



DCAD Plus™

Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier

Product Form: Substance

Product Name: DCAD Plus™

CAS No: 584-08-7

Formula: $K_2CO_3 \times 1.5 H_2O$

Synonyms: PotCarb, Potash, Pearl Ash, Potassium Carbonate, 1.5-Hydrate, Sesquihydrate

Intended Use of the Product

Animal Feed Supplement.

Name, Address, and Telephone of the Responsible Party

Company

Church & Dwight

500 Charles Ewing Blvd

Ewing Township, NJ 08628

T 1-800-526-3563

www.churchdwright.com

Emergency Telephone Number

Emergency Number : For Medical Emergency: 1-888-234-1828, For Chemical Emergency: 1-800-424-9300 (CHEMTREC)

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the Substance or Mixture

Classification (GHS-US)

Skin Irrit. 2 H315

Eye Irrit. 2A H319

STOT SE 3 H335

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

Label Elements

GHS-US Labeling

Hazard Pictograms (GHS-US)

:



GHS07

Signal Word (GHS-US)

: Warning

Hazard Statements (GHS-US)

: H315 - Causes skin irritation.

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.

H335 - May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary Statements (GHS-US)

: P261 - Avoid breathing dust.

P264 - Wash hands, forearms, and other exposed areas thoroughly after handling.

P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection.

P302+P352+P362 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

P304+P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

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

P312 - Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell.
 P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
 P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
 P403+P233+P405 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up.
 P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, territorial, provincial, and international regulations.

Other Hazards

Exposure may aggravate those with pre-existing eye, skin, or respiratory conditions.

Unknown Acute Toxicity (GHS-US) Not available

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**Substances**

Name : DCAD Plus™
 CAS No : 584-08-7

Name	Product Identifier	% (w/w)	Classification (GHS-US)
Carbonic acid, dipotassium salt	(CAS No) 584-08-7	60 - 100	Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2A, H319 STOT SE 3, H335

The specific chemical identity and/or exact percentage of composition have been withheld as a trade secret [29 CFR 1910.1200]. A range of concentration as prescribed by the Controlled Products Regulations has been used where necessary, due to varying composition.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**Description of First Aid Measures**

General: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.

Inhalation: When symptoms occur: go into open air and ventilate suspected area. Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Skin Contact: Brush off loose particles from skin. Rinse immediately with plenty of water (for at least 15 minutes). Obtain medical attention if irritation develops or persists. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Eye Contact: Do not rub. Rinse eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes, including under lids, to remove all particles. Seek medical attention for abrasions. Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for at least 60 minutes. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Ingestion: Seek medical attention if a large amount is swallowed. Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs have person lean forward.

Most Important Symptoms and Effects Both Acute and Delayed

General: Irritation to eyes, skin and respiratory tract.

Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation. Symptoms may include: Cough, headache, sore throat, or unconsciousness.

Skin Contact: Causes skin irritation. Symptoms may include: Redness, pain, swelling, itching, burning, dryness, and dermatitis.

Eye Contact: Causes serious eye irritation. Symptoms may include: Redness, pain, swelling, itching, burning, tearing, and blurred vision.

Ingestion: May be harmful if ingested in large quantities.

Chronic Symptoms: None expected under normal conditions of use.

Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

If exposed or concerned, get medical advice and attention.

SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**Extinguishing Media**

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: For surrounding fire. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

Special Hazards Arising From the Substance or Mixture

Fire Hazard: Not flammable.

Explosion Hazard: Product is not explosive.

Reactivity: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions. Reacts violently with strong acids/bases. Reacts with water.

Advice for Firefighters

Precautionary Measures Fire: Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Under fire conditions, hazardous fumes will be present.

Firefighting Instructions: Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers.

Protection During Firefighting: Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus when entering area unless atmosphere is proved to be safe.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon oxides (CO, CO₂). Potassium oxides.

Reference to Other Sections

Refer to section 9 for flammability properties.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

General Measures: Do not breathe dust or fumes. Avoid skin and eye contact. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

For Non-Emergency Personnel

Protective Equipment: Use appropriate personal protection equipment (PPE).

Emergency Procedures: Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

For Emergency Personnel

Protective Equipment: Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

Emergency Procedures: Upon arrival at the scene, a first responder is expected to recognize the presence of dangerous goods, protect oneself and the public, secure the area, and call for the assistance of trained personnel as soon as conditions permit.

Environmental Precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

For Containment: Contain and collect as any solid.

Methods for Cleaning Up: Avoid generation of dust during clean-up of spills. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Contact competent authorities after a spill. Clean up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely.

Reference to Other Sections

See heading 8, Exposure Controls and Personal Protection. For further information refer to section 13.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

Additional Hazards When Processed: When heated, material emits irritating fumes.

Hygiene Measures: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking, or smoking and again when leaving work.

Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities

Technical Measures: Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.

Storage Conditions: Store in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store away from incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials: Strong acids. Water. Strong bases. Lime. Powdered metals.

Specific End Use(s)

Animal Feed Supplement.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control Parameters

For substances listed in section 3 that are not listed here, there are no established Exposure limits from the manufacturer, supplier, importer, or the appropriate advisory agency including: ACGIH (TLV), NIOSH (REL), OSHA (PEL), Canadian provincial governments, or the Mexican government

Particulates not otherwise classified (PNOC) (RR-00072-6)		
USA ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (mg/m ³)	3 mg/m ³ Respirable fraction 10 mg/m ³ Total Dust
USA OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m ³)	5 mg/m ³ Respirable fraction 15 mg/m ³ Total Dust
Alberta	OEL TWA (mg/m ³)	10 mg/m ³ (total)

		3 mg/m ³ (respirable)
British Columbia	OEL TWA (mg/m ³)	10 mg/m ³ (total dust) 3 mg/m ³ (respirable fraction)
Manitoba	OEL TWA (mg/m ³)	10 mg/m ³ (inhalable particles, recommended) 3 mg/m ³ (respirable particles, recommended)
New Brunswick	OEL TWA (mg/m ³)	3 mg/m ³ (particulate matter containing no Asbestos and <1% Crystalline silica, respirable fraction) 10 mg/m ³ (particulate matter containing no Asbestos and <1% Crystalline silica, inhalable fraction)
Newfoundland & Labrador	OEL TWA (mg/m ³)	10 mg/m ³ (inhalable particles, recommended) 3 mg/m ³ (respirable particles, recommended)
Nova Scotia	OEL TWA (mg/m ³)	10 mg/m ³ (inhalable particles, recommended) 3 mg/m ³ (respirable particles, recommended)
Nunavut	OEL TWA (mg/m ³)	5 mg/m ³ (respirable mass) 10 mg/m ³ (total mass)
Northwest Territories	OEL TWA (mg/m ³)	5 mg/m ³ (respirable mass) 10 mg/m ³ (total mass)
Ontario	OEL TWA (mg/m ³)	10 mg/m ³ (inhalable) 3 mg/m ³ (respirable)
Prince Edward Island	OEL TWA (mg/m ³)	10 mg/m ³ (inhalable particles, recommended) 3 mg/m ³ (respirable particles, recommended)
Québec	VEMP (mg/m ³)	10 mg/m ³ (including dust, inert or nuisance particulates; containing no Asbestos and <1% Crystalline silica-total dust)
Saskatchewan	OEL STEL (mg/m ³)	20 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-inhalable fraction) 6 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-respirable fraction)
Saskatchewan	OEL TWA (mg/m ³)	10 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-inhalable fraction) 3 mg/m ³ (insoluble or poorly soluble-respirable fraction)

Exposure Controls

Appropriate Engineering Controls: Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Avoid creating or spreading dust. Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure.

Personal Protective Equipment: Gloves. Protective goggles. Protective clothing. Dust formation: dust mask.



Materials for Protective Clothing: Chemically resistant materials and fabrics.

Hand Protection: Wear chemically resistant protective gloves.

Eye Protection: Chemical safety goggles.

Skin and Body Protection: Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Respiratory Protection: If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, approved respiratory protection should be worn.

Other Information: When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State	: Solid
Appearance	: White, granular powder
Odor	: None
Odor Threshold	: Not available
pH	: 11.6 (1% Solution, 0.02 moles/liter has pH 11.0)
Evaporation Rate	: Not available
Melting Point	: 891 °C (1635.8 °F)

Freezing Point	: Not available
Boiling Point	: Not available
Flash Point	: Not available
Auto-ignition Temperature	: Not available
Decomposition Temperature	: Not available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Not available
Lower Flammable Limit	: Not available
Upper Flammable Limit	: Not available
Vapor Pressure	: Not available
Relative Vapor Density at 20 °C	: Not available
Relative Density	: Not available
Specific gravity / density	: 65 - 70 lb/ft ³ @ 20 °C
Specific Gravity	: 2.04 @ 20 °C (water = 1)
Solubility	: Complete in water
Partition Coefficient: N-Octanol/Water	: Not available
Viscosity	: Not available
Explosion Data – Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact	: Not expected to present an explosion hazard due to mechanical impact
Explosion Data – Sensitivity to Static Discharge	: Not expected to present an explosion hazard due to static discharge
Molecular Weight	: 165.24

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions. Reacts violently with strong acids/bases. Reacts with water.

Chemical Stability: Material is hygroscopic. Decomposes slowly on exposure to water (moisture).

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

Conditions to Avoid: Keep away from moisture, water, ignition sources, direct sunlight, extremely high or low temperatures, incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials: Strong acids. Strong bases. Lime. Moisture. Powdered metals.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon oxides (CO, CO₂). Potassium oxides.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Information on Toxicological Effects - Product**

Acute Toxicity: Not classified

LD50 and LC50 Data: Not available

Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Causes skin irritation

pH: 11.6 (1% Solution, 0.02 moles/liter has pH 11.0)

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation: Causes serious eye irritation

pH: 11.6 (1% Solution, 0.02 moles/liter has pH 11.0)

Respiratory or Skin Sensitization: Not classified

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Not classified

Teratogenicity: Not classified

Carcinogenicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure): Not classified

Reproductive Toxicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure): May cause respiratory irritation.

Aspiration Hazard: Not classified

Symptoms/Injuries After Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation. Symptoms may include: Cough, headache, sore throat, or unconsciousness

Symptoms/Injuries After Skin Contact: Causes skin irritation. Symptoms may include: Redness, pain, swelling, itching, burning, dryness, and dermatitis

Symptoms/Injuries After Eye Contact: Causes serious eye irritation. Symptoms may include: Redness, pain, swelling, itching, burning, tearing, and blurred vision

Symptoms/Injuries After Ingestion: May be harmful if ingested in large quantities

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Chronic Symptoms: None expected under normal conditions of use.

Information on Toxicological Effects - Ingredient(s)

LD50 and LC50 Data:

Carbonic acid, dipotassium salt (584-08-7)	
LD50 Oral Rat	> 2000 mg/kg
LD50 Dermal Rabbit	> 2000 mg/kg

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity No additional information available

Persistence and Degradability

Plus™ (584-08-7)	
Persistence and Degradability	Not established.

Bioaccumulative Potential

DCAD Plus™ (584-08-7)	
Bioaccumulative Potential	Not established.

Mobility in Soil Not available

Other Adverse Effects

Other Information: Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Recommendations: Dispose of waste material in accordance with all local, regional, national, provincial, territorial and international regulations.

Ecology – Waste Materials: Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

In Accordance with DOT Not regulated for transport

In Accordance with IMDG Not regulated for transport

In Accordance with IATA Not regulated for transport

In Accordance with TDG Not regulated for transport

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

US Federal and International Regulations

DCAD Plus™ (584-08-7)	
SARA Section 311/312 Hazard Classes	Immediate (acute) health hazard

Carbonic acid, dipotassium salt (584-08-7)

Listed on the AICS (Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances)
Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)
Listed on IECSC (Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China)
Listed on the EEC inventory EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances)
Listed on the Japanese ENCS (Existing & New Chemical Substances) inventory
Listed on the Korean ECL (Existing Chemicals List)
Listed on NZIoC (New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals)
Listed on PICCS (Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances)
Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory
Listed on the Canadian IDL (Ingredient Disclosure List)

US State Regulations

Neither this product nor its chemical components appear on any US state lists.

Canadian Regulations

Plus™ (584-08-7)	
WHMIS Classification	Class D Division 2 Subdivision B - Toxic material causing other toxic effects

