

**Safety Data Sheet**  
acc. to OSHA HCS

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**1 Identification**

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Chromium+6 10000 µg/mL in H2O
- **Article number:** 10M12-7
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
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 highpuritystandards.com  
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- **Information department:** Product safety department
- **Emergency telephone number:**  
 INFOTRAC  
 Emergency telephone numbers 1-800-535-5053  
 Other emergency telephone numbers 1-352-323-3500

**2 Hazard(s) identification**

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS06 Skull and crossbones

Acute Toxicity - Inhalation 3

H331 Toxic if inhaled.



GHS08 Health hazard

Sensitization - Respiratory 1

H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity 1B

H340 May cause genetic defects.

Carcinogenicity 1B

H350 May cause cancer.

Toxic to Reproduction 1B

H360 May damage fertility or the unborn child.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure 1

H372 Causes damage to the respiratory system through prolonged or repeated exposure.



GHS07

Skin Irritation 2

H315 Causes skin irritation.

Eye Irritation 2A

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Sensitization - Skin 1

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

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**· Label elements****· GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).**· Hazard pictograms**

GHS06 GHS08

**· Signal word** *Danger***· Hazard-determining components of labeling:***potassium dichromate***· Hazard statements***H331 Toxic if inhaled.**H315 Causes skin irritation.**H319 Causes serious eye irritation.**H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.**H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.**H340 May cause genetic defects.**H350 May cause cancer.**H360 May damage fertility or the unborn child.**H372 Causes damage to the respiratory system through prolonged or repeated exposure.***· Precautionary statements***Obtain special instructions before use.**Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.**Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.**Wash thoroughly after handling.**Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.**Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.**Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace.**Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.**[In case of inadequate ventilation] wear respiratory protection.**If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.**IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.**If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.**Continue rinsing.**IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.**Specific treatment (see on this label).**Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.**Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.**If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.**If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.**If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a poison center/doctor.**Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.**Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.**Store locked up.*

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Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

- **Classification system:**
- **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



- **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

**3 Composition/information on ingredients**

- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**
- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

· **Dangerous components:**

7778-50-9	potassium dichromate	1.0%
· <b>Chemical identification of the substance/preparation</b>		
7732-18-5	water, distilled, conductivity or of similar purity	99.0%

**4 First-aid measures**

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:**  
Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.  
Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.  
Remove breathing apparatus only after contaminated clothing have been completely removed.  
In case of irregular breathing or respiratory arrest provide artificial respiration.
- **After inhalation:**  
Supply fresh air or oxygen; call for doctor.  
In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.
- **After skin contact:** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact:**  
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.

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- **Information for doctor:**
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**  
No further relevant information available.

**5 Fire-fighting measures**

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**  
During heating or in case of fire poisonous gases are produced.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Mouth respiratory protective device.

**6 Accidental release measures**

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures** Mount respiratory protective device.
- **Environmental precautions:**  
Dilute with plenty of water.  
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).  
Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.  
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **Reference to other sections**  
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.  
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.  
See Section 13 for disposal information.
- **Protective Action Criteria for Chemicals**

· **PAC-1:**

7778-50-9	potassium dichromate	0.42 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
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· **PAC-2:**

7778-50-9	potassium dichromate	7.4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
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· **PAC-3:**

7778-50-9	potassium dichromate	44 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
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**7 Handling and storage**

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling**  
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.  
Open and handle receptacle with care.  
Prevent formation of aerosols.

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- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** Keep respiratory protective device available.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

**8 Exposure controls/personal protection**

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Control parameters**

· **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

**7778-50-9 potassium dichromate**

PEL	Long-term value: 0.005* mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling limit value: 0.1** mg/m <sup>3</sup> *as Cr(VI) **as CrO <sub>3</sub> ; see 29 CFR 1910.1026
REL	Long-term value: 0.0002 mg/m <sup>3</sup> as Cr; See Pocket Guide Apps. A and C
TLV	Short-term value: 0.0005 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Long-term value: 0.0002 mg/m <sup>3</sup> as Cr(VI); inhalable, Skin; BEI, DSEN, RSEN

· **Ingredients with biological limit values:**

**7778-50-9 potassium dichromate**

BEI	25 µg/L Medium: urine Time: end of shift at end of workweek Parameter: Total chromium (fume)
	10 µg/L Medium: urine Time: increase during shift Parameter: Total chromium (fume)

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**  
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.  
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.  
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.  
Store protective clothing separately.  
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

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· **Breathing equipment:**

*In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.*

· **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

*The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.*

*Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.*

*Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation*

· **Material of gloves**

*The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.*

· **Penetration time of glove material**

*The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.*

· **Eye protection:**



Tightly sealed goggles

**9 Physical and chemical properties**

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

· <b>Form:</b>	Liquid
· <b>Color:</b>	colorless
· <b>Odor:</b>	Characteristic
· <b>Odor threshold:</b>	Not determined.

· **pH-value:** Not determined.

· **Change in condition**

· <b>Melting point/Melting range:</b>	Undetermined.
· <b>Boiling point/Boiling range:</b>	100 °C (212 °F)

· **Flash point:** Not applicable.

· **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Not applicable.

· **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.

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· <b>Auto igniting:</b>	Product is not selfigniting.
· <b>Danger of explosion:</b>	Product does not present an explosion hazard.
· <b>Explosion limits:</b>	
Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
· <b>Vapor pressure at 20 °C (68 °F):</b>	23 hPa (17.3 mm Hg)
· <b>Density at 20 °C (68 °F):</b>	1.01676 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (8.48486 lbs/gal)
· <b>Bulk density:</b>	1,017 kg/m <sup>3</sup>
· <b>Relative density</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Vapor density</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:</b>	Fully miscible.
· <b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Viscosity:</b>	
Dynamic:	Not determined.
Kinematic:	Not determined.
· <b>Solvent content:</b>	
Water:	99.0 %
VOC content:	0.00 %
	0.0 g/l / 0.00 lb/gal
Solids content:	1.0 %
· <b>Other information</b>	No further relevant information available.

**10 Stability and reactivity**

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

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**11 Toxicological information**

· **Information on toxicological effects**

· **Acute toxicity:**

· **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

7778-50-9 potassium dichromate

Oral	LD50	190 mg/kg (mouse)
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· **Primary irritant effect:**

· **on the skin:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.

· **on the eye:** Irritating effect.

· **Sensitization:**

Sensitization possible through inhalation.

Sensitization possible through skin contact.

· **Additional toxicological information:**

The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:

Toxic

Harmful

Irritant

The product can cause inheritable damage.

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

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· **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

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· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

**12 Ecological information**

· **Toxicity**

· **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.

· **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.

· **Behavior in environmental systems:**

· **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.

· **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.

· **Additional ecological information:**

· **General notes:**

Water hazard class 3 (Self-assessment): extremely hazardous for water

Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system, even in small quantities.

Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground.

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

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· **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

**13 Disposal considerations**

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:**  
Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

**14 Transport information**

- **UN-Number**
- **DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA** UN1935
- **UN proper shipping name**
- **DOT** Cyanide solutions, n.o.s. (potassium dichromate)
- **ADR** 1935 CYANIDE SOLUTION, N.O.S. (potassium dichromate)
- **IMDG** CYANIDE SOLUTION, N.O.S. (potassium dichromate)
- **IATA** CYANIDE SOLUTION, N.O.S.
- **Transport hazard class(es)**
- **DOT**
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- **Class** 6.1 Toxic substances
- **Label** 6.1
- **ADR**
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- **Class** 6.1 (T4) Toxic substances
- **Label** 6.1

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· **IMDG, IATA**



· **Class** 6.1 Toxic substances  
· **Label** 6.1

· **Packing group**  
· **DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA** III

· **Environmental hazards:** Not applicable.

· **Special precautions for user** Warning: Toxic substances  
· **Hazard identification number (Kemler code):** 60  
· **EMS Number:** F-A,S-A  
· **Segregation groups** Cyanides  
· **Stowage Category** A  
· **Stowage Code** SW2 Clear of living quarters.  
· **Segregation Code** SG35 Stow "separated from" SGGI-acids

· **Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code** Not applicable.

· **Transport/Additional information:**  
· **DOT**  
· **Quantity limitations** On passenger aircraft/rail: 60 L  
On cargo aircraft only: 220 L

· **ADR**  
· **Excepted quantities (EQ)** Code: E1  
Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml  
Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 ml

· **IMDG**  
· **Limited quantities (LQ)** 5L  
· **Excepted quantities (EQ)** Code: E1  
Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml  
Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 ml

· **UN "Model Regulation":** UN 1935 CYANIDE SOLUTION, N.O.S. (POTASSIUM DICHROMATE), 6.1, III

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**15 Regulatory information**

· **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

· **Sara**

· **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

7778-50-9 | potassium dichromate

· **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

All components have the value ACTIVE.

· **Hazardous Air Pollutants**

7778-50-9 | potassium dichromate

· **Proposition 65**

· **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

7778-50-9 | potassium dichromate

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

7778-50-9 | potassium dichromate

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

7778-50-9 | potassium dichromate

· **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

7778-50-9 | potassium dichromate

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

7778-50-9 | potassium dichromate | A(inh), D(oral), K/L(inh), CBD(oral)

· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value)**

7778-50-9 | potassium dichromate | AI

· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

7778-50-9 | potassium dichromate

· **GHS label elements** The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

· **Hazard pictograms**



GHS06 GHS08

· **Signal word** Danger

· **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**

potassium dichromate

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**Hazard statements**

- H331 Toxic if inhaled.
- H315 Causes skin irritation.
- H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
- H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
- H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
- H340 May cause genetic defects.
- H350 May cause cancer.
- H360 May damage fertility or the unborn child.
- H372 Causes damage to the respiratory system through prolonged or repeated exposure.

**Precautionary statements**

- Obtain special instructions before use.
- Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
- Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
- Wash thoroughly after handling.
- Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
- Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
- Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace.
- Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
- [In case of inadequate ventilation] wear respiratory protection.
- If on skin: Wash with plenty of water.
- IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
- If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
- IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
- Specific treatment (see on this label).
- Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.
- Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
- If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
- If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
- If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a poison center/doctor.
- Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
- Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
- Store locked up.
- Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

**National regulations:****Information about limitation of use:**

- Workers are not allowed to be exposed to the hazardous carcinogenic materials contained in this preparation. Exceptions can be made by the authorities in certain cases.

**Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.**16 Other information**

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

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· **Department issuing SDS:** Environment protection department.

· **Contact:**

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· **Date of preparation / last revision** 02/27/2023

· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety

OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

BEI: Biological Exposure Limit

Acute Toxicity - Inhalation 3: Acute toxicity – Category 3

Skin Irritation 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2

Eye Irritation 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2A

Sensitization - Respiratory 1: Respiratory sensitisation – Category 1

Sensitization - Skin 1: Skin sensitisation – Category 1

Germ Cell Mutagenicity 1B: Germ cell mutagenicity – Category 1B

Carcinogenicity 1B: Carcinogenicity – Category 1B

Toxic to Reproduction 1B: Reproductive toxicity – Category 1B

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure 1: Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) – Category 1