

## Safety Data Sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006

## Potassium fluoride for analysis, ACS

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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1. Product identifier**

Potassium fluoride for analysis, ACS

Substance name: potassium fluoride  
REACH Registration Number: 01-2119555273-40-XXXX  
CAS No: 7789-23-3  
Index No: 009-005-00-2  
EC No: 232-151-5

**1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against****Use of the substance/mixture**

Laboratory chemicals  
Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations at industrial sites  
Professional uses: Public domain (administration, education, entertainment, services, craftsmen)

**Uses advised against**

Do not use for private purposes (household).

**1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Company name: AnalytiChem GmbH  
Street: Stempelstraße 6  
Place: D-47167 Duisburg  
Telephone: 0203/5194-0  
E-mail: info@analytichem.de  
Contact person: Abteilung Produktsicherheit  
E-mail: produktsicherheit@analytichem.de  
Internet: www.analytichem.de  
Responsible Department: Abteilung Produktsicherheit

Telefax: 0203/5194-290

Telephone: 0203/5194-107/117

**1.4. Emergency telephone number:**

For Hazardous Materials [or Dangerous Goods] Incidents Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident Call CHEMTREC Day or Night Within USA and Canada: 1-800-424-9300 Outside USA and Canada: +1 703-741-5970 (collect calls accepted)

**Further Information**

No data available

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Acute Tox. 3; H331  
Acute Tox. 3; H311  
Acute Tox. 3; H301  
Eye Dam. 1; H318

Full text of hazard statements: see SECTION 16.

**2.2. Label elements****Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Signal word: Danger

Pictograms:



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**Hazard statements**

H301+H311+H331 Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.  
H318 Causes serious eye damage.

**Precautionary statements**

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection.  
P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.  
P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.  
P308+P311 IF exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

**Additional advice on labelling**

No information available.

**2.3. Other hazards**

No data available

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

**3.1. Substances**

Sum formula: KF  
Molecular weight: 58,1 g/mol

**Hazardous components**

CAS No	Chemical name			Quantity
	EC No	Index No	REACH No	
	Classification (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008)			
7789-23-3	potassium fluoride			100 %
	232-151-5	009-005-00-2	01-2119555273-40-XXXX	
	Acute Tox. 3, Acute Tox. 3, Acute Tox. 3, Eye Dam. 1; H331 H311 H301 H318			

Full text of H and EUH statements: see section 16.

**Specific Conc. Limits, M-factors and ATE**

CAS No	EC No	Chemical name	Quantity
	Specific Conc. Limits, M-factors and ATE		
7789-23-3	232-151-5	potassium fluoride	100 %
	inhalation: ATE = 3 mg/l (vapours); inhalation: ATE = 0,5 mg/l (dusts or mists); dermal: LD50 = > 2000 mg/kg; oral: LD50 = ca. 148,5 mg/kg		

**Further Information**

This product does not contain substances of very high concern according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 57 above the respective regulatory concentration limit of = 0.1 % (w/w).

**SECTION 4: First aid measures**

**4.1. Description of first aid measures**

**General information**

First aider: Pay attention to self-protection! Remove affected person from the danger area and lay down. Call a physician immediately.

**After inhalation**

Provide fresh air.  
If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration.  
Call a physician immediately.

**After contact with skin**

Rinse with plenty of water for at least 10 minutes. Immediately remove contaminated clothes. Apply calcium gluconate gel (preparation: boil 5 g of calcium gluconate in 85 ml of hot distilled water, add 10 g glycerol. Allow

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5 g of Carmellose-sodium to swell in the hot solution. Stable for 6 months, store in a cool place) and massage into the skin until the pain subsides, in between rinse with water and apply fresh gel. Continue gel therapy for another 15 minutes after the pain has subsided. If no calcium gluconate gel is available, apply several dressings thoroughly moistened with 20 % calcium gluconate solution. Medical advice absolutely required!

#### After contact with eyes

In case of contact with eyes flush immediately with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids apart and consult an ophthalmologist.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Protect uninjured eye.

#### After ingestion

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person or a person with cramps.

Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water.

Adverse human health effects and symptoms:

Gastric perforation

Remove casualty to fresh air and keep warm and at rest.

Call a physician immediately.

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

Irritant

Causes burns.

Dyspnoea

Respiratory complaints

Unconsciousness

Spasms

Corneal opacity.

Agitation

Cardiac arrhythmias

Circulatory collapse

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

#### Unsuitable extinguishing media

no restriction

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Non-combustible solids

Hazardous combustion products

In case of fire may be liberated: Hydrogen fluoride

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing. Full protection suit.

In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Use water spray jet to protect personnel and to cool endangered containers.

#### Additional information

Suppress gases/vapours/mists with water spray jet.

Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. Do not allow entering drains or surface water. Move undamaged containers from immediate hazard area if it can be done safely.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

#### For non-emergency personnel

Provide adequate ventilation.

Use personal protection equipment.

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Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.  
Remove persons to safety.  
Emergency procedures  
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

#### For emergency responders

Precautionary statements For emergency responders : Personal protection equipment: see section 8

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

##### For containment

Cover drains.  
Prevent spread over a wide area (e.g. by containment or oil barriers).  
Collect in closed and suitable containers for disposal.  
Take up carefully when dry. Take up dust-free and set down dust-free.

##### For cleaning up

Clean contaminated articles and floor according to the environmental legislation.

##### Other information

Provide adequate ventilation.  
Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.  
Wear breathing apparatus if exposed to vapours/dusts/aerosols.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Safe handling: see section 7  
Personal protection equipment: see section 8  
Disposal: see section 13

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

#### Advice on safe handling

Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.  
Do not breathe dust. Avoid dust formation.  
Read label before use. Handle and open container with care.  
When using do not eat, drink, smoke, sniff. Keep container tightly closed.  
Use personal protection equipment. Use extractor hood (laboratory).  
Provide adequate ventilation.  
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.

#### Advice on protection against fire and explosion

Usual measures for fire prevention.

#### Advice on general occupational hygiene

Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs. Make available sufficient washing facilities  
Remove contaminated, saturated clothing immediately. Draw up and observe skin protection programme.  
Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary. When using do not eat or drink.

#### Further information on handling

Draw up and observe skin protection programme.  
Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary.  
Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.  
If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used.

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

#### Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Keep container tightly closed.  
Keep locked up.

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Store in a place accessible by authorized persons only.  
Provide adequate ventilation as well as local exhaust at critical locations.  
storage temperature +5°C - +30°C

**Further information on storage conditions**

Store in a dry place.  
Suitable container/equipment material: plastic  
Unsuitable container/equipment material: Metal Glass

**7.3. Specific end use(s)**

Laboratory chemicals

**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

**8.1. Control parameters**

**DNEL/DMEL values**

CAS No	Substance	Exposure route	Effect	Value
7789-23-3	potassium fluoride			
	Worker DNEL, long-term	inhalation	systemic	3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	Worker DNEL, acute	inhalation	systemic	12 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	Worker DNEL, long-term	inhalation	local	3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	Worker DNEL, acute	inhalation	local	12 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	Worker DNEL, long-term	dermal	systemic	0,44 mg/kg bw/day
	Worker DNEL, acute	dermal	systemic	0,44 mg/kg bw/day

**PNEC values**

CAS No	Substance	Value
7789-23-3	potassium fluoride	
	Freshwater	0,89 mg/l
	Micro-organisms in sewage treatment plants (STP)	51 mg/l
	Soil	11 mg/kg

**8.2. Exposure controls**

**Appropriate engineering controls**

If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used.  
Do not breathe dust. Avoid dust formation.  
Technical measures and the application of suitable work processes have priority over personal protection equipment.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

**Eye/face protection**

Suitable eye protection:  
goggles  
Face protection umbrella

**Hand protection**

Protective gloves are recommended Company KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, email: [vertrieb@kcl.de](mailto:vertrieb@kcl.de) With specification (test according to EN374):

By long-term hand contact

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Recommended glove articles: KCL 741 Dermatril® L  
Recommended material: NBR (Nitrile rubber) 0,11 mm  
Wearing time with permanent contact: > 480 min

By short-term hand contact  
Recommended glove articles: KCL 741 Dermatril® L  
Recommended material: NBR (Nitrile rubber) 0,11 mm  
Wearing time with occasional contact (splashes): > 480 min

The breakthrough times stated above were determined by KCL in laboratory tests acc. to EN374 with samples of the recommended glove types. 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).

#### Skin protection

Wear suitable protective clothing.  
Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.  
Wash hands before breaks and after work.

#### Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection necessary at: dust formation  
Filtering device with filter or ventilator filtering device of type: B-(P3)

#### Environmental exposure controls

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

Physical state:	solid
Colour:	colourless / white
Odour:	odourless
Odour threshold:	No data available
Melting point/freezing point:	846 °C
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range:	1505 °C
Flammability:	not applicable
Lower explosion limits:	not determined
Upper explosion limits:	not determined
Flash point:	X
Auto-ignition temperature:	No data available
Decomposition temperature:	not determined
pH-Value (at 20 °C):	8 - 9 (50 g/l)
Viscosity / kinematic:	not determined
Water solubility: (at 20 °C)	923 g/L
Solubility in other solvents	not determined
Dissolution rate:	No data available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water:	log Pow: -0,77
Dispersion stability:	No data available
Vapour pressure: (at 885 °C)	1,3 hPa
Vapour pressure:	not determined
Density (at 20 °C):	2,48 g/cm <sup>3</sup>

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Relative density:	No data available
Bulk density:	~ 400 kg/m <sup>3</sup>
Relative vapour density:	not determined
Particle characteristics:	No data available

#### **9.2. Other information**

##### **Information with regard to physical hazard classes**

Explosive properties	No data available
Sustaining combustion:	No data available
Self-ignition temperature	
Solid:	not applicable
Gas:	not applicable
Oxidizing properties	
Not oxidising.	

##### **Other safety characteristics**

Evaporation rate:	not determined
Solvent separation test:	No data available
Solvent content:	No data available
Solid content:	100%
Sublimation point:	No data available
Softening point:	No data available
Pour point:	No data available
No data available:	
Viscosity / dynamic:	not determined
Flow time:	not determined

##### **Further Information**

No data available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### **10.1. Reactivity**

No data available

### **10.2. Chemical stability**

The product is stable under storage at normal ambient temperatures.

### **10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Oxidising agent, strong  
Acid

### **10.4. Conditions to avoid**

Heat

### **10.5. Incompatible materials**

No data available

### **10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**

In case of fire:  
SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

##### **Further information**

No data available

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### **11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

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**Toxicokinetics, metabolism and distribution**

Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.

**Acute toxicity**

Toxic if swallowed.  
Toxic in contact with skin.  
Toxic if inhaled.

CAS No	Chemical name				
	Exposure route	Dose	Species	Source	Method
7789-23-3	potassium fluoride				
	oral	LD50 ca. 148,5 mg/kg	Rat	Other company data (1984)	EPA OPPTS 870.1100
	dermal	LD50 > 2000 mg/kg	Rat	Study report (1995)	EPA OPPTS 870.1200
	inhalation vapour	ATE 3 mg/l			
	inhalation dust/mist	ATE 0,5 mg/l			

**Irritation and corrosivity**

Causes serious eye damage.  
Skin corrosion/irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Sensitising effects**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**STOT-single exposure**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**STOT-repeated exposure**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Aspiration hazard**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.  
No data available

**Specific effects in experiment on an animal**

No data available

**Additional information on tests**

No data available

**Practical experience**

No data available

**11.2. Information on other hazards**

**Endocrine disrupting properties**

No data available

**Other information**

No data available

**Further information**

Irritant  
Causes burns.  
Dyspnoea  
Respiratory complaints  
Unconsciousness  
Spasms  
Corneal opacity.  
Agitation



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Cardiac arrhythmias  
Circulatory collapse

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

## 12.1. Toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

CAS No	Chemical name					
	Aquatic toxicity	Dose	[h]   [d]	Species	Source	Method
7789-23-3	potassium fluoride					
	Acute algae toxicity	ErC50 43 mg/l	96 h	various algae species	European Union Risk Assessment Report, V	Methods not detailed in the review.
	Fish toxicity	NOEC 4 mg/l	21 d	Oncorhynchus mykiss	EU RAR Hydrogen Fluoride, Volume 8, 2001	other: no guideline stated
	Algae toxicity	NOEC 50 mg/l	7 d	various	Appendix to Report 785484010, RIVM (1989)	The review includes summaries of a numbr
	Crustacea toxicity	NOEC 3,7 mg/l	21 d	Daphnia magna	European Union Risk Assessment Report, V	The publication is a review article of v

## 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No information available.

## 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

log Pow: -0,77

No indication of bioaccumulation potential.

## BCF

CAS No	Chemical name	BCF	Species	Source
7789-23-3	potassium fluoride	53 - 58		EU RAR Hydrogen Fluo

## 12.4. Mobility in soil

No information available.

## 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance does not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria of REACH, annex XIII.

## 12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

This substance does not have endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms.

## 12.7. Other adverse effects

No information available.

## Further information

Avoid release to the environment.  
Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.  
Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

## 13.1. Waste treatment methods

## Disposal recommendations

Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation.

Waste disposal according to directive 2008/98/EC, covering waste and dangerous waste.

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Send to a physico-chemical treatment facility under observation of official regulations.  
Do not mix with other wastes.

**Contaminated packaging**

This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.  
Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.  
The allocation of waste identity numbers/waste descriptions must be carried out according to the EEC, specific to the industry and process.

**SECTION 14: Transport information****Land transport (ADR/RID)**

<b>14.1. UN number or ID number:</b>	UN 1812
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name:</b>	POTASSIUM FLUORIDE, SOLID
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es):</b>	6.1
<b>14.4. Packing group:</b>	III
Hazard label:	6.1
Classification code:	T5
Limited quantity:	5 kg
Excepted quantity:	E1
Transport category:	2
Hazard No:	60
Tunnel restriction code:	E

**Inland waterways transport (ADN)**

<b>14.1. UN number or ID number:</b>	UN 1812
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name:</b>	POTASSIUM FLUORIDE, SOLID
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es):</b>	6.1
<b>14.4. Packing group:</b>	III
Hazard label:	6.1
Classification code:	T5
Special Provisions:	802
Limited quantity:	5 kg
Excepted quantity:	E1

**Marine transport (IMDG)**

<b>14.1. UN number or ID number:</b>	UN 1812
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name:</b>	POTASSIUM FLUORIDE, SOLID
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es):</b>	6.1
<b>14.4. Packing group:</b>	III
Hazard label:	6.1
Special Provisions:	-
Limited quantity:	5 kg
Excepted quantity:	E1
EmS:	F-A, S-A

**Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)**

<b>14.1. UN number or ID number:</b>	UN 1812
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name:</b>	POTASSIUM FLUORIDE, SOLID
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es):</b>	6.1
<b>14.4. Packing group:</b>	III
Hazard label:	6.1
Limited quantity Passenger:	10 kg
Passenger LQ:	Y645
Excepted quantity:	E1
IATA-packing instructions - Passenger:	670
IATA-max. quantity - Passenger:	100 kg
IATA-packing instructions - Cargo:	677

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IATA-max. quantity - Cargo:

200 kg

#### 14.5. Environmental hazards

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS: No

#### 14.6. Special precautions for user

Warning: Toxic. strongly corrosive.

#### 14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

not applicable

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

#### 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

##### EU regulatory information

Information according to 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III): H2 ACUTE TOXIC

##### National regulatory information

Employment restrictions: Observe restrictions to employment for juveniles according to the 'juvenile work protection guideline' (94/33/EC). Observe employment restrictions under the Maternity Protection Directive (92/85/EEC) for expectant or nursing mothers.

Water hazard class (D): 1 - slightly hazardous to water

Skin resorption/Sensitization: Permeates easily through outer skin and causes poisoning.

### SECTION 16: Other information

#### Changes

This data sheet contains changes from the previous version in section(s): 1,9,12.

#### Abbreviations and acronyms

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50%

LD50: Lethal dose, 50%

Acute Tox: Acute toxicity

Eye Dam: Eye damage

#### Relevant H and EUH statements (number and full text)

H301 Toxic if swallowed.

H301+H311+H331 Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.

H311 Toxic in contact with skin.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H331 Toxic if inhaled.

#### Further Information

The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material. The information is based on the present level of our knowledge. It does not, however, give assurance of

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product properties and establishes no contract legal rights.  
The receiver of our product is singularly responsible for adhering to existing laws and regulations.