



SAFETY DATA SHEET

DRAIN TESTER

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE PREPARATION AND THE COMPANY:

PRODUCT NAME: Drain Tester
APPLICATIONS: Smoke generation compositions for the marking of airflows
PRODUCT CODE: PH018
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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

HAZARDOUS INGREDIENT(S)	CAS No	%(w/w)	Symbol	R Phases
Potassium Nitrate	7757-79-1	26.0		

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Ignites readily, burns without flaming, giving dense white smoke.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

EYES:

Immediately irrigate with eyewash solution or clean water, holding the eyelids apart, for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.

SKIN:

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Wash skin with water, followed by soap and water. If large areas of the skin are affected, or if irritation arises seek medical attention.

INHALATION:

In severe cases, remove patient from combustion exposure. If recovery is not rapid or complete seek medical attention.

INGESTION:

If swallowed, rinse mouth and drink immediately two or more glasses of water or milk. Seek medical attention and show this Data sheet, if possible.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Ignites readily.
Oxidising agent will assist combustion.
Keep fire exposed containers cool by spraying with water.

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: use large volumes of water as a spray or fog, avoid use of water jet. Contain run off water with for example temporary earth barriers.

FIRE FIGHTING PROTECTIVE EQUIPS:

A self contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in fire conditions

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

No naked lights. No smoking.

Ensure suitable personal protection during removal of spillages. This means wearing eye protection, chemically resistant gloves, boots and coveralls. Transfer to a container for disposal. Wash the spillage area

with water. Due to the potassium chlorate content, washings must be prevented from entering surface water or drains. When spillages or uncontrolled discharges into watercourses occur, the National Rivers Authority must be alerted.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

STORAGE PRECAUTIONS:

Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs, keep out of reach of children, and keep in original container, tightly closed in a safe place, keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Store in a dry place

Storage life: Physically and chemically stable for at least 2 years when stored in the original unopened sales container at ambient temperatures.

HANDLING PRECAUTIONS:

Read the instructions before use.

Although the smoke is not classified as hazardous, avoid excessive inhalation. Avoid contact with eyes.

Wash hands before meals and after use. When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

When using this product refer to the instructions for details.

Should it be necessary to enter a heavily smoke laden area, protective respiratory equipment and eye protection must be used (see HSE Guidance Book (HS) G 53: "Respiratory Protective Equipment- a practical guide for users")

Occupational Exposure Limits

	LTEL	8hr TWA		
STEL				
HAZARDOUS INGREDIENT(S)	ppm	mg/m ³	ppm	mg/m ³
Smoking agent	-	10	-	20

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE:	Light brown composition, wrapped in blue touch paper
ODOUR:	Odourless.
PH:	Not applicable.
BOILING POINT:	Not applicable.
MELTING POINT:	Not applicable.
FLASH POINT:	Does not flash.
AUTOFLAMMABILITY:	>130°C.
EXPLOSIVE PROPERTIES:	Not applicable.
OXIDISING PROPERTIES:	Oxidising agent will assist combustion.
VAPOUR PRESSURE:	Not available.
RELATIVE DENSITY:	Not available.
SOLUBILITY (Water):	Partially soluble.
PARTITION COEFFICIENT:	Not applicable.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY:

Stable under normal conditions.

HAZARDOUS REACTIONS:

Ignites readily.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

Combustion or thermal decomposition may involve irritant vapours.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

INHALATION:

Low risk, possible irritation to respiratory tract.

SKIN:

Possible risk of skin irritation.

EYES:

Composition and combustion product may cause eye irritation.

INGESTION:

May cause abdominal pain.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

TOXICITY:

This ecological assessment is calculated from data available on the components of the formulation.

Harmful to aquatic organisms.

Not readily biodegradable.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Applies to unburned product.

Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical. Dispose of product according to the requirements of the "Environmental Protection Act 1990". Empty containers should not be used for other purposes.

Disposal should be in accordance with local, state or national legislation.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN No: Not applicable

UN PACK No: Not applicable

AIR:

ICAO/IATA CLASS.

-primary: Not restricted.

SEA:

IMDG CLASS.

-primary: Non hazardous

MARINE POLLUTANT: N/A

PROPER SHIPPING NAME:

ROAD/RAIL

ADR/RID CLASS: Not subject to the provision of ADR

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Users should ensure that they comply with any relevant local, state or national legislation.

EU CLASSIFICATION: Drain Smoke are NOT classified as dangerous substances for supply or conveyance under international regulations.

However Arctic Products Ltd does give the following safety advice

SAFETY PHRASES:

S-2 Keep out of reach of children.

S-13 Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

S-16 Keep away from sources of ignition- No smoking.

UK REGULATORY:

INFORMATION

Health & Safety at Work act 1974, The Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 1994, may apply to this product.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

This data sheet was prepared in accordance with Directive 91/155/EEC

DISCLAIMER

The information on this sheet is not a specification. It does not guarantee specific properties. The information is intended to provide general guidance to health and safety based upon our knowledge of the handling, storage and use of the product. It is not applicable to unusual or non-standard uses of the product nor where instructions and recommendations are not followed.