

# WTW Safety Data Sheet According to EC Directives 91/155/EEC

# 1. Identification of the substance/preparation and of the company/undertaking

Product name:

Solution for Sample Preparation 4 mol/l KCl

*Ord. No.:* 140 120 *Model:* ISA/Ca

Manufacturer:

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## 2. Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization: Aqueous saline solution

Ingredients: Potassium chloride

Hazard symbols: No hazardous product

R-phrases:

 Content:
 about 20 %

 CAS-No.:
 7447-40-7

 EINECS-No.:
 231-211-8

#### 3. Hazards identification

No hazardous product.

## 4. First aid measures

After inhalation: Fresh air.

After skin contact: Wash off with plenty of water.
Remove contaminated clothing

After eye contact: Rinse out with plenty of waterwith the

evelid held wide open.

After ingestion: Make victim drink plenty of water. Induce vomiting.

Immediately contact doctor if feeling unwell.

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5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media: To suit environment.

*Unsuitable extinguishing media:* No information available.

Special risks: Development of hazardous vapours possible in the event

of fire. The follwing may develop: Hydrogen chloride.

Do not stay in the dangerous zone without chemical protection

clothing and selfcontained breathing apparatus.

Other information: Non combustible

6. Accidental release measures

Personal-related precautionary measures: Avoid generation of dusts.

Do not inhale dusts.

Environmental-protection measures: Do not allow to enter sewerage system.

Procedures for cleaning/absorption: Take up with liquid-absorbent material.

Forward for disposal.

Clean up affected area with water.

7. Handling and storage

Handling: No further requirements

Storage: Tightly closed.

8. Exposure control/personal protection

Specific control parameters: None

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection: Required when dusts are generated.

Eye protection: Protective glasses

Hand protection: Gloves

Industrial hygiene: Wash hands and face after working with substance.

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## 9. Physical and chemical properties

Form: Liquid Colour: Colourless Odour: Odourless

pH-value °C Melting temperature: °C

Boiling temperature: about 100°C

Ignition temperature: °C
Flash point: °C
Explosion limite lower: /

upper:

Density: 1,18 g/cm<sup>3</sup>
Solubility in water: miscible

Thermal decomposition: /

# 10. Stability and reactivity

Conditions to be avoided: None

Substances to be avoided: None

Hazardous decomposition products: None

Further information: None

## 11. Toxicological information

Acute toxicity: LD 50 (rat, oral): 2600 mg/kg for potassium chloride.

Further toxicological information: After ingestion of large amounts:

Cardiac dysrhythmia, cardiovascular failure.

## 12. Ecological information

Ecotoxic effects: No ecological problems are to be expected when the

product is handled and used with due care and

attention.

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## 13. Disposal considerations

Products: There are no uniform regulations for the disposal of chemicals

or residues. The disposal is regulated through corresponding

regional laws and regulations. We recommend that you contact either the authorities in charge or approved waste disposal companies which

will advise you on how to dispose the special waste.

Packaging: Handle contaminated packaging in the same way as the

substance itself. If not officially specified differently, noncontaminated packaging may be treated like household waste or recycled.

## 14. Transport information

Not subject to transport regulations.

#### 15. Regulatory information

Labelling according to EC directives

Symbol: No harzardous product

R-phrases: / S-phrases: /

German regulations

Water pollution class; WGK: 1 Slightly polluting substance

Regulation on combustible liquids; VbF: Non combustible

Other regulations: None

## 16. Other information

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The information contained herein is based on the present state of our knowledge. It characterizes the product with regard to the appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent a guarantee of the properties of the product.

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