

#### 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name Caustic Potash Other Names** Lye; Potassium hydrate

Uses Cleaning/washing agents and additives; Flotation agents; pH regulation; lubricants and additives; bleaching agents;

Laboratory chemical; Electroplating; Process regulators.

**Chemical Family** No Data Available

**Chemical Formula** KOH

**Chemical Name** Potassium hydroxide **Product Description** No Data Available

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### 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Poisons Schedule (Aust) Schedule 6



# **Globally Harmonised System**

Hazard Classification Hazardous according to the criteria of the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of

Chemicals (GHS)

Hazard Categories Corrosive to Metals - Category 1

Acute Toxicity (Oral) - Category 4
Skin Corrosion/Irritation - Category 1B
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation - Category 1

**Pictograms** 





Signal Word Danger

Hazard Statements H290 May be corrosive to metals.

**H302** Harmful if swallowed.

**H314** Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

**Precautionary Statements** Prevention **P270** Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

**P260** Do not breathe dusts or mists.

**P280** Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection and

suitable respirator.

Response P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with

water or shower.

**P304 + P340** IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses,

if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor.
P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P390 Absorb spillage to prevent material-damage.

P405 Store locked up.

**P406** Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner.

Disposal P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local / regional / national /

international regulations.

#### **National Transport Commission (Australia)**

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

**Dangerous Goods Classification**Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by

Road & Rail (ADG Code)

# **Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand)**

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015

Storage

**HSNO Classifications** Health Hazards **6.1C** Substances that are acutely toxic- Toxic

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### Ingredients

Chemical Entity	Formula	CAS Number	Proportion
Potassium hydroxide	КОН	1310-58-3	90 - 95 %
Water	7732-18-5	7732-18-5	5 - 10 %

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### Description of necessary measures according to routes of exposure

**Swallowed** IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth, then drink plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a Poison Centre or

doctor/physician for advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Transport to hospital or doctor

without delay!

Eye IF IN EYES: Immediately flush eyes with running water for several minutes, holding eyelids open and occasionally lifting

> the upper and lower lids. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue flushing until advised to stop by a Poisons Information Centre (e.g. phone Australia 13 11 26; New Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor, or for at least 15

minutes. Transport to hospital or doctor without delay!

\*Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.

Skin IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove and isolate contaminated clothing and shoes. Immediately flush skin and hair with running

water for at least 15 minutes. Immediately call a Poison Centre or doctor/physician for advice. Wash contaminated

clothing and shoes before reuse. Transport to hospital or doctor without delay!

\*For minor skin contact, avoid spreading material on unaffected skin.

Inhaled IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a Poison

Centre or doctor/physician for advice. Give artificial respiration if victim is not breathing. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Administer oxygen if breathing is difficult. Transport to

hospital or doctor without delay!

**Advice to Doctor** For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (e.g. phone Australia 13 11 26; New Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor.

> Keep victim calm and warm. Effects of exposure (inhalation, ingestion or skin contact) to substance may be delayed. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves. \*Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: If ingested, may cause nausea, vomiting and stomach

burns. May cause severe skin, eye and respiratory irritation or burns.

**Exposure** 

Medical Conditions Aggravated by May aggravate pre-existing eye, skin and respiratory conditions (including asthma and other breathing disorders).

### **5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

**General Measures** If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from fire area. Cool containers with water spray until well after fire is out.

Dike fire-control water for later disposal; do not scatter the material. Do not get water inside containers.

**Flammability Conditions** Non-combustible; substance itself does not burn but may decompose upon heating to produce corrosive and/or toxic

fumes

\*May react with H2O & other substances and generate sufficient heat to ignite combustible materials.

**Extinguishing Media** If material is involved in a fire, use dry chemical, Carbon dioxide (CO2), foam or water spray for extinction - Do not use

water jets.

Fire and Explosion Hazard Risk of violent reaction or explosion! Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas. Containers may explode

when heated.

**Hazardous Products of** 

Combustion

Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases, including Potassium oxides.

**Special Fire Fighting Instructions** Contain runoff from fire control water or dilution water - Runoff may be corrosive and/or toxic and cause pollution.

Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Wear chemical protective clothing - It may provide

little or no thermal protection. Structural firefighters' protective clothing provides limited protection in fire situations **Personal Protective Equipment** 

ONLY; it is not effective in spill situations where direct contact with the substance is possible.

Flash Point No Data Available **Lower Explosion Limit** No Data Available **Upper Explosion Limit** No Data Available **Auto Ignition Temperature** No Data Available

2W Hazchem Code

#### **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Ensure adequate ventilation - Ventilate enclosed areas before entering. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, **General Response Procedure** 

flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Clean up all spills immediately!

Avoid generating dust. Do not breathe dusts or mists and prevent contact with eyes, skin and clothing.

**Clean Up Procedures** Collect recoverable product into labelled containers for recycling. Sweep or vacuum up, but avoid generating dust.

Collect and seal in properly labelled containers for disposal (see SECTION 13).

\*Do not get water inside containers.

Containment Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

**Decontamination** Neutralise/decontaminate residue. Wash away remainder with plenty of water.

**Environmental Precautionary** 

Measures

Spillages and decontamination runoff should be prevented from entering drains and watercourses. If contamination of

sewers or waterways has occurred advise local emergency services.

**Evacuation Criteria** Spill or leak area should be isolated immediately. Keep unauthorised personnel away. Keep upwind and to higher

**Personal Precautionary Measures** Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing (see SECTION 8).

\*Structural firefighters' protective clothing provides limited protection in fire situations ONLY; it is not effective in spill

situations where direct contact with the substance is possible.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Safety showers and eyewash facilities should be provided within the immediate work area for emergency use. Ensure

adequate ventilation. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid generating dust. Do

not breathe dusts or mists and prevent contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not ingest. Wear protective

gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection (see SECTION 8). CORROSIVE TO METALS: Avoid contact with incompatible materials. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition - No smoking. WARNING: To avoid violent reaction,

ALWAYS add material to water and NEVER water to material!

Storage Store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place, in an area having corrosion-resistant concrete floor. Keep container tightly

> closed - Check regularly for spills. Avoid exposure to moisture/humidity. Avoid exposure to air. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep away from food, feedstuffs and incompatible materials (see SECTION 10). Store

locked up.

Container Keep only in the original container or corrosive resistant container/container with a resistant inner liner.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

General SUBSTANCE: Potassium hydroxide (CAS No. 1310-58-3):

- Safe Work Australia Exposure Standard: TWA = 2 mg/m3 (Peak limitation).

- New Zealand Workplace Exposure Standard: Ceiling = 2 mg/m3.

- NIOSH REL: Ceiling = 2 mg/m3

**Exposure Limits** No Data Available

**Biological Limits** No information available.

**Engineering Measures** A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep employee exposures as low as possible. Local exhaust

ventilation is generally preferred because it can control the emissions of the contaminant at its source, preventing

dispersion of it into the general work area.

**Personal Protection Equipment** - Respiratory protection: Wear respiratory protection in case of inadequate ventilation or if an inhalation risk exists.

Recommended: Dust mask/particulate respirator (refer to AS/NZS 1715 & 1716).

- Eye/face protection: Wear appropriate eye protection to prevent eye contact. Recommended: Chemical goggles (with a

secondary protection face-shield).

- Hand protection: Wear protective gloves. Recommended: Impervious gloves, e.g. rubber, nitrile, neoprene, PVC.

- Skin/body protection: Wear appropriate personal protective clothing to prevent skin contact. Recommended: Overalls,

safety shoes.

**Special Hazards Precaustions** No information available.

Work Hygienic Practices Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday. Wash

contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State Solid

**Appearance** Deliquescent solid; lumps, rods, sticks, pellets, flakes

**Odour** Odourless

**Colour** Colourless, white, off-white or slightly yellow

pH 13.5 0.1 M soln.
 Vapour Pressure 1 mmHg (@ 719 °C)
 Relative Vapour Density No Data Available

**Boiling Point** 1,320 °C **Melting Point** 380 °C

Freezing Point No Data Available

**Solubility** 112 g/100 ml water - Soluble in ethanol  $20^{\circ}$ C

2.04 (Water = 1)**Specific Gravity Flash Point** No Data Available **Auto Ignition Temp** No Data Available **Evaporation Rate** No Data Available **Bulk Density** No Data Available **Corrosion Rate** No Data Available **Decomposition Temperature** No Data Available Density 2.04 g/cm3 **Specific Heat** No Data Available **Molecular Weight** 56.11 g/mol **Net Propellant Weight** No Data Available **Octanol Water Coefficient** No Data Available

Particle SizeNo Data AvailablePartition CoefficientNo Data AvailableSaturated Vapour ConcentrationNo Data AvailableVapour TemperatureNo Data AvailableViscosityNo Data AvailableVolatile PercentNo Data AvailableVOC VolumeNo Data Available

**Additional Characteristics** Deliquescent - Rapidly absorbs Carbon dioxide and water from air.

Potential for Dust Explosion No information available.

Fast or Intensely Burning Characteristics

Risk of violent reaction or explosion!

Flame Propagation or Burning Rate of Solid Materials

No information available.

Non-Flammables That Could Contribute Unusual Hazards to a

May react with H2O & other substances and generate sufficient heat to ignite combustible materials.

Contribute Unusual Hazards to Fire
Properties That May Initiate or

Contribute to Fire Intensity

Non-combustible; substance itself does not burn but may decompose upon heating to produce corrosive and/or toxic

fumes.

Reactions That Release Gases or Vapours

Fire/decomposition may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases, including Potassium oxides.

Release of Invisible Flammable Vapours and Gases

Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas.

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**General Information**The substance is a strong base, it reacts violently with acid and is corrosive in moist air to metals such as zinc, aluminium,

tin and lead, evolving flammable hydrogen gas. Reacts with ammonium salts to produce ammonia and causing fire hazard. Attacks some forms of plastics, rubber or coatings. Rapidly absorbs carbon dioxide and water from air. Contact

with moisture or water will generate heat.

**Chemical Stability**This material is stable under recommended storage at normal temperature and pressure.

**Conditions to Avoid** Avoid dust formation. Avoid exposure to moisture/humidity. Avoid exposure to air. Avoid contact with organic materials.

Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Materials to Avoid Incompatible/reactive with strong acids, water, metals (when wet), ammonium salts, halogenated hydrocarbons, maleic

anhydride.

Hazardous Decomposition Products Fire/decomposition may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases, including Potassium oxides.

**Hazardous Polymerisation** 

Will not occur.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **General Information**

Information on toxicological effects:

- Acute toxicity: Harmful if swallowed. KOH has a moderate acute oral toxicity, which is essentially due to its corrosivity (local effects). The observed systemic effects could be regarded as secondary effects.
- Skin corrosion/irritation: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- Eye damage/irritation: Causes serious eye damage.
- Respiratory/skin sensitisation: Potassium hydroxide is not considered to be a skin sensitiser.
- Germ cell mutagenicity: Chronic, systemic health effects are not expected.
- Carcinogenicity: Chronic, systemic health effects are not expected.
- Reproductive toxicity: Chronic, systemic health effects are not expected.
- STOT (single exposure): Corrosive to the respiratory tract.
- STOT (repeated exposure): Because the constituent ions of potassium hydroxide are naturally present in the body with effective homeostatic mechanisms working to maintain these levels, chronic systemic health effects, such as repeated dose toxicity (apart from alkalosis), carcinogenicity and reproductive toxicity, are not expected following exposures at non-irritating concentrations.
- Aspiration toxicity: Aspiration of the alkali into the airway can result in live-threatening injuries to the larynx, the tracheobronchial passages, and the lungs.

Information on possible routes of exposure:

- Ingestion: Corrosive to the gastrointestinal tract, causing abdominal pain, burning sensation, perforation of upper and lower gastrointestinal tissues, shock or collapse.
- Eye contact: Corrosive to eyes, causing redness, pain, blurred vision, severe deep burns; Can result in permanent injury, blindness.

- Skin contact: Corrosive to skin, causing redness, pain, blisters, liquefaction of skin and damage to underlying tissues, deep and painful wounds.

- Inhalation: Corrosive to the respiratory tract, causing burning sensation, cough, sore throat, laboured breathing, shortness of breath, possible pulmonary edema. Symptoms may be delayed.

Chronic effects: High or repeated ingestion of potassium hydroxide or other alkaline substances can lead to alkalosis

(elevated pH of the blood).

Acute

**Ingestion** Acute toxicity (Oral):

- LD50, Rat: 333 mg/kg bw. [ECHA].

\*The lower LD50 value = 273 mg/kg has been calculated after an observation period of 14 days (conventional method, BRUCE 1987). Since KOH is a strong alkaline substance effects may occur even after a longer observation period since the corrosive effects will lead to organ damage that can result into death. However, this effect can not be considered as an

acute effect. Therefore, we conclude the value of oral LD50 = 333 - 388 mg/kg can be justified [ECHA].

Carcinogen Category None

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity** Aquatic toxicity:

- LC50, Fish (Gambusia affinis): 80 mg/l (96 h) [Supplier's SDS].
- EC50, Crustacea (Daphnia magna): 660 mg/l (48 h) [Supplier's SDS].
- EC50, Algae (Nitscheria linearis): 1,337 mg/l (120 h) [Supplier's SDS].

Persistence/Degradability This material is believed to exist in the disassociated state in the environment.

Mobility Not expected to be absorbed in soil due to its dissociation properties and high water solubility.

Environmental Fate This material is alkaline and may raise the pH of surface waters with low buffering capacity. Prevent entry into drains and

waterways.

**Bioaccumulation Potential** Not expected to bioconcentrate in organisms.

**Environmental Impact** No Data Available

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

General Information Dispose of contents/container via a licensed disposal company and in accordance with local/regional/national

regulations.

Special Precautions for Land Fill Refer to local waste management authority for disposal recommendations.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

# Land Transport (Australia)

ADG Code

Proper Shipping Name POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE, SOLID

Class 8 Corrosive Substances
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

**EPG** 37 Toxic And/Or Corrosive Substances Non-Combustible

UN Number 1813 Hazchem 2W Pack Group II

**Special Provision** No Data Available

Land Transport (Malaysia)

ADR Code

Proper Shipping Name POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE, SOLID

Class 8 Corrosive Substances

Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

**EPG** 37 Toxic And/Or Corrosive Substances Non-Combustible

 UN Number
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 II

**Special Provision** No Data Available

Land Transport (New Zealand)

NZS5433

Proper Shipping Name POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE, SOLID

Class 8 Corrosive Substances
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

EPG 37 Toxic And/Or Corrosive Substances Non-Combustible

UN Number 1813 Hazchem 2W Pack Group II

**Special Provision** No Data Available

Land Transport (United States of America)

**US DOT** 

**Proper Shipping Name** POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE, SOLID

Class 8 Corrosive Substances
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

**ERG** 154 Substances - Toxic and/or Corrosive (Non-Combustible)

 UN Number
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 II

**Special Provision** No Data Available

Sea Transport

**IMDG** Code

Proper Shipping Name POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE, SOLID

Class 8 Corrosive Substances
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

UN Number 1813 Hazchem 2W

Pack Group ||

**Special Provision** No Data Available

**EMS** F-A, S-B

Marine Pollutant No

# **Air Transport**

IATA DGR

Proper Shipping Name POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE, SOLID

Class 8 Corrosive Substances
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

 UN Number
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 Pack Group
 II

Special Provision No Data Available

# **National Transport Commission (Australia)**

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**Dangerous Goods Classification**Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by

Road & Rail (ADG Code)

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

General Information POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE

Poisons Schedule (Aust) Schedule 6

# **Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand)**

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015

Approval Code HSR001546

# **National/Regional Inventories**

Australia (AIIC) Listed

Canada (DSL) Not Determined

Canada (NDSL) Not Determined

China (IECSC) Not Determined

**Europe (EINECS)** 215-181-3

**Europe (REACh)** Not Determined

Japan (ENCS/METI) Not Determined

Korea (KECI) Not Determined

Malaysia (EHS Register) Not Determined

New Zealand (NZIoC) Listed

Philippines (PICCS) Not Determined

Switzerland (Giftliste 1) Not Determined

**Switzerland (Inventory of Notified** 

Substances)

Not Determined

Taiwan (NCSR) Not Determined

USA (TSCA) Not Determined

### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

#### **Related Product Codes**

CAPOTA0600, CAPOTA0700, CAPOTA0800, CAPOTA0900, CAPOTA0950, CAPOTA1000, CAPOTA1001, CAPOTA1002, CAPOTA1003, CAPOTA1004, CAPOTA1005, CAPOTA1006, CAPOTA1007, CAPOTA1008, CAPOTA1009, CAPOTA1010, CAPOTA1011, CAPOTA1012, CAPOTA1013, CAPOTA1014, CAPOTA1015, CAPOTA1016, CAPOTA1017, CAPOTA1018, CAPOTA1019, CAPOTA1020, CAPOTA1050, CAPOTA1100, CAPOTA1200, CAPOTA1201, CAPOTA1202, CAPOTA1203, CAPOTA1204, CAPOTA1205, CAPOTA1206, CAPOTA1207, CAPOTA1208, CAPOTA1209, CAPOTA1210, CAPOTA1211, CAPOTA1212, CAPOTA1213, CAPOTA1214, CAPOTA1215, CAPOTA1216, CAPOTA1217, CAPOTA1218, CAPOTA1219, CAPOTA1220, CAPOTA1221, CAPOTA1222, CAPOTA1223, CAPOTA1224, CAPOTA1225, CAPOTA1226, CAPOTA1227, CAPOTA1228, CAPOTA1229, CAPOTA1230, CAPOTA1231, CAPOTA1232, CAPOTA1233, CAPOTA1234, CAPOTA1235, CAPOTA1236, CAPOTA1237, CAPOTA1238, CAPOTA1239, CAPOTA1240, CAPOTA1241, CAPOTA1242, CAPOTA1243, CAPOTA1244, CAPOTA1245, CAPOTA1250, CAPOTA1270, CAPOTA1300, CAPOTA1350, CAPOTA1351, CAPOTA1352, CAPOTA1353, CAPOTA1360, CAPOTA1400, CAPOTA1500, CAPOTA1600, CAPOTA1700, CAPOTA1800, CAPOTA1813, CAPOTA1814, CAPOTA1815, CAPOTA1816, CAPOTA1817, CAPOTA1818, CAPOTA1819, CAPOTA1824, CAPOTA1826, CAPOTA1827, CAPOTA1828, CAPOTA1829, CAPOTA1830, CAPOTA1831, CAPOTA1832, CAPOTA1833, CAPOTA1834, CAPOTA1835, CAPOTA1836, CAPOTA1837, CAPOTA1838, CAPOTA1839, CAPOTA1840, CAPOTA1841, CAPOTA1842, CAPOTA1843, CAPOTA1844, CAPOTA1845, CAPOTA1846, CAPOTA1847, CAPOTA1848, CAPOTA1849, CAPOTA1850, CAPOTA1851, CAPOTA1852, CAPOTA1853, CAPOTA1854, CAPOTA1855, CAPOTA1856, CAPOTA1857, CAPOTA1858, CAPOTA1859, CAPOTA1860, CAPOTA1861, CAPOTA1862, CAPOTA1863, CAPOTA1864, CAPOTA1869, CAPOTA1870, CAPOTA1871, CAPOTA1872, CAPOTA1873, CAPOTA1874, CAPOTA1875, CAPOTA1876, CAPOTA1877, CAPOTA1878, CAPOTA1879, CAPOTA1880, CAPOTA1881, CAPOTA1882, CAPOTA1883, CAPOTA1884, CAPOTA1885, CAPOTA1900, CAPOTA1901, CAPOTA1920, CAPOTA2000, CAPOTA2100, CAPOTA2150, CAPOTA2155, CAPOTA2250, CAPOTA2255, CAPOTA2500, CAPOTA3000, CAPOTA3001, CAPOTA3002, CAPOTA3003, CAPOTA3004, CAPOTA3005, CAPOTA3010, CAPOTA3011, CAPOTA3020, CAPOTA3030, CAPOTA3031, CAPOTA3050, CAPOTA3060, CAPOTA3100, CAPOTA3101, CAPOTA3102, CAPOTA3103, CAPOTA3104, CAPOTA3500, CAPOTA4000, CAPOTA4001, CAPOTA4002, CAPOTA4003, CAPOTA4600, CAPOTA4700, CAPOTA5000, CAPOTA5100, CAPOTA6000, CAPOTA7000, CAPOTA7500, CAPOTA8000, CAPOTA8050, CAPOTA9000, CAPOTA9050, CAPOTB4400, CAPOTB4500, CAPOTB4501, CAPOTB4502

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**AICS** Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

atm Atmosphere

> Greater Than

CAS Chemical Abstracts Service (Registry Number)

cm<sup>2</sup> Square Centimetres CO2 Carbon Dioxide

**COD** Chemical Oxygen Demand **deg C (°C)** Degrees Celcius

EPA (New Zealand) Environmental Protection Authority of New Zealand

deg F (°F) Degrees Farenheit

**a** Grams

g/cm³ Grams per Cubic Centimetre

g/I Grams per Litre

**HSNO** Hazardous Substance and New Organism **IDLH** Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health **immiscible** Liquids are insoluable in each other.

inHg Inch of Mercury inH2O Inch of Water

**K** Kelvin **kg** Kilogram

kg/m³ Kilograms per Cubic Metre

**Ib** Pound

**LC50** LC stands for lethal concentration. LC50 is the concentration of a material in air which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals. The material is inhaled over a set period of time, usually 1 or 4 hours.

**LD50** LD stands for Lethal Dose. LD50 is the amount of a material, given all at once, which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals.

Itr or L Litre

m<sup>3</sup> Cubic Metre

mbar Millibar

mg Milligram

mg/24H Milligrams per 24 Hours

mg/kg Milligrams per Kilogram

mg/m³ Milligrams per Cubic Metre

Misc or Miscible Liquids form one homogeneous liquid phase regardless of the amount of either component present.

mm Millimetre

mmH20 Millimetres of Water

mPa.s Millipascals per Second

N/A Not Applicable

NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NOHSC National Occupational Heath and Safety Commission

**OECD** Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

Oz Ounce

**PEL** Permissible Exposure Limit

Pa Pascal

ppb Parts per Billion

ppm Parts per Million

ppm/2h Parts per Million per 2 Hours

ppm/6h Parts per Million per 6 Hours

psi Pounds per Square Inch

**R** Rankine

**RCP** Reciprocal Calculation Procedure

**STEL** Short Term Exposure Limit

**TLV** Threshold Limit Value

tne Tonne

**TWA** Time Weighted Average

ug/24H Micrograms per 24 Hours

**UN** United Nations

wt Weight