

# SAFETY DATA SHEET Wet Chemical Dry Charge (Fire Extinguishing Agent)

#### 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Name Wet Chemical Dry Charge (Fire Extinguishing Agent)

Other Names AC-100, AC-250, Potassium Acetate, Class K

Recommended use of the chemical and

restrictions on use

Identified uses Fire Extinguishing Agent

**Restrictions on use**Consult applicable fire protection codes

Company Identification Badger Fire Protection

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**Customer Information Number Emergency Telephone Number** 

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Safety Data Sheet prepared in accordance with OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)and the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)

#### 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

## **Hazard Classification**

This product is classified as not hazardous in accordance with the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling (GHS).

#### **Label Elements**

Hazard Symbols

None

Signal Word: None

## **Hazard Statements**

None

## **Precautionary Statements**

**Prevention** 

None

Response

None

**Storage** 

None

**Disposal** 

None

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#### 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

#### Other Hazards

None

## **Specific Concentration Limits**

The values listed below represent the percentages of ingredients of unknown toxicity.

Acute oral toxicity 0%
Acute dermal toxicity 0%
Acute inhalation toxicity 0%
Acute aquatic toxicity 0%

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

This product is a substance.

Component CAS Number Concentration

Potassium Acetate 127-08-2 ~100%

## 4. FIRST- AID MEASURES

## Description of necessary first-aid measures

#### **Eyes**

Immediately flood the eye with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, holding the eye open. Obtain medical attention if soreness or redness persists.

#### Skin

Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. Obtain medical attention if irritation persists.

## Ingestion

Dilute by drinking large quantities of water and obtain medical attention.

#### Inhalation

Move victim to fresh air. Obtain medical attention immediately for any breathing difficulty.

## Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Aside from the information found under Description of necessary first aid measures (above) and Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, no additional symptoms and effects are anticipated.

## Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

## **Notes to Physicians**

Treat symptomatically.

## 5. FIRE - FIGHTING MEASURES

## Suitable Extinguishing Media

This preparation is used as an extinguishing agent and therefore is not a problem when trying to control a fire. Use extinguishing agent appropriate to other materials involved.

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#### 5. FIRE - FIGHTING MEASURES

## Specific hazards arising from the chemical

None known

## **Special Protective Actions for Fire-Fighters**

Wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus as appropriate for specific fire conditions.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear appropriate protective clothing. Prevent skin and eye contact.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

Prevent large quantities of the material from entering drains or watercourses.

#### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up or vacuum and transfer into suitable containers for recovery or disposal.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

## Precautions for safe handling

Wear appropriate protective clothing. Prevent skin and eye contact.

## Conditions for safe storage

Store containers away from high heat sources. Storage area should be: - cool - dry - well ventilated - under cover - out of direct sunlight

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **Control parameters**

Exposure limits are listed below, if they exist.

#### **Potassium Acetate**

None

**Nuisance Dust Limit** 

**OSHA PEL:** 50 mppcf or 15 mg/m<sup>3</sup> TWA, total dust

15 mppcf or 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> TWA, respirable fraction

## Appropriate engineering controls

Use with adequate ventilation. There should be local procedures for the selection, training, inspection and maintenance of this equipment. When used in large volumes, use local exhaust ventilation.

## Individual protection measures

## **Respiratory Protection**

Not normally required. Use dust mask where dustiness is prevalent, or TLV is exceeded. In oxygen deficient atmospheres, use a self contained breathing apparatus, as an air purifying respirator will not provide protection.

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#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Skin Protection** 

Gloves

**Eye/Face Protection** 

Chemical goggles or safety glasses with side shields.

**Body Protection** 

Normal work wear.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

## **Appearance**

Physical State Solid (powder)

Color White

Odor Odorless
Odor Threshold Not applicable
pH Not applicable

Specific Gravity 1.57

Boiling Range/Point (°C/F) No data available

Melting Point (°C/F) 292/558

Flash Point (PMCC) (°C/F)
Vapor Pressure
Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1)
Solubility in Water
Vapor Density (Air = 1)

Not applicable
200g/100g water
Not applicable

VOC (g/l) None VOC (%) None

Partition coefficient (n- No data available

octanol/water)

Viscosity

Auto-ignition Temperature

Decomposition Temperature
Upper explosive limit
Lower explosive limit
Flammability (solid, gas)

No data available
Not applicable
Not applicable
Not applicable
Not flammable

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

## Reactivity

No data available.

#### Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions.

## Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

#### **Conditions to Avoid**

Exposure to direct sunlight - contact with incompatible materials

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## **Incompatible Materials**

Strong oxidizing agents

## **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Oxides of carbon - potassium

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## **Acute Toxicity**

Potassium Acetate
Oral LD50 (Rat) 3250 mg/kg
Dermal LD50 (Rabbit) >20,000 mg/kg (analogous compound)
Inhalation LC50(rat) >5.6 mg/l (analogous compound)

## Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - single exposure

Potassium Acetate: No data available

## Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - repeat exposure

Potassium Acetate: No data available

## Serious Eye damage/Irritation

Potassium Acetate: Not irritating (rabbit)

#### Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Potassium Acetate Not irritating (rabbit)

## **Respiratory or Skin Sensitization**

<u>Potassium Acetate:</u> Available data indicates this component is not expected to cause skin sensitization. No data available for respiratory sensitization.

## Carcinogenicity

Not considered carcinogenic by NTP, IARC, and OSHA.

## **Germ Cell Mutagenicity**

Potassium Acetate: Available data indicates this component is not expected to be mutagenic.

## **Reproductive Toxicity**

<u>Potassium Acetate:</u> Available data indicates this component is not expected to cause reproductive toxicity or birth defects.

## **Aspiration Hazard**

Not an aspiration hazard.

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#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## **Ecotoxicity**

Potassium Acetate:

LC50 Zebrafish 1497 mg/l 96h

EC50 Daphnia magna 420 mg/l 48h

EC50 Mann diatom 500 mg/l 72hr

## Mobility in soil

No relevant studies identified.

## Persistence/Degradability

No relevant studies identified.

## **Bioaccumulative Potential**

No relevant studies identified.

#### Other adverse effects

No relevant studies identified.

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

## **Disposal Methods**

Dispose of container in accordance with all applicable local and national regulations.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Safety Data Sheet information is intended to address a specific material and not various forms or states of containment. Specific volumes, pressures or hardware configurations containing such materials can dictate various different hazard classifications for transportation and labelling requirements. Under Federal Regulations only trained and qualified individuals are permitted to label and ship products following the applicable Department of Transportation (DOT), Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), Transport Canada (TC), International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG) or International Air Transport Association (IATA) requirements.

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

## **United States TSCA Inventory**

This product contains ingredients that are listed on or exempt from listing on the EPA Toxic Substance Control Act Chemical Substance Inventory.

## Canada DSL Inventory

All ingredients in this product are listed on the Domestic Substance List (DSL) or the Non-Domestic Substance List (NDSL) or are exempt from listing.

## SARA Title III Sect. 311/312 Categorization

None

## SARA Title III Sect. 313

This product does not contain any chemicals that are listed in Section 313 at or above de minimis concentrations.

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#### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

**NFPA Ratings** 

NFPA Code for Health - 1 NFPA Code for Flammability - 0 NFPA Code for Reactivity - 0

NFPA Code for Special Hazards - None

**HMIS Ratings** 

HMIS Code for Health - 1
HMIS Code for Flammability - 0
HMIS Code for Physical Hazard - 0
HMIS Code for Personal Protection - See Section 8
\*Chronic

Legend

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CAS#: Chemical Abstracts Service Number

EC50: Effect Concentration 50%

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

LC50: Lethal Concentration 50%

LD50: Lethal Dose 50%

N/A: Denotes no applicable information found or available OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

TSCA: Toxic Substance Control Act

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Changes made: Updated to GHS Classification.

## Information Source and References

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