

Antimony Potassium Tartrate Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Antimony Potassium Tartrate

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Signal Word
DANGER

SECTION 2 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard class: Acute toxicity, oral (Category 3). Toxic if swallowed (H301). Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product (P270).

Pictograms



Hazard class: Acute toxicity, inhalation (Category 4). Harmful if inhaled (H332). Avoid breathing dust or fumes (P261).

SECTION 3 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component Name	CAS Number	Formula	Formula Weight	Concentration
Antimony potassium tartrate	28300-74-5	C ₈ H ₄ K ₂ O ₁₂ Sb ₂ •3H ₂ O	667.86	
Synonyms: Potassium antimonyl tartrate				

SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES

Call a POISON CENTER or physician if you feel unwell.

If inhaled: If breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air. Keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing (P304+P341).

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing.

If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.

If swallowed: Rinse mouth (P330) Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician (P312).

SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Nonflammable, noncombustible solid.

When heated to decomposition, may emit toxic fumes.

In case of fire: Use a tri-class dry chemical fire extinguisher.

NFPA Code
None established

SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Do not allow solid to become airborne. Wipe up dust with a damp paper towel to avoid generating dust. Place in a sealed bag or container and dispose. Wash spill site after material pickup is complete. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Inorganic #2. Store with acetates, halides, sulfates, sulfites, thiosulfates and phosphates.

Store in a cool, dry place. Keep container tightly closed.

Use and dispense powder in a hood. Use only in a well-ventilated area (P271).

SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

Exposure guidelines: PEL/TLV 0.5 mg/m³ IDLH 50 mg/m³

SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

White crystals or powder. Odorless.

Specific gravity: 2.6

Soluble: Water and glycerol. Insoluble in alcohol.

SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

The poison gas stibine is formed by the action of acidic reducing agents on antimony compounds.

Shelf life: Indefinite, if stored properly.

SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute effects: Poison by ingestion, severe irritant, lack of coordination, unconsciousness, and possibly death.

ORL-RAT LD₅₀: 115 mg/kg

IHL-RAT LC₅₀: N.A.

Chronic effects: Anorexia, liver, kidney, lung, respiratory, gastrointestinal, central nervous system damage.

SKN-RFT LD₅₀: N.A.

Target organs: liver, kidneys, heart.

SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxic to aquatic organisms.

SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply before proceeding.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #27d is one option.

SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Shipping name: Antimony Potassium Tartrate. Hazard class: 6.1, Keep away from food. UN number: UN1551.

SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION

TSCA-listed, EINECS-listed.

SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION

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N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

N/A = Not applicable

Consult your copy of the Flinn Science Catalog/Reference Manual for additional information about laboratory chemicals.

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