



A Pfizer Company

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### Product Identifier

**Material Name:** Potassium Chloride Injection (Hospira, Inc.)

**Trade Name:** Sterile Potassium Chloride

**Chemical Family:** Mixture

### Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance or Mixture and Uses Advised Against

**Intended Use:** Pharmaceutical product used as electrolyte replacement

### Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification of the Substance or Mixture

**GHS - Classification** Not classified as hazardous

### US OSHA Specific - Classification

**Physical Hazard:** Combustible Dust

### Label Elements

**Signal Word:** Warning

**Hazard Statements:** May form combustible dust concentrations in air

### Other Hazards

An Occupational Exposure Value has been established for one or more of the ingredients (see Section 8).

### Note:

This document has been prepared in accordance with standards for workplace safety, which requires the inclusion of all known hazards of the product or its ingredients regardless of the potential risk. The precautionary statements and warning included may not apply in all cases. Your needs may vary depending upon the potential for exposure in your workplace.

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### 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

| Ingredient          | CAS Number | EU EINECS/ELINCS List | GHS Classification | %      |
|---------------------|------------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------|
| POTASSIUM CHLORIDE  | 7447-40-7  | 231-211-8             | Not Listed         | 7.5-25 |
| Water for injection | 7732-18-5  | 231-791-2             | Not Listed         | *      |

**Additional Information:** \* Proprietary  
Ingredient(s) indicated as hazardous have been assessed under standards for workplace safety.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### Description of First Aid Measures

**Eye Contact:** If irritation occurs or persists, get medical attention. Flush eyes with water as a precaution

**Skin Contact:** Due to the nature of this material first aid is not normally required.

**Ingestion:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed by medical personnel. Seek medical attention immediately.

**Inhalation:** Not an expected route of exposure.

#### Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Both Acute and Delayed

**Symptoms and Effects of Exposure:** No data available

**Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure:** None known

#### Indication of the Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

**Notes to Physician:** None

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Extinguishing Media:** As for primary cause of fire.

#### Special Hazards Arising from the Substance or Mixture

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** Not applicable

**Fire / Explosion Hazards:** Not applicable

#### Advice for Fire-Fighters

Not applicable

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Personnel involved in clean-up should wear appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Minimize exposure.

#### Environmental Precautions

Place waste in an appropriately labeled, sealed container for disposal. Care should be taken to avoid environmental release.

#### Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

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| <b>Measures for Cleaning / Collecting:</b>        | Contain the source of spill if it is safe to do so. Collect spill with absorbent material. Clean spill area thoroughly.  |
| <b>Additional Consideration for Large Spills:</b> | Non-essential personnel should be evacuated from affected area. Report emergency situations immediately. Clean up operations should only be undertaken by trained personnel. |

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for Safe Handling

No special handling requirements for normal use of this material.

#### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions:** Store as directed by product packaging.

**Incompatible Materials:** None

**Specific end use(s):** Pharmaceutical product used as

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Control Parameters

Refer to available public information for specific member state Occupational Exposure Limits.

#### POTASSIUM CHLORIDE

Bulgaria OEL - TWA 5.0 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Latvia OEL - TWA 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Lithuania OEL - TWA 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

The purpose of the Occupational Exposure Band (OEB) classification system is to separate substances into different Hazard categories when the available data are sufficient to do so, but inadequate to establish an Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL). The OEB given is based upon an analysis of all currently available data; as such, this value may be subject to revision when new information becomes available.

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**Pfizer Occupational Exposure Band (OEB):** OEB 1 (control exposure to the range of 1000ug/m<sup>3</sup> to 3000ug/m<sup>3</sup>)

#### Exposure Controls

**Engineering Controls:** Engineering controls should be used as the primary means to control exposures. General room ventilation is adequate unless the process generates dust, mist or fumes. Keep airborne contamination levels below the exposure limits listed above in this section.

**Personal Protective Equipment:** Refer to applicable national standards and regulations in the selection and use of personal protective equipment (PPE).

**Hands:** Impervious gloves (e.g. Nitrile, etc.) are recommended if skin contact with drug product is possible and for bulk processing operations. (Protective gloves must meet the standards in accordance with EN374, ASTM F1001 or international equivalent.)

**Eyes:** Wear safety glasses or goggles if eye contact is possible. (Eye protection must meet the standards in accordance with EN166, ANSI Z87.1 or international equivalent.)

**Skin:** Impervious protective clothing is recommended if skin contact with drug product is possible and for bulk processing operations. (Protective clothing must meet the standards in accordance with EN13982, ANSI 103 or international equivalent.)

**Respiratory protection:** Under normal conditions of use, if the applicable Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL) is exceeded, wear an appropriate respirator with a protection factor sufficient to control exposures to below the OEL (e.g. particulate respirator with a half mask, P3 filter). (Respirators must meet the standards in accordance with EN140, EN143, ASTM F2704-10 or international equivalent.)

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### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

|                           |                    |                          |                    |
|---------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Physical State:</b>    | Liquid             | <b>Color:</b>            | Colorless          |
| <b>Odor:</b>              | No data available. | <b>Odor Threshold:</b>   | No data available. |
| <b>Molecular Formula:</b> | Mixture            | <b>Molecular Weight:</b> | Mixture            |

|                                     |                    |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Solvent Solubility:</b>          | No data available  |
| <b>Water Solubility:</b>            | No data available  |
| <b>pH:</b>                          | No data available. |
| <b>Melting/Freezing Point (°C):</b> | No data available  |
| <b>Boiling Point (°C):</b>          | No data available. |

**Partition Coefficient: (Method, pH, Endpoint, Value)**

**Water for injection**

No data available

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No data available

**Decomposition Temperature (°C):** No data available.

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| <b>Evaporation Rate (Gram/s):</b> | No data available |
| <b>Vapor Pressure (kPa):</b>      | No data available |
| <b>Vapor Density (g/ml):</b>      | No data available |
| <b>Relative Density:</b>          | No data available |
| <b>Viscosity:</b>                 | No data available |

**Flammability:**

|   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| <b>Autoignition Temperature (Solid) (°C):</b>       | No data available |
| <b>Flammability (Solids):</b>                       | No data available |
| <b>Flash Point (Liquid) (°C):</b>                   | No data available |
| <b>Upper Explosive Limits (Liquid) (% by Vol.):</b> | No data available |
| <b>Lower Explosive Limits (Liquid) (% by Vol.):</b> | No data available |

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

|   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| <b>Reactivity:</b>                        | No data available |
| <b>Chemical Stability:</b>                | Stable            |
| <b>Possibility of Hazardous Reactions</b> |                   |
| <b>Oxidizing Properties:</b>              | No data available |
| <b>Conditions to Avoid:</b>               | None              |
| <b>Incompatible Materials:</b>            | None              |
| <b>Hazardous Decomposition Products:</b>  | No data available |

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Information on Toxicological Effects**

**General Information:** The information included in this section describes the potential hazards of the individual ingredients.

**Short Term:** Mild eye irritant in experimental animals

**Acute Toxicity: (Species, Route, End Point, Dose)**

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Rat Oral LD50 2600 mg/kg

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#### Irritation / Sensitization: (Study Type, Species, Severity)

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Eye Irritation Rabbit Mild

#### Carcinogen Status:

None of the components of this formulation are listed as a carcinogen by IARC, NTP or OSHA.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Environmental Overview:

No harmful effects to aquatic organisms are expected. Releases to the environment should be avoided.

#### Toxicity:

##### Aquatic Toxicity: (Species, Method, End Point, Duration, Result)

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*Gambusia affinis* (Mosquitofish) LC50 96 Hours 920 mg/L  
*Lepomis macrochirus* (Bluegill Sunfish) LC50 96 Hours 2010 mg/L  
*Daphnia Magna* (Water Flea) EC50 48 Hours 825 mg/L  
*Scenedesmus subspicatus* (Green Alga) EC50 72 Hours 2500 mg/L

#### Persistence and Degradability:

No data available

#### Bio-accumulative Potential:

No data available

#### Mobility in Soil:

No data available

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### Waste Treatment Methods:

Dispose of waste in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. Member State specific and Community specific provisions must be considered. Considering the relevant known environmental and human health hazards of the material, review and implement appropriate technical and procedural waste water and waste disposal measures to prevent occupational exposure and environmental release. It is recommended that waste minimization be practiced. The best available technology should be utilized to prevent environmental releases. This may include destructive techniques for waste and wastewater.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The following refers to all modes of transportation unless specified below.

Not regulated for transport under USDOT, EUADR, IATA, or IMDG regulations.

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### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations/Legislation Specific for the Substance or Mixture

#### POTASSIUM CHLORIDE

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting                            | Not Listed |
| California Proposition 65                                     | Not Listed |
| Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b)                   | Present    |
| Australia (AICS):   | Present    |
| Standard for the Uniform Scheduling<br>for Drugs and Poisons: | Schedule 4 |
| EU EINECS/ELINCS List   | 231-211-8  |

#### Water for injection

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting                                 | Not Listed |
| California Proposition 65  | Not Listed |
| Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b)                        | Present    |
| Australia (AICS):  | Present    |
| REACH - Annex IV - Exemptions from the<br>obligations of Register: | Present    |
| EU EINECS/ELINCS List  | 231-791-2  |

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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| <b>Data Sources:</b>         | Publicly available toxicity information.                 |
| <b>Reasons for Revision:</b> | New data sheet.  |
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**End of Safety Data Sheet**