

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. SUBSTANCE AND SOURCE IDENTIFICATION

**Product Identifier** 

SRM Number: 2186-I

**SRM Name:** Potassium Dihydrogen Phosphate **Other Means of Identification:** Not applicable.

### Recommended Use of This Material and Restrictions of Use

This Standard Reference Material (SRM) is intended for use calibration of pH meters to be used for the measurement of pD in deuterium oxide. A unit of SRM 2186-I consists of one bottle containing 30 g of potassium dihydrogen phosphate powder.

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

**Physical Hazard:** Not classified. **Health Hazard:** Not classified.

**Label Elements** 

**Symbol:** No Symbol

**Signal Word:** No Signal Word **Hazard Statement(s):** Not applicable.

**Precautionary Statement(s):** Not applicable.

Hazards Not Otherwise Classified: Not applicable.

Ingredients(s) with Unknown Acute Toxicity: Not applicable.

### 3. COMPOSITION AND INFORMATION ON HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

Substance: Potassium dihydrogen phosphate

Other Designations: Potassium acid phosphate; potassium phosphate monobasic; potassium diphosphate; potassium

biphosphate; potassium orthophosphate; monopotassium phosphate; H<sub>2</sub>KPO<sub>4</sub>

Components are listed in compliance with OSHA's 29 CFR 1910.1200; for the actual values see the Certificate of Analysis.

Hazardous Component(s)	CAS Number	EC Number (EINECS)	Nominal Mass Concentration (%)
Potassium dihydrogen phosphate	7778-77-0	231-913-4	100

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### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

## **Description of First Aid Measures:**

**Inhalation:** If adverse effects occur, remove to uncontaminated area. If not breathing, give artificial respiration or oxygen by qualified personnel. Seek immediate medical attention.

**Skin Contact:** Wash skin with soap and water for at least 15 minutes.

Eye Contact: Flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes. If necessary, seek medical attention.

**Ingestion:** If a large amount is swallowed, seek medical attention.

Most Important Symptoms/Effects, Acute and Delayed: May cause irritation of the eyes, respiratory system, and skin.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary:** If any of the above symptoms are present, seek medical attention if needed.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Fire and Explosion Hazards:** Negligible fire hazard. See Section 9, "Physical and Chemical Properties" for flammability properties.

#### **Extinguishing Media:**

Suitable: Use extinguishing media appropriate for the surrounding area.

Unsuitable: None listed.

**Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical:** None listed.

**Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-Fighters:** Avoid inhalation of material or combustion byproducts. Wear full protective clothing and NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

**NFPA Ratings** (0 = Minimal; 1 = Slight; 2 = Moderate; 3 = Serious; 4 = Severe)

Health = 1 Fire = 0 Reactivity = 0

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:** Keep unnecessary personnel away. Use suitable protective equipment; see Section 8, "Exposure Controls and Personal Protection".

Methods and Materials for Containment and Clean up: Notify safety personnel of spills. Collect spilled material in appropriate container for disposal.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Safe Handling Precautions: Avoid generating dust. See Section 8, "Exposure Controls and Personal Protection".

**Storage:** Store and handle in accordance with all current regulations and standards. Keep separated from incompatible substances (see Section 10, "Stability and Reactivity").

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Exposure Limits:** This material is a particulate matter and adequate inhalation/respiratory protection should be used to minimize exposure. No occupational exposure limits have been established for potassium dihydrogen phosphate. The exposure limits for Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated are applicable.

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OSHA (PEL): 15 mg/m³ (TWA, total particulates) 5 mg/m³ (TWA, respirable particulates)
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**Engineering Controls:** Provide local exhaust or process enclosure ventilation system. Ensure compliance with applicable exposure limits.

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**Personal Protection:** In accordance with OSHA 29 CFR 1910.132, subpart I, wear appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) to minimize exposure to this material.

**Respiratory Protection:** If workplace conditions warrant a respirator, a respiratory protection program that meets OSHA 29CFR 1910.134 must be followed. Refer to NIOSH 42 CFR 84 for applicable certified respirators.

**Eye/Face Protection:** Wear splash resistant safety goggles with a face shield. An eyewash station should be readily available near areas of use.

**Skin and Body Protection:** Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product. Chemical-resistant gloves should be worn at all times when handling chemicals.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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<b>Descriptive Properties</b>						
Appearance	colorless, white powder					
(physical state, color, etc.):	-					
Molecular Formula:	$H_2KPO_4$					
Molar Mass (g/mol):	136.09					
Odor:	odorless					
Odor threshold:	not available					
рН:	4 to 4.5 (5 % solution)					
Evaporation rate:	not applicable					
Melting point/freezing point:	253 °C (487.4 °F)					
<b>Relative Density</b> as specific gravity (water = 1):	2.338					
Vapor Pressure (mmHg):	not applicable					
Vapor Density (air = 1):	not applicable					
Viscosity (cP):	not applicable					
Solubility(ies):	soluble in water (33 % at 25 °C); insoluble in alcohol					
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	not available					
Particle Size	not available					
Thermal Stability Properties						
Autoignition Temperature:	not available					
Thermal Decomposition:	not available					
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	not available					
Explosive Limits, LEL (Volume %):	not available					
Explosive Limits, UEL (Volume %):	not available					
Flash Point (°C):	not available					
Flammability (solid, gas):	not available					
10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY						
Reactivity: Stable at normal temperatures and pressur	e.					
Stability: X Stable Un	stable					
Possible Hazardous Reactions: No data available.						
Conditions to Avoid: Generating dust.						
Incompatible Materials: Metals and bases.						
Fire/Explosion Information: See Section 5, "Fire Fighting Measures".						
Hazardous Decomposition: Thermal decomposition will produce miscellaneous decomposition products.						
Hazardous Polymerization: Will Occur X Will Not Occur						

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11. Toxicologic	CAL IN	FORMATION			
Route of Exposure:	X	Inhalation	X	Skin	Ingestion
Symptoms Related to respiratory system, and		sical, Chemical	and Tox	icological	al Characteristics: May cause irritation of the eyes,
Potential Health Effec	ets (Acu	te, Chronic and	Delayed	l):	
Inhalation: Acute	: irritat	ion; chronic: no	informa	tion availa	able.
Skin Contact: Ac	ute and	chronic: irritatio	n, chron	ic exposur	ure may also cause dermatitis.
Eye Contact: Acu	ite: mile	d irritation; chror	nic: no i	nformation	on available.
<b>Ingestion:</b> Acute: (including bone an			rhea, and	d stomach	h pain; chronic: same as acute and bone disorders
Numerical Measures o	of Toxic	eity:			
Acute Toxicity: N Rat, Oral LD5 Rabbit Skin L	0: 3200	mg/kg			
Skin Corrosion/Ir	ritation	: Not classified;	no data	available.	<del>)</del> .
Serious Eye Dama	age/ Eye	e Irritation: No	t classifi	ed; no data	ta available.
Respiratory Sensi	tization	: Not classified;	no data	available.	<u>.</u>
Skin Sensitization	: Not c	lassified; no data	availabl	le.	
Germ Cell Mutag	enicity:	Not classified;	no data a	vailable.	
Carcinogenicity:	Not clas	ssified.			
	_	en/Potential Car phosphate is not	_		Yes X No ARC or OSHA as a carcinogen/potential carcinogen.
Reproductive Tox	cicity: N	Not classified; no	data ava	ailable.	
Specific Target O	rgan To	oxicity, Single Ex	xposure	: Not class	assified; no data available.
Specific Target O	rgan To	oxicity, Repeated	d Expos	ure: Not o	classified; no data available.
<b>Aspiration Hazar</b>	d: Not	classified; no dat	a availab	ole.	
12. ECOLOGICAL	Infor	MATION			
Ecotoxicity Data: Inv	ertebrate	e: Polychaete wo	rm ( <i>Cap</i>	pitella capi	pitata) LC50 [static]: 2400 ug/L (28 d)
Persistence and Degra	dability	: No data availa	ble.		
Bioaccumulative Poter	ntial: N	lo data available.			
Mobility in Soil: No d	ata avai	lable.			
Other Adverse effects:	: No da	ta available.			
13. DISPOSAL CO	NSIDE	RATIONS			
Waste Disposal: Disp	ose of w	vaste in accordan	ce with a	all applical	able federal, state, and local regulations.
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# 14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

U.S. DOT and IATA: Not regulated by DOT or IATA.

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### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### **U.S. Regulations:**

CERCLA Sections 102a/103 (40 CFR 302.4): Not regulated.

SARA Title III Section 302 (40 CFR 355.30): Not regulated.

SARA Title III Section 304 (40 CFR 355.40): Not regulated.

SARA Title III Section 313 (40 CFR 372.65): Not regulated.

OSHA Process Safety (29 CFR 1910.119): Not regulated.

SARA Title III Sections 311/312 Hazardous Categories (40 CFR 370.21):

ACUTE HEALTH: No. CHRONIC HEALTH: No. FIRE: No. REACTIVE: No. PRESSURE: No.

**State Regulations:** California Proposition 65: Not listed.

U.S. TSCA Inventory: Listed.

TSCA 12(b), Export Notification: Not listed.

Canadian Regulations: WHMIS Information: Not provided for this material.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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**Sources:** ChemAdvisor, Inc., SDS *Potassium Phosphate Monobasic*, 20 March 2015.

CDC; NIOSH; *NIOSH Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards*; Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), National Institute for Safety and Health; *Particulates not otherwise regulated*, 04 April 2011; available at http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/npg/npgd0480.html (accessed Apr 2015).

Hazardous Substances Data Bank (HSDB), National Library of Medicine's TOXNET system, *Monopotassium dihydrogen phosphate CAS No. 7778-77-0*; available at http://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov (accessed Apr 2015).

## **Key of Acronyms:**

ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial	NRC	Nuclear Regulatory Commission
	Hygienists		
ALI	Annual Limit on Intake	NTP	National Toxicology Program
CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service	OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response,	PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit
	Compensation, and Liability Act		
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations	RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
DOT	Department of Transportation	REL	Recommended Exposure Limit
EC50	Effective Concentration, 50 %	RM	Reference Material
EINECS	European Inventory of Existing Commercial	RQ	Reportable Quantity
	Chemical Substances		
EPCRA	Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know	RTECS	Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances
	Act		
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer	SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
IATA	International Air Transportation Agency	SCBA	Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus
IDLH	Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health	SRM	Standard Reference Material
LC50	Lethal Concentration, 50 %	STEL	Short Term Exposure Limit
LD50	Lethal Dose, 50 %	TLV	Threshold Limit Value
LEL	Lower Explosive Limit	TPQ	Threshold Planning Quantity
MSDS	Material Safety Data Sheet	TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
NFPA	National Fire Protection Association	TWA	Time Weighted Average
NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health	UEL	Upper Explosive Limit
NIST	National Institute of Standards and Technology	WHMIS	Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System
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