# Chromium(III) potassium sulfate dodecahydrate:



# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

#### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

 Product Name:
 Chromium(III) potassium sulfate dodecahydrate

 Product Number:
 Sc-211089

 Supplier:
 Santa Cruz Biotechnology, Inc.

 2145 Delaware Avenue
 Santa Cruz, CA 95060

 800.457.3801 or 831.457.3800
 ChemWatch

 Emergency:
 ChemWatch

Within the US & Canada: 877–715–9305 Outside the US & Canada: +800 2436 2255 (1–800-CHEMCALL) or call +613 9573 3112

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **Emergency Overview OSHA Hazards** No known OSHA hazards GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements Pictogram none Signal word Warning Hazard statement(s) H303 May be harmful if swallowed. Precautionary statement(s) none **HMIS Classification** Health hazard: 0 Flammability: 0 Physical hazards: 0 **NFPA Rating** 0 Health hazard: Fire: 0 Reactivity Hazard: 0 **Potential Health Effects** Inhalation May cause respiratory tract irritation. Skin May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

| Synonyms :         | Potassium chromium(III) sulfated | lodecahydrate |           |                      |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|-----------|----------------------|
|                    | Chrome alum                      |               |           |                      |
| Formula :          | CrKO8S2 · 12H2O                  |               |           |                      |
| Molecular Weight : | 499.4 g/mol                      |               |           |                      |
| CAS-No.            |                                  | EC-No.        | Index-No. | <b>Concentration</b> |
| Chromium potassi   | um bis(sulphate) dodecahydrate   |               |           |                      |
| 7788–99–0          |                                  | 233-401-6     | -         | _                    |

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### **General advice**

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

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** Flush eyes with water as a precaution. **If swallowed** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

# **5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide. **Special protective equipment for fire-fighters** Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal precautions

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Avoid breathing dust.

#### **Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

#### 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.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling

Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

#### Conditions for safe storage

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

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

#### Personal protective equipment

#### **Respiratory protection**

Respiratory protection is not required. Where protection from nuisance levels of dusts are desired, use type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) dust masks. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### Hand 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.

#### Eye protection

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

#### Skin and body protection

Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific work-place., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### **Hygiene measures**

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

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form pH Melting point Ignition temperature Upper explosion limit Water solubility crystalline no data available 89 °C (192 °F) – lit. no data available no data available soluble

Odor Boiling point Flash point Lower explosion limit Density odorless no data available not applicable no data available 1.830 g/cm3

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions. Conditions to avoid no data available Materials to avoid Strong oxidizing agents Hazardous decomposition products Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. – Sulphur oxides, Potassium oxides, Chromium oxides

# **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - rat - 3,530 mg/kg Remarks: anhydrous substance LD50 Intravenous - rat - 112 mg/kg 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 Carcinogenicity - rat - Subcutaneous Tumorigenic: Equivocal tumorigenic agent by RTECS criteria. Tumorigenic:Tumors at site or application. No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as IARC: probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC. No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a ACGIH: carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH. 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 Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure (Globally Harmonized System) no data available Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System) no data available Aspiration hazard no data available Potential health effects Inhalation May cause respiratory tract irritation. Skin May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

#### Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Additional Information

RTECS: GB6850000

# **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Toxicity no data available Mobility in soil no data available Persistence and degradability no data available PBT and vPvB assessment no data available Bioaccumulative potential no data available Other adverse effects no data available

# **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Product** Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. **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**

### **OSHA Hazards**

| USHA Hazarus  |           |  |  |  |
|---|-----------|--|--|--|
| No known OSHA hazards   |           |  |  |  |
| DSL Status  |           |  |  |  |
| All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL list.  |           |  |  |  |
| SARA 302 Components   |           |  |  |  |
| SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302. |           |  |  |  |
| SARA 313 Components   |           |  |  |  |
| SARA 313: 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  |           |  |  |  |
| No SARA Hazards   |           |  |  |  |
| Massachusetts Right To Know Components  |           |  |  |  |
| Chromium potassium bis(sulphate) dodecahydrate  | CAS-No.   |  |  |  |
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| 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**

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be complete and should be used only as a guide. The burden of safe use of this material rests entirely with the user.

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