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For RICCA, SpectroPure, Red Bird, and Solutions Plus Brands Emergency Contact (24 hr) -- CHEMTREC®

POTASSIUM IODATE - IODIDE, 0.0125 - 0.100 Normal Aqueous Solutions

Domestic: 800-424-9300 International: 703-527-3887

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# Material Safety Data Sheet

Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification

Catalog Number:						
6280, 6282, 6285, P071525						
Product Identity: POTASSIUM IODATE - IODIDE, 0.0125 - 0.100 Normal Aqueous Solutions						
Manufacturer's Name: RICCA CHEMICAL COMPANY LLC	Emergency Contact(24 hr) CHEMTREC®  Domestic: 800-424-9300 International: 703-527-3887					
CAGE Code: 0V553						
Address: 448 West Fork Dr Arlington, TX 76012	Telephone Number For Information: 817-461-5601					
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# **Section 2. Composition/Information on Ingredients**

Component	CAS Registry #	Concentration	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2	0.001-0.1	Not Available	Not Available
,			C 2 mg/m3	2 mg/m3
Potassium Iodide	7681-11-0	0.4-2.8	Not Available	Not Available
			Not Available	Not Available
Water, Deionized	7732-18-5	Balance	Not Available	Not Available
			Not Available	Not Available
Potassium lodate	7758-05-6	0.04-0.36	Not Available	Not Available
			Not Available	Not Available

#### **Section 3: Hazard Identification**

Emergency Overview: Does not present any significant health hazards. May cause mild irritation to the skin, eyes and gastrointestinal tract. Wash areas of

contact with water.

Target Organs: eyes, skin, gastrointestinal system.

Eye Contact: May cause slight irritation.

Inhalation: Not likely to be hazardous by inhalation.

Skin Contact: May cause slight irritation.

Ingestion: Large oral doses may cause mild irritation of the gastrointestinal tract.

Chronic Effects/Carcinogenicity: None



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NTP - No.

OSHA - No.

Reproductive Information: Reproductive effects cited in 'Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances' for Potassium Iodide.

**Teratology (Birth Defect) Information:** Mutation data cited in 'Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances' for Potassium Iodide. Mutation data cited in 'Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances' for Sodium Hydroxide.

#### Section 4: First Aid Measures - In all cases, seek qualified evaluation.

Eye Contact: Irrigate immediately with large quantity of water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation develops.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if necessary. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

Skin Contact: Wash areas of contact with soap and water for at least 15 minutes. Call a physician if irritation develops.

Ingestion: Dilute with water or milk. Call a physician if necessary.

#### **Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures**

Flash Point: Not Available. Method Used: Not Available.

LFL: Not Available. UFL: Not Available.

 $\textbf{Extinguishing Media:} \ \textbf{Use any means suitable for extinguishing surrounding fire}.$ 

 $\textbf{Fire \& Explosion Hazards:} \ \ \textbf{Not considered to be a fire or explosion hazard.}$ 

Fire Fighting Instructions: Use normal procedures/instructions.

Fire Fighting Equipment: Use protective clothing and breathing equipment appropriate for the surrounding fire.

# Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Absorb with suitable material and dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Small amounts may be flushed to the sewer with excess water.

#### Section 7. Handling and Storage

As with all chemicals, wash hands thoroughly after handling. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Protect from freezing and physical damage.

Safety Storage Code: General

### **Section 8: Exposure Control/Personal Protection**

Engineering Controls: No specific controls are needed. Normal room ventilation is adequate.

 $\textbf{Respiratory Protection:} \ \ \text{Normal room ventilation is adequate}.$ 

**Skin Protection:** Chemical resistant gloves. **Eye Protection:** Safety glasses or goggles.

#### Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance: Clear, colorless liquid

Odor: Odorless

Solubility in Water: Infinite Specific Gravity: Approximately 1 pH: Slightly alkaline

Boiling Point(°C): Approximately 100 Melting Point(°C): Approximately 0 Vapor Pressure: Not Applicable.

# Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions of use and storage.

Incompatibility: Strong acids.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: May produce toxic lodine vapors when heated to decomposition.

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.



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# Section 11. Toxicological Information

LDLo, Oral, Mouse: (Potassium lodate) 531 mg/kg, behavioral effects noted. Potassium lodide has been investigated as a mutagen and reproductive effector.

#### Section 12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicological Information: No information found. Chemical Fate Information: No information found.

#### Section 13. Disposal Considerations

Dilute with water and flush to the sewer if local regulations allow. If not allowed, containerize for proper disposal at an approved waste disposal facility. Always dispose of in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

# **Section 14. Transport Information**

Part Numbers:

This product is not regulated.

#### Section 15. Regulatory Information (Not meant to be all inclusive - selected regulation represented)

OSHA Status: The above items either do not contain any specifically hazardous material or the potentially hazardous material is present in such low concentration that the items do not present any immediate threat to health and safety. These items do not meet the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200) definition of a hazardous material.

TSCA Status: All components of this solution are listed on the TSCA Inventory or are mixtures (hydrates) of items listed on the TSCA Inventory.

Sara Title III:

Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances: Not Applicable.

Section 311/312 Hazardous Catagories:No

Section 313 Toxic Chemicals: Not Applicable.

California: None Reported.

Pennsylvania: Sodium Hydroxide is listed as an Environmental Hazard on the state's Hazardous Substances List.

RCRA Status: Not Applicable.

CERCLA Reportable Quantity: Sodium Hydroxide - 1,000 pounds.

WHMIS: Not Applicable.

**Section 16. Other Information** 



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NFPA Ratings:

Health: 1 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0 Special Notice Key:None

HMIS Ratings:

Health: 1 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0 Protective Equipment:B (Protective Eyewear, Gloves)

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When handled properly by qualified personnel, the product described herein does not present a significant health or safety hazard. Alteration of its characteristics by concentration, evaporation, addition of other substances, or other means may present hazards not specifically addressed herein and which must be evaluated by the user. The information furnished herein is believed to be accurate and represents the best data currently available to us. No warranty, expressed or implied, is made and RICCA CHEMICAL COMPANY assumes no legal responsibility or liability whatsoever resulting from its use.