# FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC. Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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# SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

# **Potassium Binoxalate**

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CHEMTREC Emergency Phone Number: (800) 424-9300 Signal Word DANGER

Pictograms

#### **SECTION 2 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Hazard class: Skin corrosion or irritation (Category 1). Causes severe skin burns and eye damage (H314).

Hazard class: Acute toxicity, oral and dermal (Category 4). Harmful if swallowed or in contact with skin (H302 +H312). Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product (P270)..



SECTION 3 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component Name	CAS Number	Formula	Formula Weight	Concentration
Potassium binoxalate	127-95-7	KHC <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub> ·½H <sub>2</sub> O	136.12	
Synonym: Potassium acid oxalate				

#### **SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician (P310).

**If inhaled:** Remove victim to fresh air in a position comfortable for breathing (P304+P340).

**If in eyes:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing (P305+P351+P338). **If on skin:** Immediately remove all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water (P303+P361+P353). Wash contaminated clothing before reuse (P363).

**If swallowed:** Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting (P301+P330+P331).

#### **SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Nonflammable solid.

When heated to decomposition, may emit toxic fumes.

In case of fire: Use a tri-class dry chemical fire extinguisher.

NFPA Code None

established

### **SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Sweep up, place in sealed bag or container and dispose. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

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# **SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Inorganic #2. Store with acetates, halides, sulfates, sulfates, thiosulfates and phosphates. Hygroscopic. Store in a cool, dry place within a Flinn Chem-Saf<sup>TM</sup> bag. Use only in a hood or in a well-ventilated area (P271).

# SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection (P280). Wash thoroughly after handling (P264). Use only in a hood or in a well-ventilated area (P271).

# **SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

White, hygroscopic crystals. Odorless.

Soluble: Water

Specific gravity: 2.044

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#### SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Avoid body tissue contact.

Shelf life: Poor, hygroscopic. See Section 7 for further information.

#### **SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute effects: Toxic ORL-RAT LD<sub>50</sub>: 7500 mg/kg Chronic effects: N.A. IHL-RAT LC<sub>50</sub>: N.A. Target organs: N.A. SKN-RBT LD<sub>50</sub>: N.A.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

#### **SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Data not yet available.

# SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply before proceeding.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #18b is one option.

#### **SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Shipping name: Not regulated. Hazard class: N/A. UN number: N/A.

N/A = Not applicable

# SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION

Not listed.

#### **SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION**

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