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Technical Data Sheet

Chemical structure

Potassium Ethyl Xanthate

Product Information

Product Name	Potassium Ethyl Xanthate
Synonyms	PEX; Potassium O-ethyl carbonodithioate; Ethylxanthic Acid Potassium Salt;
	O-ethyl potassium carbonodithioate; potassium O-ethyl dithiocarbonate;
	Potassium ethylxanthate
CAS No.	140-89-6
EINECS No.	205-439-3
Molecular formula	C3H5KOS2
Molecular weight	160.3



Physical Properties

White to Pale yellow powder or granular. Soluble in water with no impurityDensity1.558g/cm3Melting Point209-214°CBoiling Point120.5°C at 760 mmHgFlashing Point96°CVapor pressure18.2mmHg at 25°C

Specification

Index name	Grade A	Grade B
Appearance	White to Pale yellow powder or granular	
Assay	≥90.0%	≥85.0%
Free alkali	≪0.2%	≪0.5%
Water and volatile matter	≪4.0%	≤10.0%

Safety

Potassium Ethyl Xanthate belongs to class 4.2 dangerous cargo on tranportation, Always refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)

Applications

Potassium ethyl xanthate is a collector with better selectivity, widely applied in foatation of Cu/Zn/Ne and prite, especially for the gold floatation in gold and copper mine. It could make good rusult in the copper and lead oxidized ore. Normally used in rough selecting and scavenging.

Packaging

120kgs/Iron drum x134drums=16.08tons/1x20' FCL 850kgs/wooden casex20cases=17tons/1x20' FCL 900kgs/wooden casex20cases=18tons/1x20' FCL

Storage & Transport information

Store in a cool, well-ventilated area. Keep away from heat, sparks and flames. Keep containers closed. Do not expose sealed containers to temperatures above 40°C. Avoid moisture contamination. Prolonged storage may result in lumping or caking.

Please refer to the Materials Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for the handling methods.

Always refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for detailed information on handling and disposal.

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