Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification

Cat#: 24200C
Part Name: 0.55% POTASSIUM METABISULFITE
Supplier: Polysciences, Inc.
400 Valley Road
Warrington, PA 18976 USA
MSDS Telephone #215-343-6484 Emergency only #215-378-4526

Section 2: Hazards Identification

Hazard Overview
Causes eye irritation.
GHS Classification
Eye Irritation Category 2A

Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

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<th>EINECS</th>
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Section 4: First Aid Measures

Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

Flash point, deg F.: none
Method:
UEL: no data    LEL: no data     Autoignition temperature, deg. F.: no data
Flammability Classification: no data     Flame Propagation Rate: no data
Hazardous Combustion Products: sulfur compounds

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Any information listed below is to be considered in addition to internal guidelines for isolation of spill, containment of spill, removal of ignition sources from immediate area, and collection for disposal of spill by trained, properly protected clean up personnel.

No special measures are indicated.

Section 7: Handling and Storage

Store at room temp

Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

OSHA (ACGIH) Exposure Limits

TWA       STEL       CEILING
The use of eye protection in the form of safety glasses with side shields and the use of skin protection for hands in the form of gloves are considered minimum and non-discretionary in work places and laboratories. Any recommended personal protection equipment or environmental equipment is to be considered as additional to safety glasses and gloves.

Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls.

Chemical-resistant gloves should be worn whenever this material is handled. The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product. Gloves should be removed and replaced immediately if there is any indication of degradation or chemical breakthrough. Rinse and remove gloves immediately after use. Wash hands with soap and water. All glove recommendations presume that the risk of exposure is through splash and not intentional immersion of the hands into the product. Since glove permeation data does not exist for this material, no recommendation for the glove material can be given for the product. Permeation data must be obtained from the glove manufacturer to determine if the glove is suitable for the task.

**Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

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<th>CAS#</th>
<th>Formula</th>
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**Section 10: Stability and Reactivity**

Chemical Stability: stable
Conditions to Avoid: none
Incompatibility with other materials: no data
Hazardous Decomposition Products: no data
Hazardous Polymerization: will not occur

**Section 11: Toxicological Information**

Acute Data: no data
Subchronic data: no data

**Section 12: Ecological Information**

no data

**Section 13: Disposal Considerations**

The following chart lists the status of the chemical and its components in reference to 40 CFR Part 261.33. If the product is listed by code number the substance may be subject to special federal and state disposal regulations. If no codes are listed the material must be disposed in compliance with all Federal, State and Local Regulations.

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**Section 14: Transportation Data**

Proper Shipping Name: NOT REGULATED
Chemical Name
UN
Class
PG

**Section 15: Regulatory Information**

All components of this product are on the TSCA public inventory.

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Prop 65 - Column A identifies those items which are known to the State of California to cause cancer. Column B identified items which are known to the State of California to cause reproductive toxicity.

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State Regulatory Information: If a CAS# is listed below this material is subject to the listed state right-to-know requirements.

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SARA Toxic Release Chemicals (as defined in Section 313 of SARA Title III)
This list identifies the toxic chemicals, including their de minimis concentrations for which reporting is required under Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA). The list is also referred to as the Toxics Release Inventory (TRI) List.

CAS#          | Regulated name | de minimis conc. % | Rep. Thres. |
--------------|----------------|--------------------|-------------|
| 0007732185   | not listed     | not listed         | not listed  |
| 0016731558   | not listed     | not listed         | not listed  |

SARA Extremely Hazardous Substances and TPQs
This list includes hazardous chemicals as defined in 29 CFR 1910.1200(c); and extremely hazardous substances regulated under Section 302 of SARA Title III with their TPQs (in pounds), as listed in 40 CFR 355, Appendices A and B.

CAS#          | Regulated name | TPQ (pounds) | EHS-RQ(pounds) |
--------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|
| 0007732185   | not listed     | not listed  | not listed     |
| 0016731558   | not listed     | not listed  | not listed     |

CERCLA
The hazardous substances, and their reportable quantities (RQs) are listed in the federal regulations at 40 CFR Part 302, Table 302.4. Release of a CERCLA hazardous substance in an amount equal to or greater than its RQ, in any 24-hour period, must be reported to the National Response Center at (800) 424-8802.

CAS#          | Regulated name | RQ (pounds) |
--------------|----------------|-------------|
| 0007732185   | Not listed     | Not listed  |
| 0016731558   | Not listed     | Not listed  |

Section 16: Other Information
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