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# SAFETY DATA SHEET (SDS)

According to regulation (EU) no.1907/2006

## **POTASSIUM CARBONATE ANHYDROUS 99.5% AR**

PRODUCT CODE : O-5277  
CAS No : 584-08-7  
FORMULA :  $K_2CO_3$   
UN No : Not Applicable

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### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- 1.1 Product Name** : POTASSIUM CARBONATE ANHYDROUS 99.5% AR  
**Synonyms** : Carbonate of potash, dipotassium carbonate, sub-carbonate of potash, pearl ash, potash, salt of tartar, salt of wormwood.  
**CAS No.** : 584-08-7  
**HS Code** : 2836 40 00  
**Chemical Formula** :  $K_2CO_3$   
**Molecular Weight** : 138.21 g/mol  
**Product Code** : 0-5277  
**Brand** : Labotiq
- 1.2 Manufacturer** : Labotiq  
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**Emergency number** : +6281316894650
- 1.3 Application** : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances, General Chemical reagent

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

##### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302

Skin irritation (Category 2), H315

Eye irritation (Category 2), H319

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system, H335

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

#### 2.2 Label elements

Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Pictogram



Signal word

Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H302

H315

H319

H335

Harmful if swallowed.

Causes skin irritation.

Causes serious eye irritation.

May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary statement(s)

P261

P305 + P351 + P338

Avoid breathing dust.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Supplemental Hazard Statements

none

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### 2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms	: Carbonate of potash, dipotassium carbonate, sub-carbonate of potash, pearl ash, potash, salt of tartar, salt of wormwood.
Formula	: $K_2CO_3$
Molecular weight	: 138.21 g/mol
CAS-No.	: 584-08-7
EC-No.	: 209-529-3

### 3.2 Mixture

Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Component	Classification	Concentration
Potassium carbonate CAS-No. 584-08-7 EC-No. 209-529-3	Acute Tox. 4; Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2; STOT SE 3; H302, H315, H319, H335	<=100 %

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

#### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

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**5.1 Extinguishing media****Suitable extinguishing media**

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

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

**5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Carbon oxides, Potassium oxides, Not combustible. Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

**5.3 Advice for firefighters**

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

**5.4 Further information**

Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures****6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert. For personal protection see section 8.

**6.2 Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

**6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

**6.4 Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

**SECTION 7: Handling and storage****7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

For precautions see section 2.2.

**7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Storage conditions  
Tightly closed. Dry.

Storage class  
Storage class (TRGS 510): 13: Non Combustible Solids

**7.3 Specific end use(s)**

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

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**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection****8.1 Control parameters****8.2 Exposure controls****Appropriat engineering controls**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

**Personal protective equipment****Eye/face protection**

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

**Skin protection**

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

**Full contact**

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740, Size M)

**Splash contact**

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740, Size M)

**Body Protection**

protective clothing

**Respiratory protection**

required when dusts are generated. Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

Recommended Filter type: Filter type P2 The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented.

**Control of environmental exposure**

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Form: powder
	Colour: white
Odour	odorless
Odour Threshold	Not applicable
pH	11,0 - 13 at 138 g/l at 25 °C
Melting point/freezingpoint	Melting point/range: 891 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range	(decomposition)
Flash point	Not applicable
Evaporation rate	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	The product is not flammable.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
Vapour pressure	1 mmHg at 795 °C
Vapour density	No data available
Relative density	2,43 g/mL at 25 °C
Water solubility	138 g/l at 20 °C - completely soluble
Partition coefficient: noctanol/water	Not applicable for inorganic substances
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
Decomposition temperature	No data available
Viscosity	No data available
Explosive properties	No data available
Oxidizing properties	No data available

### 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reactions possible with: Generates dangerous gases or fumes in contact with: acids powdered alkaline earth metals halogen-halogen compounds

Risk of explosion with: Halogenated hydrocarbon, Calcium carbon with heat

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Exposure to moisture

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

No data available

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Potassium oxides

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - > 2.000 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 401)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat - male and female - 4,5 h - > 4,96 mg/l (US-EPA)

Inhalation: Irritating to respiratory system.

LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - male and female - > 2.000 mg/kg (US-EPA)

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - Rabbit

Result: Irritations

Remarks: (IUCLID)

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: Eye irritation (Draize Test)

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Buehler Test - Guinea pig

Result: negative (US-EPA)

#### Germ cell mutagenicity

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Salmonella typhimurium

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Result: negative Test Type: Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): chromosome aberration.

Test system: Chinese hamster lung cells

Metabolic activation: without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 473

Result: negative

#### Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

#### Reproductive toxicity

No data available(Potassium carbonate)

#### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation.(Potassium carbonate)

#### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation. - Respiratory system

#### Aspiration hazard

No data available(Potassium carbonate)

#### Additional Information

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male - Oral - 130 Weeks - NOAEL (No observed adverse effect level) - 2.667 mg/kg Remarks: (in analogy to similar products) The value is given in analogy to the following substances: potassium hydrogencarbonate

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RTECS: TS7750000 To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish flow-through test

LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 68 mg/l - 96 h

Remarks: (ECHA)

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

static test EC50 - Daphnia pulex (Water flea) - 200 mg/l - 48 h

Remarks: (ECHA)

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available (Potassium carbonate)

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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### 12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chem scrubber.

#### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: -

IMDG: -

IATA: -

### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods

IMDG: Not dangerous goods

IATA: Not dangerous goods

### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID:-

IMDG: -

IATA: -

### 14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: -

IMDG: -

IATA: -

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**14.5 Environmental hazards**

ADR/RID: no

IMDG Marine pollutant: no

IATA: no

**14.6 Special precautions for user****Further information**

No data available

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

**15.2 Chemical safety assessment**

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

**SECTION 16: Other information****Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.**

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

**National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.):**

Health: 1

Flammability: 0

Reactivity: 0

**Further information**

*The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Labotiq shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.*

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