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# **SECTION 1:** Identification of the substance/mixture and of the supplier

**Product name**: Potassium Thiocyanate, 0.0025M

Manufacturer/Supplier Article number: PT4032SS

Recommended uses of the product and restrictions on use: Laboratory Chemicals

#### **Manufacturer Details:**

AquaPhoenix Scientific, Inc. 860 Gitts Run Road Hanover, PA 17331 1-717-632-1291

# **Emergency telephone number:**

ChemTel: (24-hour)

+1(800)255-3924

+1(813)248-0585 (International)

### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

### Classification of the substance or mixture:

Not classified for physical or health hazards under GHS.

Signal word: None

### **Hazard statements:**

None

### **Precautionary statements:**

If medical advice is needed have product container or label at hand.

Keep out of reach of children.

Read label before use.

Other Non-GHS Classification: None

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

### Ingredients:

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CAS 333-20-0	Potassium Thiocyanate, ACS	<0.02 %		
CAS 7732-18-5	Deionized Water	>99.96 %		
CAS 26628-22-8	Sodium Azide	<0.02 %		
	Pe	ercentages are by weight		

### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

# **Description of first aid measures**

### After inhalation:

Remove to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if necessary. If breathing is difficult give oxygen. Get immediate medical attention. Do not use mouth-to-mouth. Move exposed individual to fresh air. Loosen clothing as

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necessary and position individual in a comfortable position. Seek medical advice if discomfort or irritation persists. If breathing difficult give oxygen.

### After skin contact:

Flush with water for 15 minutes. Get medical assistance if irritation develops. Wash affected area with soap and water. Rinse thoroughly. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse or discard. Seek medical attention if irritation, discomfort, or vomiting persists.

### After eye contact:

Immediately flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes. Immediately get medical assistance. Protect unexposed eye. Remove contact lens(es) if able to do so during rinsing. Seek medical assistance.

### After swallowing:

Do NOT induce vomiting. Dilute with water or milk. Get medical assistance. Rinse mouth thoroughly. Do not induce vomiting. Have exposed individual drink sips of water. Immediately seek medical attention.

# Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

Irritation. Nausea. Headache. Shortness of breath.

### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:

If seeking medical attention. Provide SDS document to physician. Physician should treat symptomatically.

## **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

# **Extinguishing media**

# **Suitable extinguishing agents:**

Use water, dry chemical, chemical foam, carbon dioxide, or alcohol-resistant foam.

#### Unsuitable extinguishing agents:

None identified.

# Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors.

### Advice for firefighters:

### **Protective equipment:**

Wear protective eyeware, gloves, and clothing. Refer to Section 8.

### Additional information (precautions):

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid inhaling gases, fumes, dust, mist, vapor and aerosols.

# **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:

Ensure adequate ventilation. Ensure that air-handling systems are operational.

### **Environmental precautions:**

Should not be released into environment. Prevent from reaching drains, sewer, or waterway.

# Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Sweep up and containerize for disposal. Avoid generating dust. Always obey local regulations. Follow proper disposal methods. Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Refer to Section 13. Place into properly labeled containers for recovery or disposal. If necessary use trained response staff or contractor.

### Reference to other sections: None

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### Precautions for safe handling:

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Wash hands after handling. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Follow good hygiene procedures when handling chemical materials. Refer to Section 8. Wear protective eyeware, gloves, and clothing. Refer to Section 8. Do not eat, drink, smoke, or use personal products when handling chemical substances.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:

Store away from foodstuffs. Store in well sealed containers. Keep away from food and beverages. Store away from incompatible materials. Store in a cool location. Provide ventilation for containers. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition. Keep container tightly closed.

# **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**





**Control parameters:** 333 - 20 - 0, Potassium thiocyanate, TWA 5 mg/m3 USA. OSHA.

26628-22-8, Sodium azide, C 0.100000 ppm USA. NIOSH. 26628-22-8, Sodium azide, C 0.110000 ppm USA. ACGIH.

**Appropriate engineering controls:** Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in

the immediate vicinity of use or handling. Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapor or dusts below the applicable workplace exposure limits (Occupational

Exposure Limits-OELs) indicated above.

**Respiratory protection:** Not required under normal conditions of use.

**Protection of skin:** Select glove material impermeable and resistant to the substance. Select

glove material based on rates of diffusion and degradation. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Use proper glove removal technique without touching outer surface. Avoid skin contact with used gloves. Wear

protective clothing.

**Eye protection:** Safety glasses with side shields or goggles. Wear equipment for eye

protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards

such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

**General hygienic measures:** Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work. Avoid contact with the

eyes and skin. Perform routine housekeeping. Before re-wearing, wash

contaminated clothing.

# **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

Appearance (physical state, color):		Explosion limit lower: Explosion limit upper:	Not determined Not determined
Odor:	Odorless	Vapor pressure at 20°C:	Not determined
Odor threshold:	Not determined	Vapor density:	Not determined
pH-value:	Not determined	Relative density:	Not determined
Melting/Freezing point:	Approximately 0°C	Solubilities:	Soluble in water.
Boiling point/Boiling range:		Partition coefficient (noctanol/water):	Not determined
Flash point (closed cup):		Auto/Self-ignition temperature:	Not determined
Evaporation rate:	INO OPIERMINEO	Decomposition temperature:	Not determined

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Flammability (solid, gaseous):	Not determined	Viccocity:	a. Kinematic: Not determined b. Dynamic: Not determined	
Density at 20°C:	Not determined			

### **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### Reactivity:

Nonreactive under normal conditions.

### **Chemical stability:**

Stable under normal conditions.

#### Possible hazardous reactions:

None identified.

### **Conditions to avoid:**

Incompatible materials.

# **Incompatible materials:**

strong oxidizers, calcium chlorite, perchloryl fluoride, active halogen compounds.

### **Hazardous decomposition products:**

Oxides of nitrogen, sulfur, potassium, and possibly cyanides.

### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### **Acute Toxicity:**

# Dermal:

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - 20 mg/kg 26628 - 22 - 8.

**Chronic Toxicity**: No additional information.

Skin corrosion/irritation: No additional information.

Serious eye damage/irritation: No additional information.

Respiratory or skin sensitization: No additional information.

Carcinogenicity: No additional information.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**: No additional information. **Reproductive Toxicity**: No additional information.

**STOT-single and repeated exposure**: No additional information.

Additional toxicological information:

No additional information.

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### **Ecotoxicity:**

Ecotoxicity, Harmful to aquatic organisms. May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. Do not release into the environment.

333 - 20 - 0, LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - > 100 mg/l - 96.0 h.

333 - 20 - 0, EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 11 mg/l - 48 h.

26628 - 22 - 8, EC50 - Daphnia pulex (Water flea) - 4.2 mg/l - 48 h.

# Persistence and degradability:

Readily biodegradable. Readily degradable in the environment.

### **Bioaccumulative potential:**

according to 29CFR1910/1200 and GHS Rev. 3

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33 - 20 - 0 Bioaccumulation Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 16 Weeks -  $35,000 \mu g/l$ . 33 - 20 - 0 Bioconcentration factor (BCF) : 13.4.

**Mobility in soil**: No additional information.

Other adverse effects: No additional information.

### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

# Waste disposal recommendations:

Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations. Ensure complete and accurate classification. Product/containers must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system or open water. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to properly characterize all waste materials according to applicable regulatory entities (US 40CFR262.11). Consult federal state/ provincial and local regulations regarding the proper disposal of waste material that may incorporate some amount of this product.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

#### **US DOT**

**UN Number:** 

ADR, ADN, DOT, IMDG, IATA Not Regulated

Limited Quantity Exception: None

Bulk: Non Bulk:

RQ (if applicable): None RQ (if applicable): None

Proper shipping Name: Not Regulated. Proper shipping Name: Not Regulated.

Hazard Class: None Hazard Class: None

Packing Group: Not Regulated.

Marine Pollutant (if applicable): No

Marine Pollutant (if applicable): No

additional information. additional information. Comments: None Comments: None

## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

### **United States (USA)**

### SARA Section 311/312 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

None of the ingredients are listed.

# SARA Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

333-20-0 Potassium thiocyanate. 26628-22-8 Sodium azide.

### RCRA (hazardous waste code):

None of the ingredients are listed.

# TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):

333-20-0 Thiocyanic acid, potassium salt (1:1): not listed.

### CERCLA (Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act):

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None of the ingredients are listed.

# Proposition 65 (California):

### Chemicals known to cause cancer:

None of the ingredients are listed.

### Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:

None of the ingredients are listed.

## Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:

None of the ingredients are listed.

### Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:

None of the ingredients are listed.

#### Canada

# Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL):

All ingredients are listed.

### **SECTION 16: Other information**

This product has been classified in accordance with hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the SDS contains all the information required by the Controlled Products Regulations. Note. The responsibility to provide a safe workplace remains with the user. The user should consider the health hazards and safety information contained herein as a guide and should take those precautions required in an individual operation to instruct employees and develop work practice procedures for a safe work environment. The information contained herein is, to the best of our knowledge and belief, accurate. However, since the conditions of handling and use are beyond our control, we make no guarantee of results, and assume no liability for damages incurred by the use of this material. It is the responsibility of the user to comply with all applicable laws and regulations applicable to this material.

**NFPA**: 1-0-0 **HMIS**: 1-0-0

GHS Full Text Phrases: None

# **Abbreviations and Acronyms:**

IMDG International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods.

PNEC. Predicted No-Effect Concentration (REACH).

CFR Code of Federal Regulations (USA)

SARA Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (USA).

RCRA. Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (USA).

TSCA. Toxic Substances Control Act (USA).

NPRI National Pollutant Release Inventory (Canada).

DOT US Department of Transportation.

IATA International Air Transport Association.

GHS Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals.

ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CAS Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society).

NFPA National Fire Protection Association (USA).

HMIS Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA).

WHMIS Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada).

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DNEL Derived No-Effect Level (REACH).