

Safety Data Sheet

Potassium thiocyanate, 1M

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#### **SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

PRODUCT NAME: 1M Potassium thiocyanate

SYNONYMS: Potassium rhodanide

PRODUCT CODES: 1008214

1008215

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CHEMICAL NAME: Potassium thiocyanate

**CHEMICAL FORMULA: CKNS** 

PREPARED BY: Rigaku Reagents

**SECTION 1 NOTES:** 

## **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW:**

OSHA HAZARDS: Target organ effect, harmful by ingestion

TARGET ORGANS: Central nervous system, cardiovascular system, thyroid

## **GHS CLASSIFICATION:**

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4)
Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 3)
Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 4)
Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 3)

## GHS LABEL ELEMENTS, INCLUDING PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS



Signal word: Danger Hazard statement(s):

H302 + H312 Harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin

H331 Toxic if inhaled.

H402 Harmful to aquatic life. **Precautionary statement(s):** 

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

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing. P311 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

# **POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS:**

EYES: May cause eye irritation.

**SKIN:** Harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

INGESTION: Harmful if swallowed.

**INHALATION:** May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.

#### **SECTION 2 NOTES:**



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**INGREDIENTS:** Potassium thiocyanate, De-ionized water

**POTASSIUM THIOCYANATE:** 

CAS NO. % WT % VOL

333-20-0 9.2-10.2

OSHA PEL-TWA: ppm mg/m3

SHA PEL-TWA: 5

OSHA PEL STEL :

ACGIH TLV-TWA: ACGIH TLV STEL:

**SECTION 3 NOTES:** 

#### **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

**EYES:** Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

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

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

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

**SECTION 4 NOTES:** 

## **SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

## **FLASH POINT:**

F: No data available

C: No data available

## **AUTOIGNITION TEMPERATURE:**

F: No data available

C: No data available

NFPA HAZARD CLASSIFICATION

HEALTH: 1 FLAMMABILITY: 0 REACTIVITY: 0

**HMIS HAZARD CLASSIFICATION** 

HEALTH: 1 FLAMMABILITY: 0 REACTIVITY: 0

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Dry powder.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides

(NOx), Sulfur oxides, Potassium oxides

**SECTION 5 NOTES:** Not flammable or combustible.

## **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS:** Wear respiratory protection. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

**ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.



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**METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR CONTAINMENT AND CLEANING UP:** Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Do not flush with water. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

**SECTION 6 NOTES:** 

#### **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**HANDLING AND STORAGE:** Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapor or mist. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage. Do not store near acids. Light sensitive.

**SECTION 7 NOTES:** 

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

**EYE PROTECTION:** Face shield and safety glasses 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.

**OTHER PROTECTIVE CLOTHING OR EQUIPMENT:** 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.

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

**SECTION 8 NOTES:** 

## **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

APPEARANCE: clear, colorless

PHYSICAL STATE: liquid, clear

pH AS SUPPLIED: No data available

**pH (Other):** 5.3-8.7

**BOILING POINT:** 

F: No data available C: No data available

**FREEZING POINT:** 

F: No data available C: No data available

VAPOR PRESSURE (mmHg): No data available

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F: No data available C: No data available

VAPOR DENSITY (AIR = 1): No data available



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SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H2O = 1): 1.342

**EVAPORATION RATE:** No data available

**SOLUBILITY IN WATER:** Completely soluble

VISCOSITY: No data available

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F: No data available C: No data available

**SECTION 9 NOTES:** 

## **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

STABILITY: Stable under recommended storage conditions.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID (STABILITY): No data available

INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIAL TO AVOID): Strong bases

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION OR BY-PRODUCTS:** Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides (NOx), Sulfur oxides, Potassium oxides. Other decomposition products - no data available.

**SECTION 10 NOTES:** 

## **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# **ACUTE TOXICITY:**

ORAL LD50: No data available
INHALATION LC50: No data available
DERMAL LD50: No data available

SKIN CORROSION/IRRITATION: No data available

SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE/EYE IRRITATION: No data available RESPIRATORY OR SKIN SENSITIZATION: No data available

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: No data available

**SECTION 11 NOTES:** 

## **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **TOXICITY**

No data available

#### PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY

No data available



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#### **BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL**

No data available

## **MOBILITY IN SOIL**

No data available

#### PBT AND vPvB ASSESSMENT

No data available

**SECTION 12 NOTES:** 

## **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

PRODUCT: Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

CONTAMINATED PACKAGING: Dispose of as unused product.

#### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### **U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

Not dangerous goods

#### **WATER TRANSPORTATION**

Not dangerous goods

#### **AIR TRANSPORTATION**

Not dangerous goods

**SECTION 14 NOTES:** 

## **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

OSHA HAZARDS: Target organ effect, harmful by ingestion

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:

CAS-No.

Potassium thiocyanate 333-20-0 Water 7732-18-5

## **NEW JERSEY RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS:**

CAS-No.

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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.



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**SECTION 15 NOTES:** 

# **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

**DISCLAIMER:** The above information is believed to be correct but does not necessarily include all information and should be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on our current knowledge and applies to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. This document does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Rigaku Reagents will not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or contact with the above product.