neutralise
Skin Contact	In case of skin contact Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower. Call a physician immediately.
Inhalation	No data available
Ingestion	No data available
Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delaye	The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11
Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed	No data available

5. Fire-fighting Measures

Flammability	No data available
Suitable extinguishing media	Carbon dioxide (CO2) Foam Dry powder
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Water Foam
Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture	Carbon oxides Potassium oxides Combustible. Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors. May not get in touch with: Water Forms explosive mixtures with air at elevated temperatures. Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire
Further information	Remove container from danger zone and cool with water. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.
Hazardous combustion products	No data available
Advice for firefighters	Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.
Protective Equipment	No data available
Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical	No data available

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert. For personal protection see section 8.
Spillage	No data available
Personal Protection	Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. For personal protection see section 8
Enviromental Precaution	Do not let product enter drains. Risk of explosion.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning	Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemizorb®). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area
Reference to other sections	For disposal see section 13

7. Handling and Storage

Advice on protection against fire and explosion	Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
Incompatible materials	No data available
Hygiene measures	Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance. For precautions see section 2.2.
Advice on safe handling	Work under hood. Do not inhale substance/mixture. Avoid generation of vapours/aerosols. Keep workplace dry. Do not allow product to come into contact with water.

Conditions for safe storage,
including any No data available
incompatibilities

Storage conditions Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or authorized persons. Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage. Recommended storage temperature see product label.

Storage class Storage class TRGS 510) 3 Flammable liquids

Specific end use(s) Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

Advice on general occupational hygiene No data available

8. Exposure controls and personal protection

Exposure controls Personal protective equipment

Engineering Control No data available

Eye/face protection Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Safety glasses

Body Protection Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing.

Skin protection This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de). Full contact Material: butyl-rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0,7 mm Break through time: > 480 min Material tested: Butoject® (KCL 898) This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet, supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de). Splash contact Material: Viton® Minimum layer thickness: 0,70 mm Break through time: > 120 min Material tested: Vitoject® (KCL 890 / Aldrich Z677698, Size M)

Respiratory protection Recommended Filter type Filter AX (EN 371) The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented. required when vapours/aerosols are generated. Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system. Recommended Filter type: Filter type ABEK The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented

Other Protection Measure No data available

9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state liquid

Colour Colorless

Odour Methanolic

Odor Threshold No data available

pH ca.11

Melting Point -20 °C

Boiling Point 93,5 °C at 1.013 hPa

Flash Point 29,7 °C

Evaporation Rate No data available

Flammability (solid, gas) No data available

Explosive limits No data available

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits Upper explosion limit 36,5 %(V) - Methanol Lower explosion limit 5,5 %(V) - Methanol

Autoignition temperature The substance or mixture is not classified as self heating.

Decomposition temperature No data available

Vapour pressure 180 hPa at 50 °C 36 hPa at 20 °C

Viscosity Dynamic 18 mPa.s at 20 °C

Density 0,99 g/cm3 at 20 °C

Relative Density	No data available
Specific Gravity	No data available
Partition coefficient	Log Pow -0,74 at 20 °C - Methanol, Bioaccumulation is not expected., (External MSDS)
Explosive properties	No data available
Solubility	at 20 °C (decomposition)
Ignition temperature	No data available
Particle characteristics	No data available

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	Hydrolyzes Vapor/air-mixtures are explosive at intense warming. Reacts violently with water.
Chemical stability	Sensitive to moisture
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Violent reactions possible with: Oxidizing agents Acids Possible decomposition products in case of hydrolysis are: corrosive base Methanol
Conditions to avoid	Heating. Moisture.
Incompatible materials	No data available
Hazardous product decomposition	In the event of fire: see section 5

11. Toxicological information

Acute toxicity	Acute toxicity estimate Oral - 143 mg/kg (Calculation method) Symptoms: If ingested, severe burns of the mouth and throat, as well as a danger of perforation of the esophagus and the stomach. Acute toxicity estimate Inhalation - 4 h - 4,43 mg/l - vapor (Calculation method) Symptoms: mucosal irritations, Cough, Shortness of breath, Possible damages:, damage of respiratory tract
Skin corrosion/irritation	Mixture causes burns
Serious eye damage/irritation	Mixture causes serious eye damage. Risk of blindness!
Respiratory or skin sensitization	Buehler Test - Guinea pig negative (OECD Test Guideline 406)
Carcinogenicity	No data available
Germ cell mutagenicity	No data available
Reproductive toxicity	No data available
Specific target organ toxicity-single exposure	Mixture causes damage to organs. - Eyes, Central nervous system
Additional Information	The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher. Other dangerous properties can not be excluded. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice

12. Ecological information

Persistence and degradability	No data available
Toxicity to fish	Flow-through test LC50 - Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill) - 15.400,0 mg/l - 96 h (US-EPA)
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	Semi-static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 18.260 mg/l - 96 h (OECD Test Guideline 202)
Toxicity	No data available
Toxicity to bacteria	Static test IC50 - activated sludge - > 1.000 mg/l - 3 h (OECD Test Guideline 209)
Toxicity to algae	Static test ErC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) - ca. 22.000,0 mg/l - 96 h (OECD Test Guideline 201)
Products Biodegradation	No data available
Mobility in soil	No data available
Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

Endocrine disrupting properties

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Other adverse effects

Harmful effect due to pH shift. Forms toxic and corrosive mixtures with water even if diluted. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

13. Disposal considerations

Product	No data available
Contaminated packaging	No data available
Waste treatment Method	No data available

14. Transport information

UN number	ADR/RID:2920	IMDG:2920	IATA:2920
UN proper shipping name	ADR/RID: CORROSIVE LIQUID, FLAMMABLE, N.O.S. (potassium methylete, Methanol) IMDG: CORROSIVE LIQUID, FLAMMABLE, N.O.S. (potassium methylete, Methanol) IATA: CORROSIVE LIQUID, FLAMMABLE, N.O.S. (potassium methylete, Methanol)		
Transport hazard classess	ADR/RID:8 (3)	IMDG:8 (3)	IATA:8 (3)
Packaging group	ADR/RID:II	IMDG:II	IATA:II
Environmental hazards	ADR/RID:No	IMDG Marine pollutant:No	IATA: No
Special precautions for user	Tunnel restriction code (D/E)		
Further information	No data available		

15. Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture	This material safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006
Other regulations	Observe work restrictions regarding maternity protection in accordance to Dir 92/85/EEC or stricter national regulations where applicable. Take note of Dir 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work.
Chemical Safety Assessment	A Chemical Safety Assessment was not carried out for this substance.

16. Other information

Other Information	The information above is believed to be accurate and represents the best information currently available to us. However, we make no warranty of merchantability or any other warranty, express or implied, with respect to such information, and we assume no liability resulting from its use. Users should make their own investigations to determine the suitability of the information for their particular purposes. In no event shall we be liable for any claims, losses, or damages of any third party or for lost profits or any special, indirect, incidental, consequential or exemplary damages, howsoever arising, even if Rx Marine International has been advised of the possibility of such damages.
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