



# Safety Data Sheet

KEX Tire Repair Materials

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## 1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name:** KEX Tire & Tube Mounting Compound

**Chemical Family:** Potassium Soap

**Product Use:** Tire Mounting & Demounting / Bead Packing

**Restrictions on Use:** Use as directed by manufacturer

**Manufacturer:** KEX Tire Repair  
119 Rockland Ave.  
Northvale, NJ 07647  
Phone: 201 256-8200

**24-Hour Emergency Phone Number:** North America: 800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC)  
International: 703-527-3887 (CHEMTREC) Collect Calls Accepted

## 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

### GHS Classification

#### Health Hazards

Acute Toxicity, Oral, Category 4  
Eye Irritation, Category 2B

#### Environmental Hazards

Acute Aquatic Toxicity, Category 3

### GHS Labeling

#### Pictograms:



**Signal Word:** Warning!

#### Hazard Statements

H302: Harmful if swallowed  
H320: Causes eye irritation



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H402: Harmful to aquatic life

## Precautionary Statements

### Prevention:

P264: Wash hands and exposed skin thoroughly after handling.

P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P280: Wear eye protection / face protection.

### Response:

P301 + P312: IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

P330: Rinse mouth.

P305 + P351 + P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P337: If eye irritation persists:

P313: Get medical advice / attention.

### Disposal:

P501: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national regulations.

## 3. COMPOSITION/ INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### Chemical characterization

Potassium Soap

Component*	CAS #	Weight %
Potassium Soap	8046-74-0	29 – 39
Glycerin, Glycol	56-81-5	1 – 6
Potassium Hydroxide, KOH	1310-58-3	< 1

\*The above listed components are OSHA hazardous materials which contribute to this products' GHS Hazard Categorization as prescribed in OSHA's Hazard Communication 29 CFR 1910.1200.

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES:

### Inhalation

**Symptoms & Effects:** Nausea, irritation of the nose and airways, headache

**Measures:** Immediately move outdoors or to fresh air. If irritation occurs, seek medical attention.

### Skin Contact

**Symptoms & Effects:** Slight skin irritation, drying of the skin.

**Measures:** Wash contaminated areas with mild soap and water after use. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If skin irritation occurs, seek medical attention.



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### Eye Contact

**Symptoms & Effects:** Eye irritation, stinging sensation, tearing, and redness, and swelling of the eyes.

**Measures:** Remove contact lenses and immediately flush eyes gently with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Hold eyelids open and wash thoroughly. If eye irritation persists, seek medical attention.

### Ingestion

**Symptoms & Effects:** Stomach or intestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, irritation of the throat, dizziness, drowsiness, weakness, fatigue, nausea, headache

**Measures:** Seek immediate medical attention. Contact a physician, medical facility, or poison control center for advice about whether to induce vomiting.

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Dry chemical, Carbon dioxide, Water spray, Alcohol Foam

**Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:** None Identified

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, Hydrocarbons, Potassium hydroxide

**Protective Equipment for Fire-Fighters:** Wear full firefighting turn-out gear (full Bunker gear), and respiratory protection (SCBA).

**Precautions for Fire-Fighters:** This product is non-flammable.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES:

**Protective Equipment:** Recommended to wear chemical splash goggles & gloves and discard of gloves that show tears, pinholes, or signs of wear. Wear proper garments to reduce skin exposure, such as long-sleeves and pants.

**Personal Precautions:** Persons not wearing proper PPE should be excluded from the area of contamination until clean-up has been completed. Ensure adequate ventilation.

**Environmental Precautions:** Do not allow discharge into drains, surface waters, or sanitary sewer system. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained or if material discharges into drains or ground water.

**Methods & Materials for Clean-Up:** Shovel or gather material and place in appropriate container for disposal. Wash spill area thoroughly.



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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Handling:** Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wash hands and exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke in product area.

**Storage:** Keep container tightly closed and in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from direct sunlight. Keep away from food, drink, and animal foodstuffs.

**Incompatible Materials:** None identified

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS & PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Exposure Limits :

Exposure Limits have not been established for this product.

<b>Potassium Soap</b>	<b>CAS # 8046-74-0</b>
OSHA	Exposure limits not developed
ACGIH	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
NIOSH	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

<b>Glycerin</b>	<b>CAS # 56-81-5</b>
OSHA	15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
ACGIH	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
NIOSH	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Engineering Controls:** Use product in a well-ventilated area.

**Occupational Exposure Controls:** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Consider all potential hazards of this material, applicable exposure limits, job activities, and other substances in the work place when designing engineering controls and selecting PPE. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are proximal to the work location. It is ultimately the responsibility of the employer to follow regulatory guidelines established by local authorities.

**Protective and Hygiene Measures:** Wash hands before breaks and after handling product. When using, do not eat, drink, or smoke. In case of clothes contamination, remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

**Eye Protection:** Recommended to wear goggles when there is potential for the exposure of the eyes to the product. Have a suitable eye wash station or bottle nearby in case of splashing into the eyes.

**Hand Protection:** Recommended to wear gloves when using this product, and to discard of gloves that show tears, pinholes, or signs of wear.



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**Skin Protection:** Recommended to wear long-sleeved clothing, pants and proper foot covering in order to minimize direct skin contact with the product. If skin irritation develops, contact your facility health and safety professional or your local safety equipment supplier to determine the proper personal protective equipment for your use.

**Respiratory Protection:** Although unlikely, a NIOSH-approved air-purifying respirator with an appropriate cartridge and/or filter may be appropriate under certain circumstances where airborne concentrations are expected to exceed exposure limits (if applicable) or if overexposure has otherwise been determined. Protection provided by air-purifying respirators is limited. Use a positive pressure, air-supplied respirator if there is any potential for uncontrolled release, exposure levels are not known or any other circumstances where an air-purifying respirator may not provide adequate protection.

## **9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

**Appearance:** Brown semi-solid paste

**Odor:** Mild odor

**Odor Threshold:** No data available

**pH:** 10.5

**Melting Point:** > 140°F (60°C)

**Freezing point:** < 32°F (0°C)

**Initial boiling point:** Not applicable

**Boiling range:** Not applicable

**Flash point (Tag closed cup):** > 212°F (> 100°C)

**Evaporation rate:**

**Flammability: Lower Limit:** No data available **Upper Limit:** No data available

**Vapor pressure:** No data available

**Vapor density:** No data available

**Relative density:** 1.02 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (8.51 lb/gal)

**Solubility in water:** Very soluble

**Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** No data available

**Auto-ignition temperature:** No data available

**Decomposition temperature:** No data available

**Viscosity (dynamic):** No data available

## **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**Reactivity:** No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

**Chemical Stability:** Stable under normal conditions.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:** Will not react under normal conditions.

**Conditions to Avoid:** Excessive heat



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**Incompatible Materials:** None identified

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, Hydrocarbons, Potassium hydroxide

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Primary Routes of Exposure:** Skin contact, Eye contact, Ingestion

**Symptoms Related to Physical, Chemical and Toxicological Characteristics:** Nausea, irritation of the nose, throat and airways, dizziness, drowsiness, headache, defatting of the skin, irritation to the digestive tract

**Delayed and Immediate Effects & Chronic Effects from Exposure:** The liquid defats the skin after long-term or repeated exposure.

### **Measures of Toxicity:**

Acute toxicities are calculated based on component toxicities

Mixture: Acute Oral Toxicity: No data available

Acute Dermal Toxicity: No data available

Acute Inhalation Toxicity: No data available

### **Carcinogen Claims:**

OSHA: No

International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC): No; 4 [Probably Not Carcinogenic]

ACGIH: No; A5 [Not Suspected]

National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens: No

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Eco-toxicity:** This substance may be harmful to aquatic organisms. It is strongly advised that this substance does not enter the environment.

**Persistence & Degradability:** No data available

**Bio-accumulative Potential:** No data available

**Mobility in Soil:** No data available

**Other Adverse Effects:** No data available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of in accordance with Federal, State or Local regulations.

Contaminated packaging should be emptied as far as possible before disposal.



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## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### DOT SHIPPING CLASSIFICATION:

This product is not regulated as a hazardous material for transport.

### IMDG (Marine) SHIPPING CLASSIFICATION:

This product is not regulated as a dangerous good for transport.

### IATA (Air) SHIPPING CLASSIFICATION:

This product is not regulated as a dangerous good for transport.

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

All components of this product conform to the following national inventory requirements. US TSCA, EU EINECS and Canada DSL

### SARA Title III

#### Section 302 – Extremely Hazardous Chemicals

The following ingredients are subject to the supplier notification requirements of Section 302 of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA/EPCRA) and the requirements of 40 CFR Part 37

*None Listed*

#### Section 313 – Toxic Chemicals

The following ingredients are subject to the supplier notification requirements of Section 313 of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA/EPCRA) and the requirements of 40 CFR Part 37

*None Listed*

### OTHER FEDERAL REGULATIONS

Components of this product are subject to RCRA Hazardous Waste requirements. Clean Air Act (CAA) Hazardous Air Pollutants requirements and OSHA Process Safety Management (PSM) high hazard requirements.

### CANADIAN REGULATIONS

WHMIS Classification: Not Classified as Hazardous

### STATE REGULATIONS

#### California Proposition 65

This product does not contain materials known to the state of California to cause cancer, birth defects, and other reproductive harm.



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The components of this product may be included on the various state hazardous materials lists noted below.  
California Hazardous Substances List  
Massachusetts Hazardous Substances List  
New Jersey RTK Hazardous Substances List  
New Jersey TCPA Extremely Hazardous Substances List  
Pennsylvania Hazardous Substances List

**Note:** Entries under Section 15 are not intended to be all inclusive of Federal and State laws and regulations. Please consult the appropriate agencies for further clarification of any requirements.

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

This SDS conforms to the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 1910.1200 published in the Federal Register March 26, 2012

### **MEDICAL EMERGENCIES:**

Call CHEMTREC 24 hours a  
Day for emergency information  
800-424-9300

### **FOR ANY OTHER INFORMATION:**

**KEX TIRE REPAIR**  
119 Rockland Ave.  
NORTHVALE, NJ 07647  
201-256-8200

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