

Material Safety Data Sheet
According to 91/155 EEC

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1 Identification of the substance/preparation and of the company/undertaking

- **Product details**
- **Trade name:** Slipol® F 31
- **Article number:** 060210
- **Application of the substance / the preparation** Textile auxiliary, e.g. foaming agents and stabilizers.
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
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- **Further information obtainable from:** Quality / environmental dept.

2 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization**
- **Description:**
CAS-No.:
143-18-0 Potassium oleate (active substance)
EINECS-No.:
205-590-5 Potassium salts of fatty acids (active substance)
- Aqueous preparation of potassium salts of native fatty acids.
- **Dangerous components:** Void
- **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

3 Hazards identification

- **Hazard description:** Not applicable.
- **Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:**
The product does not have to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.
- **Classification system:**
The classification is according to the latest editions of the EU-lists, and extended by company and literature data.

4 First aid measures

- **General information:** Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing:**
Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical advice immediately and show this material safety data sheet.
- **Information for doctor:** Treat symptomatically and supportively.

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5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
CO₂, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **Special hazards caused by the substance, its products of combustion or resulting gases:**
In case of fire be aware of noxious fumes.
Nitrogen oxides (NO_x)
Carbon monoxide (CO)
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.
- **Additional information**
Being an aqueous system, product itself does not burn.
Fire extinguishing measures to be adopted to the ambient fire.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Person-related safety precautions:**
Particular danger of slipping on leaked/spilled product.
Wear protective clothing.
- **Measures for environmental protection:**
Dilute with plenty of water.
Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Measures for cleaning/collecting:**
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
- **Additional information:** No dangerous substances are released.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Information for safe handling:** No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** Store only in the original receptacle.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Store away from foodstuffs.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Store between +5 °C and +30 °C. Protect from frost.
- **Storage class:** Non-combustible liquids (12).

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**
The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**
The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals.
- **Respiratory protection:** Not required.
- **Protection of hands:**



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- **Material of gloves**
Gloves of nitrile rubber (EN 374) recommended: Tricotted gloves with nitrile rubber coating (EN 374). Deemed suitable from own experiences. After work apply hand cream.
- **Penetration time of glove material**
The exact break trough time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye protection:** Goggles, tightly closing, with lateral shields (EN 166).
- **Body protection:** Full-arm protective overall/working clothing and safety footwear/boots (EN 344).

9 Physical and chemical properties

· **General Information**

Form:	Fluid
Colour:	Yellow-brown
Odour:	Characteristic

· **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range: Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range: Approx. 100°C ((water))

· **Flash point:** Not applicable.

· **Self-igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

· **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· **Density at 20°C:** Approx. 0.95 g/cm³

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with water:** Fully miscible.

· **pH-value at 20°C:** 9.5 - 10.5

· **Solvent content:**
Organic solvents: 0.0 %

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Materials to be avoided:** Incompatible with strong oxidizing agents like strong acids.
- **Dangerous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Dangerous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

11 Toxicological information

- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** May produce significant skin irritation after prolonged contact (data from literature).
- **on the eye:** May cause severe, possibly permanent eye damage (data from literature).
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
May cause some irritation of the mouth and upper digestive tract (data from literature).

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12 Ecological information

- **Information about elimination (persistence and degradability):**
- **Other information:**
Slipol® F 31 is biodegradable and have no accumulation potential (data derived from literature).
- **Ecotoxicological effects:**
- **Remark:** *LC50 (fish, 48h) > 10 mg/l (data derived from literature).*
- **General notes:**
*Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water
 Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.*

13 Disposal considerations

- **Product:**
- **Recommendation** *Smaller quantities can be disposed of with household waste.*
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** *Disposal must be made according to official regulations.*
- **Recommended cleansing agents:** *Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.*

14 Transport information

- **Transport/Additional information:** *Not dangerous according to ADR/RID, IMDG and IATA.*

15 Regulatory information

- **Labelling according to EU guidelines:**
*Observe the general safety regulations when handling chemicals.
 The product is not subject to identification regulations under EU Directives and the Ordinance on Hazardous Materials (German GefStoffV).*
- **Safety phrases:**
*26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
 36/39 Wear suitable protective clothing and eye/face protection.*

16 Other information

Slipol® F 31 is classified in waste water relevance level (ARS) I according to the procedure of the self-obligation statement. Thus these textile auxiliaries have a minor relevance to waste water.

The information is based on the current state of our knowledge. The information is intended to describe the products and is thus not significant for assuring certain properties.

- **Department issuing MSDS:** *Quality / environmental department*
- **Contact:** *Hr. Ehrle*