

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. Identification

Product identifier

Product Name NICKEL POTASSIUM CYANIDE, CRYSTAL, PURIFIED

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) N1068

UN/ID no UN1588

Synonyms None

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use No information available

Restrictions on use No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Address

Spectrum Chemical Mfg. Corp.
14422 South San Pedro St.
Gardena, CA 90248
(310) 516-8000

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 3
Acute toxicity - Dermal	Category 3
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Gases)	Category 3
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 3
Skin sensitization	Category 1A
Carcinogenicity	Category 1A

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

Label elements

Danger

Hazard statements

Toxic if swallowed

Toxic in contact with skin
Toxic if inhaled
May cause an allergic skin reaction
May cause cancer



Appearance Crystalline

Physical state Solid

Odor No information available

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Obtain special instructions before use
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace

Precautionary Statements - Response

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention
Specific treatment (see .? on this label)
Specific treatment (see .? on this label)
IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap
Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell
Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse
If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention
Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing
Call a POISON CENTER or doctor
IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor
Rinse mouth

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store locked up.
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Other information

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Very toxic to aquatic life. Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Substance

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%	Trade secret
Nickel Potassium Cyanide	14220-17-8	100	*

*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

4. First-aid measures

Description of first aid measures

General advice	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is required. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
Inhalation	If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately. Remove to fresh air. Do not breathe dust. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. If breathing is difficult, (trained personnel should) give oxygen.
Eye contact	Get immediate medical advice/attention. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing.
Skin contact	Get immediate medical advice/attention. Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Ingestion	Do NOT induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get immediate medical advice/attention.
Self-protection of the first aider	Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. Do not breathe dust. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Use personal protective equipment as required. See section 8 for more information.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Itching. Rashes. Hives. Coughing and/ or wheezing. Difficulty in breathing.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians May cause sensitization in susceptible persons. Treat symptomatically.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
Large Fire	CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	Product is or contains a sensitizer. May cause sensitization by skin contact.
Explosion data	
Sensitivity to mechanical impact	none.
Sensitivity to static discharge	none.
Special protective equipment for fire-fighters	Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal

protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Avoid generation of dust. Do not breathe dust.

Other information Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Do not breathe dust. Avoid generation of dust. Handle product only in closed system or provide appropriate exhaust ventilation.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Deliquescent. Protect from moisture. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of children. Store locked up.

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

Exposure Limits The following ingredients are the only ingredients of the product above the cut-off level (or level that contributes to the hazard classification of the mixture) which have an exposure limit applicable in the region for which this safety data sheet is intended or other recommended limit. At this time, the other relevant constituents have no known exposure limits from the sources listed here.

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls Showers
Eyewash stations
Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Hand protection Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.

Skin and body protection Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing. Chemical resistant apron.

Respiratory protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

General hygiene considerations Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area

and clothing is recommended. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Do not breathe dust. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Solid
Appearance	Crystalline
Color	Yellow; to; Orange
Odor	No information available
Odor threshold	No information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	no data available	None known
Melting point / freezing point	no data available	None known
Boiling point / boiling range	no data available	None known
Flash point	no data available	None known
Evaporation rate	no data available	None known
Flammability (solid, gas)	no data available	None known
Flammability Limit in Air		None known
Upper flammability or explosive limits	No data available	
Lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available	
Vapor pressure	No data available	None known
Vapor density	no data available	None known
Relative density	no data available	None known
Water solubility	Soluble in water	None known
Solubility(ies)	no data available	None known
Partition coefficient	No data available	None known
Autoignition temperature	no data available	None known
Decomposition temperature		None known
Kinematic viscosity	no data available	None known
Dynamic viscosity	No data available	None known

Other information

Explosive properties	No information available
Oxidizing properties	No information available
Softening point	No information available
Molecular weight	No information available
VOC Content (%)	No information available
Liquid Density	No information available
Bulk density	No information available

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	No information available.
Chemical stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	None under normal processing.
Conditions to avoid	Excessive heat.
Incompatible materials	None known based on information supplied.
Hazardous decomposition products	None known based on information supplied.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

Inhalation	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Toxic by inhalation. (based on components).
Eye contact	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.
Skin contact	May cause sensitization by skin contact. Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause allergic reactions with susceptible persons. (based on components). Toxic in contact with skin.
Ingestion	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Toxic if swallowed. (based on components).

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Symptoms Itching. Rashes. Hives. Coughing and/ or wheezing. Difficulty in breathing.

Acute toxicity

Numerical measures of toxicity
No information available

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation	No information available.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	No information available.
Respiratory or skin sensitization	May cause sensitization by skin contact.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No information available.
Reproductive toxicity	No information available.
STOT - single exposure	No information available.
STOT - repeated exposure	No information available.
Target organ effects	Skin, lungs, Nasal Cavities.
Aspiration hazard	No information available.
Other adverse effects	No information available.
Interactive effects	No information available.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
Persistence and degradability	No information available.
Bioaccumulation	Inherently biodegradable.
Other adverse effects	No information available.

13. Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

Contaminated packaging

Do not reuse empty containers.

14. Transport information

DOT

UN/ID no UN1588
Proper Shipping Name: Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s.
Hazard class 6.1
Packing group: III
Special Provisions IB8, IP3, N74, N75, T1, TP33
Marine Pollutant Severe Marine Pollutant
Description: UN1588, Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s., 6.1, III
Emergency Response Guide Number 157

TDG

UN-No: UN1588
Proper Shipping Name: Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s.
Hazard class 6.1
Packing Group: III
Description: UN1588, Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s., 6.1, III

MEX

UN-No UN1588
Proper Shipping Name Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s.
Hazard class 6.1
Special Provisions 47, 223, 274
Packing Group III
Description UN1588, Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s., 6.1, III

ICAO (air)

UN-No: UN1588
Proper Shipping Name: Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s.
Hazard class 6.1
Packing Group: III
Special Provisions A3, A13
Description: UN1588, Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s., 6.1, III

IATA

UN number UN1588
Proper Shipping Name: Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s.
Transport hazard class(es) 6.1
Packing group III
Description: UN1588, Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s., 6.1, III

IMDG

UN number UN1588
Proper shipping name Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s.
Transport hazard class(es) 6.1
Packing group III
EmS-No F-A, S-A
Special Provisions 47, 223, 274
Marine pollutant NP1
Description UN1588, Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s., 6.1, III

RID

UN number UN1588
Proper Shipping Name: Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s.
Transport hazard class(es) 6.1
Packing group III
Classification code T5
Special Provisions 47, 274

Description: UN1588, Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s., 6.1, III
Labels 6.1

ADR

UN number 1588
Proper Shipping Name: Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s.
Transport hazard class(es) 6.1
Packing group III
Classification code T5
Tunnel restriction code (E)
Special Provisions 47, 274
Description: 1588, Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s., 6.1, III, (E)
Labels 6.1

ADN

UN/ID No UN1588
Proper shipping name Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s.
Transport hazard class(es) 6.1
Packing Group III
Classification code T5
Special Provisions 47, 274, 802
Description UN1588, Cyanides, inorganic, solid, n.o.s., 6.1, III
Hazard label(s) 6.1
Limited quantity (LQ) 5 kg
Equipment Requirements PP, EP

15. Regulatory information

International Inventories

TSCA Complies

DSL/NDSL Complies
EINECS/ELINCS Complies
ENCS This product complies with ENCS:
IECSC This product complies with China:
KECL Complies
PICCS Complies
AICS All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS).

Legend:

- TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
- DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
- EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances
- ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
- IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
- KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances
- PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

US Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

Chemical name	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Nickel Potassium Cyanide - 14220-17-8	0.1 1.0

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals:

Chemical name	California Proposition 65
Nickel Potassium Cyanide - 14220-17-8	developmental toxicity male reproductive toxicity carcinogen

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

This product does not contain any substances regulated under applicable state right-to-know regulations

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

16. Other information

NFPA

Health hazards 4

Flammability 0

Instability 0

Physical and chemical properties -

HMIS

Health hazards 4 *

Flammability 0

Physical hazards 0

Personal protection X

Chronic Hazard Star Legend

* = Chronic Health Hazard

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average)

STEL

STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value

Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGl(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)
National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)
National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)
National Toxicology Program (NTP)
New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)
Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications
Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program
Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set
World Health Organization

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