Identification of the substances/ mixture and of the company/ undertaking

1.1 Product Identifiers
Product Number R012
Product Name Potassium Oxalate, 5% w/v
REACH Registration Number This product is a mixture. Reach registration number is not available for this mixture.

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against
1.2.1 Relevant identified uses Laboratory Chemicals, Analytical Purpose, Biochemical Analysis
For InVitro Diagnostic Use

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet
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1.4 Emergency Tel. No.
Emergency Tel. No. Please contact the regional HiMedia representation in your country

Hazards Identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture
CLP Classification-Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008[EU-GHS/CLP]
Skin corrosion or irritation, (Category 2), H315
Serious eye damage or eye irritation, (Category 2A), H319

2.2 Label elements
Labeling according to Regulation (EC) No.1272/2008

Pictogram
Signal word Warning
Hazard Statement(s)
H315 Causes skin irritation
H319 Causes serious eye irritation
Precautionary Statement(s)
P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: wash with plenty of soap and water.
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P332 IF SKIN irritation occurs:
P337 + P313 IF eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

2.3 Other Hazards
None

3 Composition/Information On Ingredients

3.2 Mixture

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Refer Section 16 for complete statement of H codes & classification.

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 with plenty of soap and water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact
Rinse immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. 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
No data available.

4.3 Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed
No data available

5 Fire Fighting Measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

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

Unsuitable extinguishing media
No data available.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
Nature of decomposition products unknown

5.3 **Precautions for fire-fighters**
Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary

5.4 **Further information**
No data available

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6 **Accidental Release Measures**

6.1 **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Wear respiratory protection. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

6.2 **Environmental precautions**
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

6.3 **Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**
Soak up with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

6.4 **Reference to other sections**
For disposal see Section 13.

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7 **Handling and Storage**

7.1 **Precautions for safe handling**
Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist. Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

7.2 **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

*Recommended Storage Temperature*: On receipt store between 10-30°C

7.3 **Specific end uses**
Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

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8 **Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

8.1 **Control parameters**
Components with workplace control parameters

8.2 **Exposure controls**

*Appropriate engineering controls*
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the products.

*Personal protective equipment*

*Hygiene measure*
Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with the product.

*Eye/face protection*
Tightly fitting safety goggles; Faceshield (8-inch minimum). 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
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.

**Body protection**
Complete suit protecting against chemicals. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

**Respiratory protection**
Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

**Environment exposure controls**
Do not empty into drains.

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### 9 Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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#### 9.2 Other safety information

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### 10 Stability and Reactivity

#### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

No data available

#### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

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10.5 Incompatible materials
No data available

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products
Refer Section 5.2

11 Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity
No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation
No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation
No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitisation
No data available

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.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure
No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
No data available

Potential Health Effects

Inhalation
REFER SECTION II

Skin
REFER SECTION II

Eyes
REFER SECTION II

Ingestion
REFER SECTION II

11.2 Components

Potassium oxalate
Acute oral toxicity
Human LDLO: 1,000 mg/kg
Rat LD50: 660 mg/kg

Acute Inhalation toxicity
No data available

Acute dermal toxicity
No data available

Skin irritation
Slight irritation
Eye irritation
Slight irritation
Sensitisation
No data available
Ames test
No data available
Mutagenicity (mammal cell test)
No data available
Carcinogenicity
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Toxicity to Reproduction
No data available
Teratogenicity
No data available

Additional information:
RTECS: No data available

12  Ecological Information
12.1  Toxicity
Components:
Potassium oxalate
Toxicity
No data available

12.2  Persistence and degradability
No data available

12.3  Bioaccumulative potential

12.4  Mobility in soil
No data available

12.5  PBT and vPvB assessment
This preparation contains no substance considered to be persistent, bioaccumulating or toxic (PBT) or a very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

12.6  Other adverse effects
Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

13  Disposal Considerations
13.1  Waste treatments methods
Product
Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licenced disposal company. Contact a licenced professional waste disposal service to dispose off this material.

13.2  Contaminated packaging
Dispose of as unused product.
### 14 Transport Information

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#### 14.6 Special precautions for use

No data available

### 15 Regulatory Information

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

#### 15.1 Safety health and environment regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

No data available

#### 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

No data available

### 16 Other information

Text of H codes and classification mentioned in section 3

- **H302**: Harmful if swallowed
- **H312**: Harmful in contact with skin

### Further Information

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